

MOHAIR CENTRE TRAINING

FOREST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS

[Level 3 Certificate for Forest School Leaders - NOCN](#)



(Level 3 – 9 Sessions as below & Level 2 – 5 Sessions to be specified)

Next Starting Date: Sunday 30th June 2024

NOCN Level 3 Certificate for Forest School Leaders Level 3 is designed to qualify the learner to become a Forest School Leader, able to set up and run a Forest School programme. This covers how to facilitate groups in a learner-centred way, and how to manage a Forest School site sustainably. It also covers the practical skills required of a Forest School practitioner as well as the theory behind Forest School practice. Learners may typically be nursery, school and college staff, teachers, teaching assistants or youth workers. This involves 6 teaching days. A practical part of the assessment is that you run 6 consecutive sessions with a group of children / adults, and you provide the evidence of competence in the workplace. There will be 2 practical assessment days at the end to assess your practical skills (tool-use, knots, fires, creating shelters and cooking outside), away from your Forest School Clients.

The link above will take you to the candidate logbook and the units involved.

DAY 6 Saturday 14th September
DAY 7 Saturday 21st September
DAY 8 Saturday 5th October
DAY 9 Saturday 19th October

There will be regular Portfolio Building Sessions on Teams from 1st September – 20th December to support Candidates to complete their six sessions and do the written work for their portfolio. The fastest that someone has completed is 3 months and there are others that take the full 18mths. All students can take it at their own pace depending on experience and personal circumstances. The best way to complete is always – ‘little and often’.

It is expected that each student will run six sessions with a group of children, young people or adults during their training. This depends on their level of confidence and experience and availability of children in their workplace to work with, or your ability to find a group to volunteer with (we can help you with this). This will be used as part of their assessment and build up their portfolio of evidence which again is an important part of the assessment. Your Assessor will guide you through this process.

Venue

Mohair Centre, Brickfield Farm, Lewes Rd, Lewes, East Sussex BN86JG

Tutors & Assessors

Jacky Webb & Pam Perry



Costs

Level 3: £850 (Paid in advance), or £900 (£500 in advance + 4 monthly payments of £100 paid by standing order)

Level 2: £550 (Paid in advance), or £600 (£300 in advance, followed by 3 monthly payments £100 paid by standing order)

Level 1 & or Team-training / Teambuilding - £200 per 10 persons, £15 per person if more than 10

Contact for more information

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