

Speech & Language Therapy

ELKLAN Supporting Verbal Pupils with ASD

EPIC Speech and Language Therapy Services is a school led partnership established to meet the SLCN of local children, families and schools. The service offers a range of training to both multi-disciplinary professionals and parents/carers as well as providing direct therapeutic input to primary aged children in schools. The team also provide consultancy and speak at conferences on request. All staff are registered to practice by the Royal College of Speech and Language Therapists and the Health Care Professions Council.

Course description/Anticipated outcomes:

Suitable for all SENDCOs, teaching and teaching support staff working with verbal children of any age who have social communication difficulties.

This is an externally accredited course for those working with verbal children who have a diagnosis of ASD. Delegates will be required to submit a portfolio following their attendance at this training in order to receive the accredited qualification. This NEW UPDATED specialist course will provide learners with theoretical knowledge and an abundance of practical skills and ideas to support children and young people with autism and/or social communication needs.

This training programme reflects the changes in diagnostic criteria and includes a whole session on managing pupils with sensory conditions in the classroom.

It provides a great overview into good communication practice with those with ASD and has plenty of 'hands on' activities which help to apply the learning and makes the course very interactive. It's a great 'one stop shop' from which further training programmes in specific techniques and programmes can be explored further.

Covered in the course:

- What is Communication and where does ASD fit?
- Sensory Integration and ASD
- The importance of structure
- Developing interaction
- Behaviour is Communication.

The outcomes that participants can expect from the course:

- A firm knowledge and understanding of ASD
- A range of strategies and tools that can be implemented in everyday working practice in a classroom environment
- A Level 2 or Level 3 six credit Award in Supporting Verbal Children with Autism Spectrum Disorder (both levels are now on the QCF).

Date & Time

4th & 11th June 2018
8.30am - 4.30pm
(plus a 5 week time period for portfolio completion)

Venue

Fossebrook Primary School
Holmfield Avenue West
Leicester Forest East
LE3 3FF

Cost

£270 per delegate



PLEASE NOTE: It is a prerequisite for learners to have previously attended either the ELKLAN Speech and Language Support for 3-5's or 5-11's core course as knowledge of speech and language difficulties are assumed and vital strategies to develop language and communication are not covered.

Course bookings can be made by visiting <https://bookwhen.com/affinitytsa>

Schools who are not AffinityTSA members should contact our office and ask for their school name to be added to our booking system if they have not booked with us previously

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