

CONTINUOUS PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT COURSES



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Continuous Professional Development Courses

Progressive College are now offering a series of continuous professional development programmes for qualified SNA's, social care workers, and teachers, who may wish to further their knowledge and understanding in focused and specific topics. These short programmes provide SNA's, social care workers, and teachers with the opportunity to meet their ongoing professional needs around specific areas that they may have an interest in.

Engaging in CPD ensures a practitioner is up to date and enhances their professional skills and competencies. CPD helps to enhance confidence in practice as well as providing opportunities for career development.

CPD courses are a great way to refresh your knowledge and enhance your teaching and learning. The courses consist of online lessons.

After completing a CPD course with Progressive, you will receive a Digital Certification.

How Do Continuous Professional Development Courses Work?

As a busy professional you need to keep up to speed with the ever-changing workplace. We offer you a flexible way to develop your professional skills on a continuous basis and on your own time with our fully online offering.

Benefits Of Continuous Professional Development Courses (CPD)

As a busy professional, you rarely have the time to set a career to one side in order to return to full-time education. So, CPD courses are a great way to develop and up-skill in your area without it having an effect on your schedule.



Courses - €50 Per CPD Course

Dyspraxia - Continuous Professional Development

A CPD course for the SNA supporting the child with Dyspraxia in the classroom. The course consists of a recorded lecture with a multiple-choice questionnaire to be completed at the end. The topics covered are:

- What is Dyspraxia?
- Possible Causes of Dyspraxia
- Difficulties the student with Dyspraxia may experience in the classroom.
- How the SNA can support the student.

Physical Disabilities - Continuous Professional Development

A CPD course for the SNA supporting the child with Physical Needs in the classroom. The course consists of a recorded lecture with a multiple-choice questionnaire to be completed at the end. The topics covered are:

- What are Physical Disabilities?
- The Causes/Possible Causes of Physical Disabilities
- Types of Physical Disabilities
- An Overview of Cerebral Palsy, Spina Bifida, Hydrocephalus
- Looking at the role of the SNA supporting a student with Physical Disabilities

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Report Writing/Record Keeping - Continuous Professional Development

A CPD course for the SNA on Report writing? record Keeping and Observation. The course consists of a recorded lecture with a multiple-choice questionnaire to be completed at the end. The topics covered are:

- The types of Records an SNA may have to keep.
- The SNAs responsibility regarding Report writing/Record Keeping.
- Guidelines for Report writing/Record Keeping.
- GDPR
- Observations in the classroom.

Sensory Processing Disorder - Continuous Professional Development

A CPD course for the SNA on working with children with Sensory Processing Disorder. The course consists of a recorded lecture with a multiple-choice questionnaire to be completed at the end. The topics covered are:

- What is Sensory Processing disorder
- Characteristics of Sensory Processing Disorder.
- School life for the child with Sensory Processing Disorder.
- Strategies to support the child with Sensory Processing Disorders

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Multi-Disciplinary Team - Continuous Professional Development

A CPD course for the SNA on working as part of the Multi-Disciplinary Team. The course consists of a recorded lecture with a multiple-choice questionnaire to be completed at the end. The topics covered are:

- Who are the Multi-Disciplinary Team?
- Who makes up the team?
- The role of the SNA with the team.
- Teamwork
- The SNA as a professional

Challenging Behaviour - Continuous Professional Development

A CPD course for the SNA on working with students who present with Challenging Behaviour. The course consists of a recorded lecture with a multiple-choice questionnaire to be completed at the end. The topics covered are:

- What is Challenging Behaviour
- Common Causes of Challenging Behaviour
- Managing Meltdowns in the classroom.
- ABC model of behaviour
- Reinforcements.