



Course results for 2024/25

“Welcome to a new academic year” says Hoss Malek, Head of Skills and Training at PDTT. “Each year we meet a new group of learners who always make us proud, last year our learner’s **hard work and commitment turned into great results**. We wish them all the best with their bright futures”.

Level 4 Certificate for the Advanced Practitioner in Schools & Colleges - **100%**

Level 4 Certificate for the Early Years Advanced Practitioner - **100%**

Level 3 Diploma for the Early Years Practitioner - **93.75%**

Level 3 in Specialist Support for Teaching and Learning in Schools - **97%**

Level 2 Diploma for the Early Years Practitioner - **91.4%**

Level 2 ITQ Award for IT users - **73%**

Level 1 Award in Working with Children - **73%**





LEARNERS FROM THE LAST ACADEMIC YEAR (2024/25) LOOK BACK ON THEIR TIME WITH PDT TRAINING

"My friend recommended PDTT to me, she told me you are kind. When I came to the first session, I could see that was true. Everyone was so friendly and helpful. Our tutor gave us time to talk and supported us; she was so patient with us. The support tutor was wonderful too, she gave me guidance and assisted me with my CV.

"The learning has been so useful and very important – I learned about EYFS, safeguarding, health and safety and the relevant UK laws, which I didn't know about before. I now have a job because of this course.

"Before I joined this course, I didn't know many people. I have a lot more friends now and have also learned so much about different cultures, which has been enjoyable."

Aya Salah, Early Years Educator (EYE) Level 2 learner

"I think your team is amazing! And you have wonderful staff to guide us through the learning journey. It was a successful journey, and I know my tutor was very proud for me.

"I have been working with children with SEN since 2007 and completed my Level 2 a long time ago. I decided to do this course as I wanted to update my skills and knowledge. Our tutor was motivating and really to the point, without her support, guidance and encouragement I don't think I could have done this course.

"My husband is disabled so I need to be able to work and study close to home - PDTT is very good, and it is convenient to learn at home with no need to travel. It is convenient for busy women."

Bhavini Joshi, Supported Teaching and Learning (STL) L3 learner

"I worked in a nursery for three years, I loved it, and thought it was time to get my qualifications. When I first joined PDTT I was nervous, but everyone was nice and from different backgrounds and areas, and I felt comfortable. Everything was great, all the staff are friendly and kind.

"My tutor was very good and very encouraging to us. My English is not the best, but she made it so easy to understand and I knew what was going on and really enjoyed it. Our support tutor was also amazing! She was so helpful with my learning and gave me good guidance."

Cristina A Oliveir, EYE Level 2 learner

"My friend recommended PDTT to me – it was good, I really liked it. Our tutor helped and supported us. I learned lots of things and it helped me practically. I know how to manage when children are in danger – how to be aware of this and know the tell-tell signs."

Halima Begum Shimu, EYE Level 2 learner

"I enjoyed this course; I learned things I can use in my life and in work. It has given me experience for my young son. Our tutor was brilliant, she was always helpful when I needed it, any problems with the course or my placement. The support tutor was also so helpful. I learned so much and enjoyed it so much, I would love to continue to the Level 3."

Nassira Amrouche, EYE Level 2 learner



Safeguarding and Prevent



Since our last newsletter we have had some alterations in our safeguarding team. Lizzie Murrie has taken on the role of Designated Safeguarding Lead, and Mayette Esdicul has reprised her role of Deputy Safeguarding Lead.

Please take a moment to familiarise yourself with the contact details below and store them somewhere that you can access if ever the time arises.

PDTT has safeguarding officers who will know how to support you.

PDTT Designated Safeguarding Lead: **Lizzie Murrie**

PDTT Deputy Designated Safeguarding Officer: **Mayette Esdicul**

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- Lizzie - 07793 011852
- Mayette - 07501 004156
- Hoss Malek - 07852 319919



WHAT SOME OF PLACEMENT EMPLOYERS SAY...

"You have made this year a pleasure and it has been brilliant to work with you. To know that someone we all value is being well supported in her learning and is constantly enthusiastic about her achievements is wonderful. We are very happy with your service, teaching and observing. We hope to work with you again."

**Jane Densham, Manager/Director,
Golders Hill Day Nursery**

"At the beginning of the course she came to us with limited knowledge in the theory behind the practice but that has been worked on and has grown. I feel that has come from the course as well as working here."

**Rabya Khan, Nursery Manager at
Monkey Puzzle Day Nursery**

"I have had four members of staff come through PDTT and one is now my deputy manager. The girls have all been really happy with the training they've had with PDTT. Another plus has been that they have all had the same assessor throughout their course, they haven't had lots of different assessors or contacts."

**Alison Sturge, Setting Lead, Hanwell Little
Inventors Montessori nursery**



"Over the time she has shown great improvement - with her dealings with staff and the children. Her communication with the children is much better than before. It is to do with the theory as well as the practical. She has become more confident as she has gone along."

**Elizabeth Omoniyi, Deputy Manager at
Little Treasure Day Nursery**

"Safeguarding, Health and Safety, and legal requirements are all taught very well - this learner asked questions around legal requirements and diversity too. She was looking at how we can include different cultures and what can be done - and developed some ideas and suggestions. She had knowledge before, but it was further embedded, and she understood the EYFS and saw a positive learning environment as important."

**Rajbir Sangha Nursery Manager at
Bumble Bees Nursery**

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Courses available with PDTT



- Level 1 Award Working with Children
- Level 2 Certificate for Children and Young People's Workforce
- Level 3 Early Years Practitioner
- Level 4 Certificate Early Years Advanced Practitioner
- Certificate in Supporting Teaching and Learning Level 2
- Level 3 Diploma in Specialist Support for Teaching and Learning in Schools
- Level 4 Certificate in Education and Training
- Level 4 Certificate Advance Practitioner in Schools and Colleges
- Certificate for ITQ Users Levels 1 and 2
- Diploma in Employability Skills Level 2
- Functional Skills English Levels 1 and 2
- ESOL in English Level 3

Are you or someone you know interested in any of our courses?



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Alternatively, for more information you can email us at

training@pdt.org.uk
or phone **020 7266 8241**.



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