

SUPPORTING PUPILS WITH PHYSICAL AND/OR SENSORY NEEDS DURING THEIR SWIMMING LESSON

Why?

Participants will learn practical strategies to enable pupils with sensory and physical needs to make maximum progress within their school swimming programme.

The course will be delivered by a Swim England Licensed Tutor and a specialist teacher. The trainer will demonstrate practical techniques for delivering appropriate support in the water. Participants will increase their skills, knowledge and confidence in supporting children in swimming lessons.

What?

Participants will:

- Develop a thorough understanding of how best to support pupils with sensory and physical needs in swimming lessons,
- Gain practical experience of how to support children whilst with them in the water,
- Pupils with sensory and physical needs will have improved access to the PE curriculum,
- Information will be provided about extra curricula swimming opportunities and further moving and handling assessments relating to access to the swimming pool.

Please note: part of the training will be in the water; delegates will need to bring appropriate clothing and swimming towel.

Who can attend?

This course is aimed at staff supporting pupils in swimming lessons, in the water with sensory and physical needs (physical disability, visual impairment, hearing impairment and Down Syndrome) in mainstream schools.

When & where?

Date and venue to be agreed.

How Much?

Price on agreement (including refreshments, course materials and certification)

How Do I Book?

Please contact Amanda Brigden, AVTP Teaching School Director

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For bespoke training tailored to your school's swimming needs, please contact Amanda as above.