

Supporting children with handwriting difficulties

Overview and aims:

This course will develop your knowledge of fine motor skill development and how this impacts upon handwriting. It aims to empower you with strategies to support the children you work with who have difficulties with the physical aspects of handwriting, and will give you knowledge and confidence around approaches to work with this group of children to improve their handwriting. It will help you understand the interventions delivered by occupational therapists and guide you on useful resources to have in your toolbox.

"Very informative, practical and achievable activities suggested with clear explanations of why we need them and the benefits of them". "A very useful course, clear with lots of information, informative and a good selection of resources to look at." "Very engaging and useful to an NQT". "Clear, knowledgeable presenters who met the needs of the learners"

Target audience.

This course is aimed primarily at teachers but would also be suitable for Sencos and teaching assistants from mainstream and special school.

Trainers - Helen Muschik/Ceiri Morgan, Specialist children's Occupational Therapists.Date - Thursday 26th April 2018, 3.45pm to 5.15pmVenue - The Health Education Room, Tadcaster Health CentreCost - £36 per participantFor more

information or to book a place please email Gill Clarke at childrenstherapytraining@york.nhs.uk or tel 01904 724915