



Joint Authority Support for Children, Families and Schools



Sensory Support Service



An Introduction to supporting pupils with Cerebral Visual Impairment (CVI) in Mainstream Settings

We are running this course on 2 different dates:

31 January 2019 and 16 May 2019 1.00-4.00pm

Venue: Elmfield House, Greystoke Avenue, Bristol BS10 6AY

Pupils with CVI have brain related visual difficulties. Often pupils with CVI have good vision when measured on a letter or picture chart and may not meet the Sensory Support Service criteria for involvement.

We know, however, that these pupils can experience difficulties with accessing aspects of the curriculum as well as completing everyday tasks.

This course aims to recommend strategies that can make a difference to these pupils' access, participation and inclusion.

Aims of the course:

- To gain an understanding of CVI and its causes.
- To understand the implications of CVI in completing daily activities and accessing the curriculum.
- To advise on practical strategies to support access, participation and inclusion

Who will benefit from attending this course:

- TAs in a Mainstream Setting who support a pupil with CVI
- SENCos and Class Teachers who would like to widen their understanding of CVI.
- Educational Practitioners
- Parents/carers
- Other professionals with an interest in this area

Cost of the course: £53 professionals or £78 for 2 from same organisations/
£20 parents/carers

Closing date for applications: 17 January 2019 (for January course) or 3 May 2019 (for May course)



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Application form

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Name:

Post held (if appropriate):

Setting:

Unitary Authority: Bristol BaNES N Somerset S Glos

Address:

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Post code:

Contact number:

Contact email:

Currently working with pupils with CVI: YES/NO Parent/carer YES/NO

Please note the course is a repeat. Please confirm which course you wish to attend: January 2019/May 2019

Please note we will invoice you after the course

Please send completed forms to:

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Impairment (CVI) in Mainstream Setting