



19/11/2018 16:00 - 18:00

Title: Teaching about death and bereavement

Venue: Professional Development Centre (Norwich)
(1 - Training Room), 144 Woodside Road, Norwich,
Norfolk, NR7 9QL

Trainer: Bianca Finger-Berry

Critical Incident

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Outline

'Because at high school, it is going to happen, we lost three students, and I think the earlier schools can teach younger people about what's going to happen, and how to deal with things, and what could happen, the better it would be, to prepare them and that, when it does happen.' (Young person following the death of a school friend)

51% of young people tell us that they have had no teaching about bereavement, loss and separation or that they didn't find it at all useful. Yet loss and bereavement are an inevitable part of our lives, and it is important to prepare children and young people for this experience.

We can teach this pro-actively, as well as allow natural discussion about death as it arises in everyday life. We can encourage children to see death as part of the natural life cycle.

Children and young people say that they want to learn about it, and we can teach them some valuable skills to help them deal with the most certain experience.

Description

During this short course we will talk about the role of teaching about death and bereavement throughout school, we will share teaching materials as we want to encourage all schools to help prepare children for the experience of death.

Outcome

Staff will be more confident in teaching about death and bereavement, and have some ideas about how they can do that.

Audience

Class teachers in primary schools

All staff teaching PSHE whether in dedicated PSHE lessons or through form time, off time-table days, etc.

PSHE Co-ordinators
Mental health well-being champions

Booking Information

This course is free for LA schools and all other settings that subscribe to Critical Incident Support.

<http://s4s.norfolk.gov.uk/Event/76705>

Schools buying into EPSS pay £40, all other schools/settings £50.

Cancellation Policy:

For cancellations made by the school/establishment more than 14 working days prior to the course date, no charge will be made. A £20 administration fee will be levied per person for cancellations less than 14 days. Alternatively, you can arrange for a colleague to take your place.

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