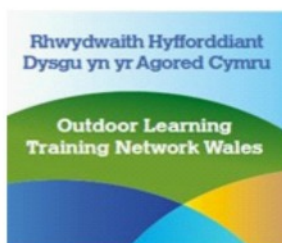




North Wales
Outdoor Learning
Dysgu Awyr Agored
Gogledd Cymru



Level 2 Award in Curriculum-Based Outdoor Learning Practice

This is a 2-day training course for those who want to gain confidence and ideas to take their curriculum outdoors and make the best use of their site. We can offer ideas and resources for seasonal activities, as well as helping you to ensure that Outdoor Learning is embedded within your setting and is a strong contributing factor to delivering your curriculum.



We will guide you through an enjoyable and supportive learning process with clear, easy to understand teaching materials. The course will be taught through a mixture of games, practical activities and reflection.

Learner Entry criteria for Level 2

Required

- Aged 16 or over
- A relevant qualification equivalent to a Level 1 or some experience of working with children / young people

Recommended

- Current Safeguarding/Child Protection check or UK DBS
- Suitable First Aid qualification

Tues 5th & Wed 6th March

9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Elan Valley Visitor Centre

£275 per person



Assessment

Level 2 is equivalent to A*- C grades at UK GCSE level

The course has a paper workbook of information to add notes to during the 2 days training. You will then prepare, deliver, and reflect on at least 2 sessions before submitting the evidence. This course can easily be completed in 6 weeks but you will have up to 6 months to complete. There is ongoing personal support via online resources, email, and phone communication.

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Unit 1: Deliver Outdoor Learning

- An introduction to health and safety on site to build your confidence in taking groups outdoors
- Identifying outdoor areas for curriculum-based learning
- Curriculum-based ideas, games and activities suited to your site, school and age group
- Developing a holistic approach to use your outdoor space in a fun and engaging way to cover all areas of the curriculum, topics and themes
- Planning and delivering seasonal outdoor learning
- Building specific skills and confidence in a range of areas that can be developed in the school grounds and local environment



Unit 2: Sustainable Use and Management of Natural Resources

- Learning about ecological structures in the natural environment
- Becoming more familiar with the wildlife and habitats you already have in your setting
- Ideas about how to use your natural resources sustainably
- Identifying different species of plants and animals
- Learning ways to sustainably manage and improve outdoor learning environments



What our learners say:

"I found the risk assessment information and guidance very helpful. That has definitely raised my confidence in taking the children outside. The activities and ideas were brilliant – learning through play, perfect!" **Pencafe School, February 2021**

"Being outside for the training helped me picture how I could move my lessons outside, and what to expect. The activities were great and it was lovely to be able to use many straight away. It exceeded my expectations." **Cynfran School, April 2021**

"I feel I am now loaded with resources, ideas, and inspiration that will make my own teaching experience more enjoyable, as well as the children's learning experiences." **Porth y Felin School, April 2021**

"It has turned my thoughts on outdoor learning around – positively! I feel much more confident taking sessions outdoors now." **Nannerch School, May 2021**

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