

Autism Education Trust (AET) accredited Training modules for **CHILDMINDERS**

The INSPIRE Specialist Teacher Team are hosting accredited Autism Education Trust training sessions that will also support Childminders working in H&F to have a better understanding of Autism and how it affects young children.

Making Sense of Autism:

- ✓ Enhance your understanding and awareness of autism and how autism can impact on children
- ✓ Equip you with the knowledge you need in order to begin to make reasonable adjustments in the way you support autistic children.

Understanding Autism & Anxiety:

- ✓ To recognise the causes of anxiety in young autistic children.
- ✓ To develop skills in identifying how an autistic child might express their anxiety.
- ✓ To become more aware of your own actions and how these can impact on a child's level of anxiety.
- ✓ To develop understanding of the reasonable adjustments they can make to prevent and reduce a child's anxiety.

Developing Play Skills in Early Years:

- ✓ Understand how the 3 Areas of Difference in autism may impact on the development of play skills.
- ✓ Understand the importance of everyone working together to develop child's play skills.
- ✓ Develop knowledge of how to support autistic children to develop play skills.
- ✓ Create a plan to ensure progress in play skills.

Developing Toileting in Early Years:

- ✓ Understand how the Three Areas of Difference in autism may impact on toileting.
- ✓ Understand the importance of everyone working together to support the child with toileting.
- ✓ Develop knowledge of how to support autistic children with toileting.
- ✓ Create a plan which will ensure that autistic children are supported with toileting.

Module	Date	Time
Making Sense of Autism in Early Years	Thurs 28 th November	6:00-7:30pm
Understanding Autism & Anxiety in young autistic children	Tues 3 rd December	6:00-7:30pm
Developing Play Skills in young autistic children	Mon 9 th December	6:00-7:30pm
Developing Toileting with young autistic children	Mon 16 th December	6:00-7:30pm

Training is via *Microsoft TEAMS* - Register for your training at inspire@lbhf.gov.uk

*****please note that Training session has a minimum of 3 delegates and may therefore be cancelled if below this number.***