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ADULT LEARNING COURSES SUMMER 2019
ALNWICK | BERWICK | MORPETH



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WELCOME TO THE 2019 ADULT LEARNING SUMMER PROGRAMME

We're here to help you get onto a course that could get you into work, progress your career, add a new skill or simply to have fun and introduce you to like-minded people.

We'll help you get started at the right level for you. There are a range of classes available including day tasters to whet your appetite through to accredited diploma courses giving you an industry recognised professional qualification.

There are three locations to choose from - **Alnwick, Berwick and Morpeth** - but if you live in a more rural area and there isn't a centre near you please let us know, we can help.

Our programmes are affordable with a lot of courses **FREE OF CHARGE**. We also offer a range of support, so whatever your situation, help is available.

Call our enrolment line today or visit one of our centres. Our website has lots more information including course descriptions and how the levels work:

www.northumberland.gov.uk/adultlearning

WE'RE LISTENING!

If there are any courses you would like to see listed, email us at adultlearning@northumberland.gov.uk with the subject line '**Course Feedback**'

A rich ecology for explorers

This summer, why not take part in our Ecology of Northumberland Course.

It includes field trips across our beautiful county including rocky shore, dunes, mire and meadow. You will get hands-on practical experience exploring your local environment, learning how to identify and record species. Data from the course is uploaded onto the Biological Records system and used to inform nature conservation.

This class is for the enthusiast who wants to really engage with the natural world and make a difference.

Writing for Radio

Join us at our Morpeth Learning Centre for our one day creative writing course. Learn the processes of writing drama for the soundwaves, look at character fundamentals, approaches to the narrative journey and what makes a good story.

Chainsaw Maintenance and Crosscutting

If you work in or are looking to work in any of the following industries: Agriculture; Horticulture; Woodland; Local Authorities; Conservation; Construction; Land-based; we offer chainsaw training to enable you to prove your competence in forestry / arboriculture operations and provide evidence of your ability to meet license to practice standards.

Maths & English

Staff who teach our Maths and English qualifications are highly qualified and experienced professionals who are sensitive to the needs of adult learners.

They're 100% committed to getting the very best out of you with an individual initial assessment to check your current skills and a tailored tuition plan.

We consistently have higher success rates than the national average for our Maths and English learners.



Course Title	Start date	Day	Start time	End Time	No. of weeks	Fee	Location	UI Code	Centre Code
Functional Skills English	Flexible	Tues	09:30	12:00	40	FREE	Alnwick	FSE	ALN18045
Functional Skills Mathematics	Flexible	Tues	13:00	15:30	40	FREE	Alnwick	FSM	ALN18049
Functional Skills English	Flexible	Wed	09:30	12:00	40	FREE	Alnwick	FSE	ALN18047
Functional Skills English	Flexible	Wed	13:00	15:30	40	FREE	Alnwick	FSE	ALN18048
Functional Skills Mathematics	Flexible	Wed	09:30	12:00	40	FREE	Alnwick	FSM	ALN18050
Functional Skills Mathematics	Flexible	Wed	13:00	15:30	40	FREE	Alnwick	FSM	ALN18051
Functional Skills Mathematics	Flexible	Tues	09:30	12:00	40	FREE	Berwick	FSM	BER18018
Functional Skills Mathematics	Flexible	Tues	13:00	15:30	40	FREE	Berwick	FSM	BER18019
Functional Skills English	Flexible	Thur	09:30	12:00	40	FREE	Berwick	FSE	BER18020
Functional Skills English	Flexible	Thur	13:00	15:30	40	FREE	Berwick	FSE	BER18021
Functional Skills Mathematics	Flexible	Wed	16:00	18:30	40	FREE	Morpeth	FSM	MOR18040
Functional Skills Mathematics	Flexible	Wed	13:00	15:30	40	FREE	Morpeth	FSM	MOR18041
English for SOL (Entry Level)	26/04/2019	Fri	10:00	13:00	24	FREE	Alnwick	MELE021	ALN18681

Skills for Employment

Course Title	Start date	Day	Start time	End Time	No. of weeks	Fee	Location	UI Code	Centre Code
Building Confidence & Self-esteem	03/05/2019	Fri	09:30	16:00	1 day	FREE	Alnwick	EMPX005	ALN18713
Completing Application Forms & Disclosures	05/06/2019	Wed	09:30	14:30	1 day	FREE	Alnwick	EMPX006	ALN18714
7 second CV	23/07/2019	Tues	09:30	16:00	1 day	FREE	Alnwick	EMPX007	ALN18715
Competing Application Forms & Disclosures	26/04/2019	Fri	09:30	14:30	1 day	FREE	Berwick	EMPX006	BER18093
7 second CV	28/05/2019	Tues	09:30	16:00	1 day	FREE	Berwick	EMPX007	BER18094
Improving Own Confidence	21/06/2019	Fri	09:30	16:00	1 day	FREE	Berwick	EMPX005	BER18095

Science & Technology

Byte-sized courses for technology enthusiasts.

Do you have a garage or loft full of items you no longer use? Why not learn how to convert your unwanted goods into cash with our buying and selling online course? These classes will show you how to get started with demonstrations and practical exercises such as how to follow safe procedures online, taking product pictures and writing listings. Get the most out of your digital devices this summer.



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IT User Skills - (Functional Skills Level 2)	23/04/2019	Tues	17:30	20:30	14	£45.00	Alnwick	ICTE2028	ALN18037
Compare the Market Buying & Selling online	29/04/2019	Mon	13:00	16:00	5	£25.00	Alnwick	ICTEE016	ALN18716
Step into Science	05/06/2019	Wed	17:30	20:30	7	£35.00	Alnwick	HUM002	ALN18006
Digital Devices - 'The Internet of Things'	03/06/2019	Mon	09:30	12:30	1 day	FREE	Alnwick	ICTEE016	ALN18717
Ecology of Northumberland 2	16/05/2019	Thur	10:00	16:00	5	£45.00	Alnwick	HUMX004	ALN18660
Digital Documents for Business	29/04/2019	Mon	09:30	12:30	5	£25.00	Morpeth	ICTX020	MOR1807

Health, Care & Education

Are you caring patient and creative? Do you have a lot of energy and great communication skills? Have you thought of a career in Health, Care or Education?

With a huge demand for workers and plenty of opportunities for progression you could gain employment in these sectors.

We offer a range of qualifications for you to choose from including: Supporting Teaching & Learning in Schools or Children and Young People's Workforce Development Level 2 & Level 3 including Early Years Educator Level 3.

In the Care Sector we offer introductory courses which include the L2 Certificate Preparing to Work in Adult Care with full support to progress to Adult Care Apprenticeships at L2 & L3.

Contact **Clair Chandler** on **01670 623 689** or email her at: **clair.chandler@northumberland.gov.uk**



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Preparing to Work in Adult Care Level 2	Flexible	Tues	13:30	16:30	30	£140.00	Alnwick	HSC2004	ALN18094
Introduction to Childcare	07/05/19	Tues	10:00	14:00	4	FREE	Alnwick	HSC1009	ALN18084
Dementia Care Awareness (Non Accredited)	24/04/2019	Wed	17:00	19:00	6	£35.00	Alnwick	HPSC2017	ALN18609
L3 Award for SEN Co-ordinators	02/05/2019	Thur	16:30	18:30	6	£35.00	Morpeth	HSCX024	MOR18125
*L2 & **L3 Teaching Assistant & Childcare	Flexible	Wed	13:00	16:00	78	Variable	Alnwick	EDU001	ALN18649
*L2 & **L3 Teaching Assistant & Childcare	Flexible	Thur	13:00	16:00	78	Variable	Alnwick	EDU001	ALN18030
Mental Health Awareness Level 1 (Cache)	19/06/2019	Wed	17:00	20:00	6	£75.00	Alnwick	HSC1006	ALN18670
Meditation and Mindfulness (Non Accredited)	19/06/2019	Wed	17:00	19:00	6	£35.00	Alnwick	HSCX022	ALN18671
*L2 & **L3 Teaching Assistant & Childcare	Flexible	Tues	16:00	19:00	78	Variable	Berwick	EDU001	BER18009
Meditation and Mindfulness (Non Accredited)	24/04/2019	Wed	17:00	19:00	6	£35.00	Morpeth	HSCX022	MOR18086
Mental Health Awareness Level 1 (Cache)	19/06/2019	Wed	10:00	14:00	6	£75.00	Morpeth	HSC1006	MOR18085
Paediatric First Aid	Flexible	Flexible	10:00	16:00	2 days	£45.00	Alnwick	HSCX005	ALN18718

*Concessions available **Learner Loans available

Art & Wellbeing

Our creative industry in Northumberland is thriving so whether you're thinking of starting a business or you want to learn and develop new creative skills we have many courses to suit.

New courses for summer include: crochet; buttercream piping; let's cook healthy; gluten-free meals and; creative writing for radio.



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Summer Pots and Planters	23/04/2019	Tues	09:30	12:30	7	£35.00	Alnwick	LAHX003	ALN18015
Level 1 Award in Horticulture	29/04/2019	Mon	10:00	15:30	8	£35.00	Alnwick	LAH1001	ALN18016
Dressmaking for Fun	02/05/2019	Thur	10:00	13:00	11	£55.00	Alnwick	ARTX037	ALN18654
Stick Dressing - Club	02/05/2019	Thur	19:00	20:30	10	£35.00	Alnwick	ARTX006	ALN18696
Lets Cook Healthy	03/06/2019	Mon	13:30	16:30	5	£25.00	Alnwick	BUSX061	ALN18076
Gluten Free Meals	03/06/2019	Mon	17:30	20:30	5	£25.00	Alnwick	BUSX015	ALN18077
Drawing and Painting	05/06/2019	Wed	17:30	20:30	7	£35.00	Alnwick	ARTX023	ALN18029
Crochet - Intermediate	24/04/2019	Wed	13:45	16:45	7	£35.00	Morpeth	ARTX033	MOR18101
Crochet - Intermediate	24/04/2019	Wed	10:00	13:00	7	£35.00	Morpeth	ARTX033	MOR18102
Creative Writing	02/05/2019	Thur	15:30	17:30	11	£75.00	Morpeth	MELX002	MOR18104
Food Hygiene - Award in Food Safety Level 2	14/06/2019	Fri	09:15	16:00	1 day	£55.00	Morpeth	BUS2012	MOR18035
Bavarian Crochet Taster	26/06/2019	Wed	10:00	15:00	1 day	£10.00	Morpeth	ARTX033	MOR18118
Buttercream Piping-Cacti	26/06/2019	Wed	17:30	20:30	1 day	£10.00	Morpeth	BUSX062	MOR18119
Buttercream Piping-Garden Flowers	03/07/2019	Wed	17:30	20:30	1 day	£10.00	Morpeth	BUSX062	MOR18120
Filet Crochet Taster	10/07/2019	Wed	10:00	15:00	1 day	£10.00	Morpeth	ARTX033	MOR18121
Buttercream Piping-Russian Tips	10/07/2019	Wed	17:30	20:30	1 day	£10.00	Morpeth	BUSX062	MOR18122
Royal Icing Piping-Birds and Small Flowers	17/07/2019	Wed	17:30	20:30	1 day	£10.00	Morpeth	BUSX062	MOR18123
Tunisian Crochet Taster	24/07/2019	Wed	10:00	15:00	1 day	£10.00	Morpeth	ARTX033	MOR18124
Creative Writing for Radio	25/04/2019	Thur	17:15	20:15	1 day	£10.00	Morpeth	MELX055	MOR18099

Languages

Research shows that learning another language is good for your mental health. The top benefits to learning a language are: keeps the mind sharp; connection with other cultures; improves memory; enhances listening skills and boosts confidence.



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German Area Studies: Intro to History, Geog, Culture	07/05/2019	Wed	16:00	18:00	5	£25.00	Alnwick	MELX046	ALN18680
German Culture and Conversation	06/06/2019	Thur	16:30	18:30	7	£35.00	Alnwick	MELX031	ALN18059
Introduction to Latin	13/06/2019	Thur	13:30	15:30	8	£45.00	Alnwick	MELX049	ALN18058
Lip Reading	29/04/2019	Mon	11:30	13:30	11	FREE	Alnwick	MELX014	ALN18064
Lip Reading	01/05/2019	Wed	09:30	11:30	11	FREE	Alnwick	MELX014	ALN18065
Basic German in a Day	29/05/2019	Wed	10:00	16:00	1 day	£10.00	Berwick	MELX031	BER18082
Spanish Advanced Conversation	25/04/2019	Thur	12:30	14:30	7	£35.00	Berwick	MELX034	BER18083
Spanish Intermediate Culture	25/04/2019	Thur	14:30	16:30	7	£35.00	Berwick	MELX036	BER18084
Spanish Beginners Culture	25/04/2019	Thur	17:00	19:00	7	£35.00	Berwick	MELX036	BER18085
Pre GCSE Italian Preparation	25/04/2019	Thur	09:30	11:30	5	£25.00	Morpeth	MELX005	MOR18093
Step up to French Level 1	25/04/2019	Thur	09:30	11:30	5	£25.00	Morpeth	MELX043	MOR18096
Spanish Intermediate Conversation	24/04/2019	Wed	15:00	17:00	7	£35.00	Morpeth	MELX034	MOR18094
Cultura Italiana: Art, Music and Literature	07/05/2019	Tues	10:00	12:00	5	£20.00	Morpeth	MELX056	MOR18105
Russian for Absolute Beginners	10/05/2019	Fri	09:30	11:30	8	£30.00	Morpeth	MELX059	MOR18106
Getting Started in Spanish	03/06/2019	Mon	09:30	11:30	8	£45.00	Morpeth	MELX024	MOR18057
Getting Started in French	05/06/2019	Wed	12:30	14:30	8	£45.00	Morpeth	MELX035	MOR18056
Getting Started in Spanish	05/06/2019	Wed	17:30	19:30	8	£45.00	Morpeth	MELX024	MOR18058
Spanish Culture and Conversation	05/06/2019	Wed	12:00	14:00	7	£35.00	Morpeth	MELX036	MOR18062
Basic German in a Day	05/06/2019	Wed	10:00	16:00	1 day	£10.00	Morpeth	MELX031	MOR18081
Getting Started in Italian	06/06/2019	Thur	10:00	12:00	8	£45.00	Morpeth	MELX027	MOR18059
French Culture and Conversation	06/06/2019	Thur	09:30	11:30	7	£35.00	Morpeth	MELX039	MOR18060
La Vita È Bella: Introduction to Italian Cinema	11/06/2019	Tues	10:00	12:00	5	£20.00	Morpeth	MELX060	MOR18114
Basic Italian in a Day	21/06/2019	Tues	10:00	16:00	1 day	£10.00	Morpeth	MELX027	MOR18082
Lip Reading	02/05/2019	Thur	12:15	14:15	11	FREE	Morpeth	MELX014	MOR18084



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ALNWICK ADULT LEARNING CENTRE

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BERWICK ADULT LEARNING CENTRE

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MORPETH ADULT LEARNING CENTRE

Cottingwood Lane
Morpeth
NE61 1DN

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Our enrolment line is open:
Monday to Thursday 08:30 - 17:00 and Friday 08:30 - 16:30

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