

# **COURSE OUTLINE**

COURSE TITLE: Education of Children who are Looked After COURSE LEVEL: 3

**DURATION: One day** 

#### Introduction

This course is designed to provide learners with the understanding of how to work with the children, young people, agencies and legislation regarding the education of the children and young people they look after.

### **Benefits of Attending**

To increase awareness of this and to enhance the knowledge of carers to enable positive educational outcomes. The trainer is an experienced and respected Special Needs Head Teacher/ Ofsted Inspector who has worked with vulnerable children and their families and carers for many years

## **Programme Highlights**

- What are the key issues: attendance, achievement, exclusions, transition, NEETS
- What does the law say about children looked after?
- What does Ofsted say?
- Benchmarking/league tables v children in need
- Education and Health Care Plans
- Barriers /challenges and opportunities
- Empowering carers to use law and guidance

#### Who Should Attend

Anyone who is caring for children and young people of school age.

## **Special Notes:**

This course is suitable for both foster carers and residential care staff where children are in mainstream or a more specialist education provision