



Developing High Quality SEND Practice in the Early Years

Early Excellence is delighted to be working in partnership with Berkswich CE Primary School to offer a full day of training for your EYFS & SENCO team.

Delivered through a lens of neurodiversity-affirming practice in the Early Years, this course offers support, practical advice, and inspirational ideas of how to develop and improve your SEND practice and provision. Adaptive and Responsive Teaching strategies in the EYFS will be explored across the four overarching EYFS principles, to ensure that every practitioner in your school or setting is a practitioner of SEND.

Over the course of the day we will cover:

- **Supporting the unique child and developing positive relationships** - Reflect on key aspects of child-development, consider how we identify SEND at an early age within a setting, explore a range of needs children may require additional support with within the four areas of difficulty and how these can be met through quality first teaching and supportive play. This session will also look at how best to assess a child with SEND and the need to measure progress in smaller steps.
- **Creating an Enabling Environment** - Explore how to ensure that your environment meets the needs of all children; how to support all children to access resources independently and consider adaptations that can be made to meet the needs of children's learning differences. Consider practical examples of ways to offer different elements of continuous provision, to meet the needs of the children in your setting.
- **Using a strengths-based approach to explore ways to support learning and development** - Consider adaptive and responsive teaching strategies to support learning differences across the four broad areas of need from the SEND Code of Practice (2014): Communication and Interaction; Cognition and Learning; Social, Emotional and Mental Health and Sensory and or / Physical. Ensure that your curriculum meets the needs of all children.

Benefits:

- Gain a deeper understanding of SEND in the Early Years
- Explore ways to develop an accessible and inclusive learning environment
- Consider what Adaptive and Responsive Teaching strategies could be used to support different areas of need in the Early Years

Audience:

SENCOs, Early Years Leaders and Teachers

Venue:

Berkswich CE Primary School
Cedar Way
Walton-on-the-Hill
Stafford
Staffordshire
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Date: Thursday 29th January 2026

Time: 9.30am – 3.30pm

Price: £145.00 (exc. VAT) per person

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