

Family Learning English: KS2 English

Course overview

This is an English course for KS2 parents/grandparents/carers. It will help you to understand how children are taught to write clearly, how they need to adapt their language and style for a variety of contexts, purposes, and audiences, how they develop good reading skills to be able to extract relevant information from a text, and how you as a parent/caregivers can help them at home. There will be both practical and written activities that you can try at home with your child.

What will I study?

Please note that to have the opportunity to ask questions about the courses and get a good overview of what you will be learning you must enroll on the taster associated with the course.

The course will help you to:

- Understand how to support your child to read new words independently.
- Recognise themes, plots, and ideas.
- Recognise figurative language usage.
- Understand a variety of spelling strategies, including phonics, and how to develop your child's writing and use structure when writing.
- Have the opportunity to brush up on your grammar and punctuation.

Assessment method

You will initially be assessed when you join the course. You will also complete various in class activities and homework which will allow you and the teacher to monitor your progress on regular basis. It is important to read and write with your child at home to apply what you have learned in class.

Entry requirements

This course is for parents/carers of the Borough's Key Stage two (KS2) children (Years 3 to 6). In order to ask questions and understand what you will be learning, you must also complete the taster associated with this course.

What should I bring with me?

You will need to bring a pen, paper, or any other note-taking device for this session. If you have access to a mobile phone or any other electronic device, you will be encouraged to access Teams our teaching platform. Please speak to your teacher if you have issues with online access.

Key information

This course will take place on site, at your child's school. You are advised, and will be supported, to install our learning platform Teams on your phone or any other electronic device. You will be able to access all the course resources and communicate with your teacher via Teams.

At the end of your course, you will be invited to attend the Family learning celebration event at the college, when you will receive progression advice and your course completion certificate.

Possible next steps

After completing this course successfully, you will be supported to enroll onto the most appropriate progression course at the college. We offer various Vocational, Multiply, Math, ESOL and Digital skills courses

Family learning English KS2
possible progression courses

- Family Learning English Phonics and Beyond courses
- Family Learning English Developing Study Skills
- A suitable mainstream course at the college

Contact us

Our friendly staff can give you further advice and support.



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