

Update from Speak East regarding speech, language and communication training

Speak East are pleased to be able to offer some online CPD training sessions, to continue to support practitioners working with children with speech, language and communication difficulties. These sessions will be run as interactive training sessions, at a reduced cost of £20 per session.

This term we are introducing a new 'foundations' course, which will be particularly beneficial to new members of staff in settings and schools or for staff who would like a refresher in their knowledge of speech, language and communication development and difficulties. It will cover foundation knowledge of speech, language and communication development, the impact of communication difficulties and key strategies to support children's communication. This course is available to all practitioners in Early Years, KS1 and KS2. We will also be running our Language in the Little Years courses, for early years staff and courses to develop staff's knowledge and confidence in supporting school age children with expressive and receptive language difficulties and speech sound difficulties.

Summer term courses:

SLCN foundation skills for Early Years Practitioners	Wednesday 8th July	9.30am
SLCN foundation skills for KS1	Monday 13th July	9.30am
Language in the little years – speech sounds	Thursday 16 th July	9.30am

Autumn term courses:

SLCN foundation skills for Early Years Practitioners	Wednesday 7 th October	9.30am
SLCN foundation skills for KS2	Thursday 15 th October	1.30pm
SLCN foundation skills for KS1	Monday 5 th October	1.30pm
Supporting school age children with expressive language difficulties	Tuesday 3 rd November	9.30am
Supporting school age children with receptive language difficulties	Wednesday 14 th October	9.30am
Supporting school age children with speech sound difficulties	Thursday 12 th November	9.30am
Language in the little years – your setting	Monday 30 th November	9.30am
Language in the little years – speech sounds	Monday 7 th December	9.30am

Please visit our website for further information and to apply for the courses salt.ecch.org

Please contact us with any questions – ecch.speakeast@nhs.net