

## Training Courses

*Our fostering training pathway is designed to guide prospective, newly approved, and experienced foster carers through training and development expectations as outlined by Nottinghamshire County Council fostering service. As foster carers progress through each stage of training and development, they will evidence their experience, knowledge, and skills, in preparation for their annual review and eligibility for future level payments progression.*

*For those entering year three who have completed the TSD workbook, you will be expected to demonstrate and evidence that you continue to meet the Training, Support, and Development standards for foster care.*

***There is an expectation that each individual foster carer will complete a minimum of 20 hours of training annually (please discuss this regularly in supervision with your SSW).***

***\*Please note that with NSCP webinars, there is a possible charge to us for a no-show, so please cancel if unable to attend.***

### Year 1 Development Plan (Mandatory Training) – with links, dates, times and availability

Course Title	Duration	How to Complete
Post-Approval Induction <b>Webinar</b>	2 days	Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup> <b>and</b> Sat 11 <sup>th</sup> Feb 2023. All day. Spaces  FOR NEWLY APPROVED CARERS OR ON RECOMMENDATION OF SSW  <a href="https://nottscc.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=617">https://nottscc.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=617</a>
Foster Care Emergency First Aid <b>(Refresher required every 3 years) Face to Face Training</b>	1 day	Sat 19 <sup>th</sup> Nov (1 space) Sat 3 <sup>rd</sup> Dec (10spaces) - Brownsea Centre, Kirkby in Ashfield Fri 6 <sup>th</sup> Jan, Sat 7 <sup>th</sup> Jan – Summit Centre, Kirkby in Ashfield (6 spaces on each)  All 9am to 5pm <a href="https://nottscc.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=299">https://nottscc.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=299</a>
Foster Care Coping with Risky Behaviour (CRB) <b>Face to Face Training</b>	4.5 hrs	Tues 15 <sup>th</sup> Nov - Attenborough NG9 (£3 parking to claim back in expenses) FULL – join waiting list Tue 17 <sup>th</sup> Jan - Kirkby in Ashfield 7 spaces Tues 21 <sup>st</sup> March – Kirkby in Ashfield 14 spaces All 10am to 2.30pm <a href="https://nottscc.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=567">https://nottscc.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=567</a>

<p>Assisting and Moving – <b>(Mainstream) Face to Face Training</b></p> <p>Intro course - this is for all carers who have <b>not</b> attended an assisting and moving course before, or have not completed this/the refresher course within the last 18months. <b>(Refresher required every 18 months)</b></p> <p>Assisting and Moving Intro <b>(Children's Short Breaks) 2 Days</b> <b>(Refresher required every 18 months)</b></p> <p><b>If you require the refresher, please ask your SSW for details</b></p>		<p>Wed 30<sup>th</sup> Nov 10am to 2.30pm at Shirebrook FULL – PLEASE JOIN WAITING LIST</p> <p>Mon 27<sup>th</sup> March 10am to 2.30pm at Shirebrook - FULL - PLEASE JOIN WAITING LIST For FC's who have not done A&amp;M in past 18 months</p> <p><a href="https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=422">https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=422</a></p> <p><a href="#">Foster Carers - Assisting &amp; Moving Introduction Children's Short Breaks 2 Days: Foster Carers - Assisting &amp; Moving Introduction Children's Short Breaks 2 Days (learningpool.com)</a></p> <p>Tue 13<sup>th</sup> and Wed 14<sup>th</sup> Dec 10am to 2.30pm Shirebrook - FULL – PLEASE JOIN WAITING LIST</p>
<p>Foster Care Administration of Medication <b>Webinar</b></p> <p>(E-learning course available only as an interim option if not able to complete above course during 1<sup>st</sup> year of approval)</p>	4 hours	<p>Tues 1<sup>st</sup> Nov 10am to 2pm ( 5 spaces) Tues 10<sup>th</sup> Jan 10am to 2pm (8 spaces)</p> <p><a href="https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=528">https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=528</a></p>
<p><b>*NSCP Working Together to Safeguard Children Level 3 Webinar</b></p>	3 hrs	<p><b>Must complete the Pre course E-Learning below before booking on this course.</b></p> <p>Tue 22 Nov, (1 space) Wed 7 Dec, (25 spaces) Tue 17 Jan, Thur 9 Feb, Wed 22 Mar - all 9.30am to 12.30pm Plenty of spaces on all sessions</p> <p><a href="#">Course: NSCP Working Together to Safeguard Children - Level 3 (learningpool.com)</a></p>
<p>Foster Carer Introduction to PACE – <b>Webinar</b> <b>(Only required if not already completed as part of skills to foster training)</b></p>	5 hrs	<p>Tue 7 March 9.30am to 2.30pm 9 spaces available</p> <p><a href="#">Foster Care - Introduction to PACE: Foster Care - introduction to PACE (learningpool.com)</a></p>

<b>Year 1 E-Learning</b>		
NSCP Working Together to Safeguard Children – Pre Course <b>E-Learning</b>	1 hour	Available on demand - <a href="#">Course: NSCP Working Together to Safeguard Children - Pre course eLearning (learningpool.com)</a>
Awareness of Child Abuse and Neglect (NSCP) <b>E-Learning</b>	1 hour	Available on demand - <a href="https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=233">https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=233</a>
Fire Safety for Foster Carer Homes <b>E-Learning</b> - <b>Refresher required every 3 years</b>	1 hour	Available on demand - <a href="#">Course: Fire Safety for Foster Care Homes (learningpool.com)</a>
Foster Care Recording Information <b>E-Learning</b>	1 hour	Available on demand - <a href="#">Course: Foster Care Recording Information (learningpool.com)</a>
TSDS Workbook		To be completed within one year of approval

**Year 2 Development Plan (Mandatory Training) – With links, dates, times and availability**

Course Title	Duration	How to complete
Promoting Resilience and Recovery through Therapeutic Relationships (4 sessions) <b>Webinar</b>  <b>Must have completed Introduction to PACE (Year 1 List)</b>	4 x 4 hrs	Four sessions to complete - must have completed Intro to PACE from Year 1 list <a href="https://nottsccllearningpool.com/course/view.php?id=650">https://nottsccllearningpool.com/course/view.php?id=650</a>  November Block –Mon 7 <sup>th</sup> , 14 <sup>th</sup> , 21 <sup>st</sup> and 28 <sup>th</sup> Nov 10am to 2pm FULL - PLEASE JOIN WAITING LIST  February Block – Wed 1 <sup>st</sup> , 8 <sup>th</sup> , 22 <sup>nd</sup> Feb and 1 <sup>st</sup> March - 10am to 2pm (7 spaces)
<b>*NSCP Safeguarding Children Today Level 3 (Refresh every 12 months) Webinar</b>	2.5 hrs	<a href="https://nottsccllearningpool.com/course/view.php?id=359">https://nottsccllearningpool.com/course/view.php?id=359</a>  Wed 16 <sup>th</sup> Nov, Wed 11 <sup>th</sup> Jan, Thur 23 <sup>rd</sup> March  All 9.30 am to 12:00 - Plenty of spaces on all

**Year 3 Development Plan (Mandatory Training) – With links, dates, times, and availability**

Course Title	Duration	How to Complete
<p><b>*NSCP Child Sexual Exploitation 1 – Recognising and Responding to CSE Level 3 Webinar</b>  <b>Session 1 is mandatory – however please see sessions 2-4 on Optional list as it recommended to complete the full block</b></p>	2.5 hours	<p><a href="#">Course: NSCP Child Sexual Exploitation 1 – Recognising &amp; Responding to CSE Level 3 (learningpool.com)</a></p> <p>No upcoming dates</p>
<p><b>*NSCP Child Criminal Exploitation 1 – Tackling CCE Effectively – Level 3 Webinar</b></p>	2.5 hours	<p><a href="#">Course: NSCP Child Criminal Exploitation 1 - Tackling CCE Effectively Level 3 (learningpool.com)</a></p> <p>No upcoming dates</p>
<p>NSCP Child Criminal Exploitation 2 – CCE, County Lines and the Police – Level 3 <b>Webinar</b></p>	1.5 hours	<p><a href="#">Course: NSCP Child Criminal Exploitation 2 - CCE, County Lines and the Police Level 3 (learningpool.com)</a></p> <p>No upcoming dates</p>
<p>Foster Carer Post 3 Years Approved Therapeutic Workshops</p> <p><b>Please note that monthly workshops are on offer with differing content and will be offered on a rolling programme throughout the year</b></p>	2 hours per workshop	<p><a href="#">Notts CC LMS : Search results (learningpool.com)</a>  (link to all 3 sessions)</p> <p><b>Must have completed Promoting Resilience and Recovery webinars (on Year 2 list)</b></p> <p>Session 1 Wed 7<sup>th</sup> Dec 10 spaces  Session 2 –Wed 11<sup>th</sup> Jan 14 spaces  Session 3 – Wed 26<sup>th</sup> Oct 19 spaces</p> <p><b>(Must be completed in order 1-3) All sessions 10am to 12pm</b></p>
<p>Post 3 Years Approved Reflective Therapeutic Consultation Workshop - <b>Webinar</b></p>	2hours	<p><a href="#">Course: Post 3 Years Approved Reflective Therapeutic Consultation Workshop (learningpool.com)</a></p> <p>Wed 16<sup>th</sup> Nov, Thur 8<sup>th</sup> Dec, Wed 18<sup>th</sup> Jan, Wed 15<sup>th</sup> March Plenty of spaces  Complete after Sessions 1-3 Therapeutic Workshops above</p>

## Optional Training Courses

Course Title	Duration	How to complete
Foster Care Recording, and Reporting <b>Webinar</b>	2 hours	Wed 30 <sup>th</sup> Nov, (11 spaces) Tues 28 <sup>th</sup> March (19 spaces) – both 10am to 12pm <a href="https://nottssc.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=300">https://nottssc.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=300</a>
TSDS Workbook workshop (for those who have not yet finished the workbook) <b>Webinar</b>	2 hours	8 <sup>th</sup> Nov 1pm to 2pm, 10 <sup>th</sup> Jan 10am to 11am or 6.30pm to 7.30pm, 4 <sup>th</sup> May 1pm to 2pm or 6pm to 7pm About 15 spaces on each <a href="#">Course: Training support and development standards workbook - virtual drop in session (learningpool.com)</a>
Foster Carer Managing Allegations and concerns <b>Webinar</b>	2.5 hours	Tues 29 <sup>th</sup> Nov, Wed 29 <sup>th</sup> March both 10am to 12.30pm Plenty of spaces <a href="#">Course: Foster Carers Managing Allegations and Concerns (learningpool.com)</a>
Foster Carer Bereavement and Loss <b>Webinar</b>	2 hours	No upcoming dates <a href="https://nottssc.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=452">https://nottssc.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=452</a>
Foster Carer Promoting Positive Behaviour <b>Webinar</b>	2 hours	Wed 25 Jan 10am to 12pm 10 spaces <a href="https://nottssc.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=287">https://nottssc.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=287</a>
FC Sensory Processing Disorders - including six senses <b>Webinar</b>	3 hours	Fri 13 <sup>th</sup> Jan, 9.30 am to 12.30pm plenty of spaces <a href="https://nottssc.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=480">https://nottssc.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=480</a>
Foster Care Youth mental health First Aid <b>Face to face training</b>	Full day x 2	Tue 21 <sup>st</sup> Feb <b>and</b> Thur 23 <sup>rd</sup> Feb 9am to 5pm in Edwinstowe - both dates to attend - 13 spaces  or Thur 30 <sup>th</sup> <b>and</b> Fri 31 <sup>st</sup> March at Kirkby in Ashfield 9am to 5pm Both dates to attend – 4 spaces  <a href="#">Course: Foster Care Youth Mental Health First Aid (learningpool.com)</a>
Foster Carer Preparing LAC for Transitions/Independence <b>Webinar</b>	4 hours	No upcoming dates <a href="https://nottssc.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=453">https://nottssc.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=453</a>

Foster Carer Drug Awareness (including new psychoactive substances) <b>Webinar</b>	2 hours	Mon 7 Nov, Thur 23 March both 10am to 12pm – about 15-20 spaces <a href="https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=475">https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=475</a>
Foster Care PDA Pathological Demand Avoidance <b>Webinar</b>	5 hours over 2 days	Thurs 2nd March <b>and</b> 9th March 2023 10am to 12:30 pm ATTEND BOTH DATES 20 spaces <a href="https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=420">https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=420</a>
Foster Care Helping children who self-harm <b>Webinar</b>	5 hours	Mon 6 March 2023 10am to 3pm 22 spaces <a href="https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=285">https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=285</a>
Compassion fatigue and resilience <b>Webinar</b>	4 hours	Wed 23 Nov - 10am to 2pm FULL - PLEASE JOIN WAITING LIST <a href="#">Notts CC LMS : Search results (learningpool.com)</a>
Foster Carer Keeping Children Safe On-line <b>webinar</b>	3 hours	Sat 28 Jan 10am to 1pm plenty of spaces <a href="#">Course: Foster Carer 'Keeping Children Safe on-line' (learningpool.com)</a>
Foster Care Caring for Babies and Newborns <b>webinar</b>	2 hours	No upcoming dates <a href="#">Foster Care Caring for Babies and Newborns: Foster Care Caring for Babies and Newborns (learningpool.com)</a>
*NSCP Child Sexual Exploitation 2 -Tackling CSE Effectively <b>webinar</b> <b>(Please see Child Sexual Exploitation 1 on the Year 3 Mandatory List)</b>	2.5 hours	No upcoming dates <a href="#">Course: NSCP Child Sexual Exploitation 2– Tackling CSE Effectively Level 3 (learningpool.com)</a>
*NSCP Child Sexual Exploitation 3 - Trauma & Specialist Support <b>webinar</b>	2 hours	No upcoming dates <a href="#">Course: NSCP Child Sexual Exploitation 3 – Trauma &amp; Specialist Support Level 3 (learningpool.com)</a>

*NSCP Child Sexual Exploitation 4 - Grooming and the Police's Role <b>webinar</b>	2.5 hours	No upcoming dates  <a href="#">Course: NSCP Child Sexual Exploitation 4– Grooming and the Police's Role Level 3 (learningpool.com)</a>
<p>Post 3 Years Approved Reflective Therapeutic Workshops</p> <p>Ongoing monthly therapeutic workshops will be offered with differing content and will be offered on a rolling program throughout the year – foster carers will attend following discussion with their SSW.</p> <p><b>Pre-requisite – must have completed promoting resilience and recovery through therapeutic relationships training Year 2 list)</b></p>	2 hours	<p><a href="#">Course: Foster Carer Post 3 Years Approved Reflective Therapeutic Workshop Session 1 (learningpool.com)</a> <b>Session 1</b> Wed 7<sup>th</sup> Dec 10am to 12pm 10 spaces</p> <p><a href="#">Foster Carer Post 3 Years Approved Reflective Therapeutic Workshop Session 2: Foster Carer Post 3 Years Approved Reflective Therapeutic Workshop session 2 (learningpool.com)</a> <b>Session 2</b> Wed 11<sup>th</sup> Jan 10am to 12pm 14 spaces</p> <p><a href="#">Course: Foster Carer Post 3 Years Approved Reflective Therapeutic Workshop session 3 (learningpool.com)</a> <b>Session 3</b> Wed 26<sup>th</sup> Oct 18 spaces</p> <p><b>Must complete in order - sessions 1, 2, 3</b></p> <p><b>Post 3 Years Approved Reflective Therapeutic Consultations Workshop (after sessions 1-3 above)</b> <a href="#">Course: Post 3 Years Approved Reflective Therapeutic Consultation Workshop (learningpool.com)</a>  Wed 16<sup>th</sup> Nov, Thur 8<sup>th</sup> Dec, Wed 18<sup>th</sup> Jan, Wed 15<sup>th</sup> Mar All 10am to 12pm Plenty of spaces</p>
<b>NSCP Harmful Sexual Behaviour Level 3 Part 1 Recognising and Responding to HSB Webinar</b>	3 hours	<p>Thur 12<sup>th</sup> January 9.30am to 12:30pm (2 spaces) Wed 8<sup>th</sup> March 9.30am to 12:30pm Plenty of spaces <a href="#">Course: NSCP Harmful Sexual Behaviour 1 - Recognising and Responding to HSB Level 3 (learningpool.com)</a></p>
<b>NSCP Harmful Sexual Behaviour Level 3 Part 2 The Assessment Process and Useful Assessment Tools Webinar</b>	3 hours	<p>Thur 19<sup>th</sup> January 9.30am to 12:30pm Wed 15<sup>th</sup> March 9.30am to 12:30pm Plenty of spaces on both</p>



		<a href="#">Course: NSCP Harmful Sexual Behaviour 2 – The Assessment Process and useful Assessment Tools Level 3 (learningpool.com)</a>
<b>Safeguarding Children Growing up in a Connected World. Level 3 Webinar</b>	2.5 hours	Mon 28 <sup>th</sup> Nov 9.30am to 12.00 pm COURSE FULL - JOIN WAITING LIST 9 <sup>th</sup> March 9.30am to 12.00pm COURSE FULL – JOIN WAITING LIST <a href="#">NSCP Safeguarding Children Growing up in a Connected World (learningpool.com)</a>
<b>Foster Carer Compassionate Listener 1-1 webinar</b> Follow link for further info. Discuss with your SSW if booking this session.	1 hour	Fri 16 <sup>th</sup> Nov 3-4pm, Thur 8 <sup>th</sup> Dec 1pm to 2 pm or 3pm to 4pm, Wed 18 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1pm to 2pm or 3pm to 4pm, Wed 15 <sup>th</sup> March 1pm to 2pm or 3pm to 4pm One space on each as 1-1 session.  <a href="#">Course: Foster Carers Compassionate Listener (learningpool.com)</a>
<b>E Learning</b>		
Foster Care Food Safety Level 1 <b>E-Learning</b>	1-2 hours	Available on demand - <a href="https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=620">https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=620</a>
NCC Treating People Fairly ( <b>E-learning</b> )	1-2 hours	Available on demand - <a href="https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=70">https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=70</a>
NCC Trans Awareness ( <b>E-learning</b> )	1-2 hours	Available on demand <a href="https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=230">https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=230</a>
Autism awareness 2016 ( <b>E-learning</b> )	1-2 hours	Available on demand <a href="https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=78">https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=78</a>
Infection control ( <b>E-learning</b> )	1-2 hours	Available on demand <a href="https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=591">https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/course/view.php?id=591</a>
Learning Disability Awareness ( <b>E-learning</b> )	1-2 hours	Available on demand <a href="#">Course: Learning Disability Awareness (learningpool.com)</a>
Managing Medicines <b>E-Learning</b>	1-2 hours	Available on demand <a href="https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/enrol/index.php?id=588">https://nottsccl.learningpool.com/enrol/index.php?id=588</a>
Foster Carer Mind of My Own <b>E-Learning</b>	2 hours	Available on demand - <a href="#">Foster Care Mind of My Own e-learning (learningpool.com)</a>
<b>NSCP Self Harm and Suicidal Thoughts in Children and Young People E-Learning</b>	1-2 hours	Available on demand – <a href="#">Course: Self-Harm and Suicidal Thoughts in children &amp; young people (learningpool.com)</a>

