

Attention Autism

(Suitable for Teachers and TAs)

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This 2 day course equips attendees with the skills to set up and run the 4 Stage Attention Autism programme. The training focuses on the practical aspects of intervention, working in a team and offering an irresistible invitation to learn. The Attention Autism programme targets the teaching of attention, communication and social interaction skills. Training is run applying the principles of the Attention Autism programme throughout each day. There are demonstrations of the techniques in action, films of the work with children, practical hands-on experience for participants and ideas for activities. The intention is to share the practical skills needed for participants to feel confident in setting up and running the intervention immediately

Charge: £210 per person—Boost funding available for BCP schools

Day 1; 5th October 2020 9am-4pm

Day 2; 6th October 9am-4pm

Attendance at both events all day is essential—lunch provided on both days.

**Venue: Bournemouth Learning Centre, Ensbury Avenue, Bournemouth,
Dorset**

**For more information and to book a place, please visit
www.bcpworkforcedevelopment.co.uk**

Outcomes & Key Benefits

- An understanding of how to engage children with autism
- How to teach children with autism to focus, sustain and shift their attention
- An understanding of how to teach, encourage and support communication
- An understanding of how to foster group learning skills
- An understanding of how to embed early social interaction skills into group work
- How to set up and run the intervention with groups of children
- How to nurture the supporting team working with you
- How to modify and adapt levels of stimulation/distraction in a group setting
- How to use shared good times with the group and staff team working together in highly engaging activities to build relationships and trust
- A framework that encourages breadth and depth in learning for those who find linear progression challenging
- To provide activities with a high density of learning opportunities