

Using the outdoors to develop
Characteristics of Effective Learning

Includes a session on Den Building

Friday 14th February 2020

9.30am — 1.00pm

Hill View Infant Academy, Helvellyn Road, Sunderland SR2 9JJ

£30 per delegate

This half day course will provide the opportunity to learn how to use the outdoor environment to develop characteristics of effective learning from EYFS and into Key Stage One.

The morning will be split into two sessions; a den building session delivered by Chris Harman 'The Den Man' and using the outdoors with Hannah Atkinson from Playology Beach School and Learning Studio.

For further information about the sessions please see overleaf.

All activities will take place outdoors so delegates must dress appropriately.

Agenda

9.30am — 10.00am	Breakfast and Networking
10.00am — 11.00am	Den Making with Chris Harman 'The Den Man'
11.00am — 12.00pm	Using the Outdoors with Hannah Atkinson from Playology
12.00pm — 1.00pm	Opportunity to look at the outdoor classroom and continuous provision at Hill View Infant Academy



Session 1: Den Building

Delivered by the Den Man — Chris Harman

Chris believes that the experience of den building and learning outside is fundamental to children's development, allowing them to learn through play and exploration. However, despite the proven value of den building activities and playing outdoors, research suggests that it is dying out. Through engaging and inspiring people, he aims to preserve the art of den building and enjoying the great outdoors, providing opportunities to learn a broad range of skills, including team work, problem solving, mathematical skills and creativity. The one hour session with Chris will support delegates to enable children to develop their team work, organisational and communication skills.



Session 1: Using the Outdoors to develop Characteristics of Effective Learning

Delivered by Hannah Atkinson from Playology Beach School and Learning Studio

Hannah is an experienced early years lead teacher who is passionate about giving children the opportunity to engage in meaningful and developmentally appropriate creative playful experiences, which sparks learning, ignites the imagination, cultivates creativity, grows hearts, promotes wellbeing, and fills their eyes with the beauty and wonder of nature. This session will look at using the outdoor environment to develop effective learning characteristics.





Booking Form

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Name of Delegate(s): _____

Name of School/Academy: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Special Dietary Requirements: _____

Places are allocated on a first come first served basis. A £30 per delegate charge will be issued to the address stated above. A full refund will be issued if your place is cancelled more than 14 days in advance of the conference date. Please note that we will be unable to refund your fee if you cancel your place less than 14 days before 14th February 2020.

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