

Vision awareness training course

Date: 2 April 2025 **Time:** 13:00 - 15:00 **Venue:** Better Living Centre [Click here to book](#)

Course cost: FREE

Audience: Staff in early years settings/schools who support pupils with a vision impairment

Course details

Does your work involve assisting children or young people with a vision impairment? If the answer is **yes**, then this could be an essential course for you.

As qualified teachers of vision impaired children and young people and specialist support staff from the SSSS Sensory & Physical Impairment team (SPI), we work with children and young people who have a diagnosed vision impairment, to support their inclusion and accessibility in both learning and social situations.

Course Outline

During the training our qualified teachers will provide the following:

- vision awareness training that promotes an understanding of generic strategies for general practice and inclusion to the meet needs of children and young people with a vision impairment in the classroom / school environment or early years setting
- practical activities to promote awareness of vision conditions children and young people are specifically diagnosed with and the impact that these conditions can have upon mobility for example
- an understanding of the curriculum framework for visual impairment that will address the skills identified to support and compliment the educational curriculum delivery and the wider world, giving access to an appropriate and equitable education

Who is this training for?

Suitable for SENCOs, primary & secondary teachers, heads of year, pastoral support managers, mentors, learning support assistants, teaching assistants, childminders and nursery setting staff. Lunchtime supervisors and wrap around care staff are also welcome.