



Aims and Objectives

This CPD Project provides an ongoing opportunity to join a community of like-minded practitioners, building on their strengths of baby friendly practice across the Early Years Foundation Stage.

Through Workshop attendance, enrichment events, gap tasks & reflection, a further development of their knowledge regarding practitioner responsibilities & teaching techniques that will provide a quality experience for babies and toddlers from Birth to 2yrs, has been achieved.

Practitioners received: -

- > Taught elements through both local and national guest presentations.
- > Opportunities for context specific discussion & application of practice.
- > Signposting to credible articles of interest and evidenced research journals
- > Gap task components that lead to the NCC Quality award; 'Baby Friendly Setting'.
- > In-house management supervision & Mentor support

The project was a blended delivery (online & face2face).

Each practitioner will have completed 32.5hrs CPD in total.

17.5 hrs (7 x Workshops). 7hrs (reflective study). 8hrs (2 x Enrichment events).

Workshop Content: -

12.7.22 – Introduction session for baby Practitioners & Setting Leaders

20.9.22 – Workshop One: Baby Curriculum & Playful pedagogy

8.11.22 – Workshop Two: Developing PSE learning experiences (Brain dev, Keyperson/professional love, Attachment & transitions)

12.11.23 — Enrichment event 1: Jack in the Box Nursery host

Guest Speaker: Susan Richards- SALT-speech & language.org.uk

24.1.23 – Workshop Three: Developing C&L learning experiences (Universal & targeted interactions & resources, Norfolk's Communication Hubs, environments for quality C&L.)

7.3.23 – Workshop Four: Safer Sleeping

Partner Speaker: Cheryl Chalk- Professional Lead East Locality CCS NHS Trust

18.3.23 – Enrichment event 2: Little Owls Nursery- Scarning host

Guest Speaker: Rachel Curtis – Munchkin n me – Schema's /Storytime play trays in action

25.4.23 – Workshop Five: Healthiness for under two-year-old and care partnerships.

Partner speaker: Stephanie Hambrook - Clinical Lead 0-19 HCP CCS NHS

13.6.23 – Workshop Six: Developing Physical learning experiences (Typical physical dev; help for practitioners DfEd, CMO recommendations, Reflex maturation, enabling physical environments)

11.7.23 – Workshop seven: Celebrations, wellbeing & musicality

Guest Speaker: Steve Grocott – Bandcamp.com

Project presentations: Laura M/ St Nicholas Nursery; Jane M-J / NCC Creche; Sarah B/Childminder; Hayley & Rosa/Forest School for life.