

WEA Course information sheet 2019-20



**Adult Learning
Within Reach**

Course title: Basic Family First Aid		Course ID: C2421253
Start date: 11/11/2019	End date: 25/11/2019	Day(s)/time(s): Mon 13:15
Number of sessions: 3	Hours per session: 2	Tutor Stephen Krause
Additional hours:	Online Learning Hours: 0	
Specific funder/partner requirements:		
Awarding body (if any): Title of qualification to be gained:		Level: Entry 3
Fee: £21.00 or Free if you are in receipt of an income related benefit (only SFA funded) Accreditation Fee (if applicable):		
Venue: Holt Thompson Community House, c/o Lawdale Junior School, Mansford Street, London, E2 6LS		
Theme(s): The WEA has four themes it uses for planning its provision. Employability – helping students to get a job or to make progress in their employment Health and Wellbeing – making a positive contribution to their own or others health and wellbeing Community Engagement – encouraging students to be positively involved in their communities Culture – learning about diverse cultures, identities and environments		
The Theme(s) used in planning your course is/ are:		
1. Health and Wellbeing	2. Community Engagement	

Course Aim

The aim of the course is to train parents to be able to deal with a medical emergency with their child or infant. To understand in a simple way how to deal with an emergency and get help if needed.

Course Description

The course is open to anybody who looks after children and infants and be able to deal with an emergency from injury to illness. You will get the skills and confidence you need to do a great job when the need arises, through simple theory, practical and discussions. The course is easy to understand and is delivered in a relaxed and friendly environment.

Do I need any particular skills or experience?

What will I achieve?

By the end of the course I will be able to:

1. Have the skills to identify and deal with an emergency
2. Have the confidence to deal with an emergency from an injury to an illness
3. Use a first aid kit or an alternative effectively and safely
4. Get help when you feel you are unable to do any more

What teaching methods will be used and will there be work outside of the class?

- The WEA tutor will use a range of different teaching and learning methods and encourage you and the group to be actively involved in your learning
 - Theory knowledge with power-point presentations
- DVD showing how to deal with an emergency
- Practicals to develop hands on skills in the class and practice outside the class

What kind of feedback can I expect from the tutor?

- A range of informal activities will be used by the tutor to see what you are learning which may include quizzes, question and answer, small projects and discussion
- You will have opportunities to discuss your progress with your tutor
- You will be encouraged to consider other students work and give your opinions and suggestions

What else do I need to know? Is there anything I need to bring?

- All materials will be provided
 - A selection of materials and basic equipment will be provided but you are welcome to bring additional materials with you
 - A notebook and pen to take notes you will find useful and can refer to at a later date.
- A basic handout is provided to reinforce knowledge.

Pre-course work, reading and information sources

- No pre reading or pre course work is required

Possible next steps after this course (including career opportunities if appropriate)

- Progress to another WEA course
- Progress to a course with another provider
- This course could lead to a range of job opportunities. Follow link to National Careers Service for more details <https://nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk/>
- Become involved as a volunteer for a WEA partner or another organisation

Learning with the WEA

WEA courses increasingly make use of the rich variety of educational tools and material available on the internet and from digital devices. The WEA's digital learning platform, Canvas will play an increasing role in all WEA courses to provide resources or support, or to conduct lessons, enable assessment, provide learner feedback and for other activities for individuals away from the course. It is helpful, although not essential if you have access to a computer or smartphone to support your course.

You can read about your entitlements and responsibilities as a WEA student in our leaflet, Student Handbook here <http://www.wea.org.uk/learn-wea/student-support> This includes information on fees, learning support and financial support. As part of your course you accept our Learning Agreement and Privacy Notice. Full details of the Learning Agreement and privacy notice can be found on our website at <http://www.wea.org.uk/policies>. This applies to all courses you take in this academic year.

You can enrol online for some courses <http://www.wea.org.uk/learn-wea/course-search> or contact:
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Tel: 0300 303 3464 Email: courseenquiries@wea.org.uk

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