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| **Letters and Sounds:**  **How to support children’s early reading and writing** |
| **Format: Inhouse whole team training for your setting** |
| **Audience: Practitioners working in preschools and nurseries (toddler and preschool rooms)** |
| The work that practitioners do in settings, alongside parents, is key to the early acquisition of language, phonic knowledge, awareness of print and understanding that marks have meaning. Delegates will develop their understanding of strategies to support children’s early reading and writing, starting with phonics. Letters and Sounds is a nationally recognised system of introducing children to the skills and knowledge they need in order to become readers and writers.  This course is specifically designed to suit the needs of the settings. It can be delivered during daytime/evenings/Saturdays or school holidays to facilitate as wide an audience as possible, within a setting or group of settings. The course consists of 3, two and a half hour sessions, with gap tasks between and could be followed by a visit to the setting to support staff with implementation of aspects of the course. The course can be run for a minimum of 6 and a maximum of 30 delegates. Prices vary according to the number of delegates.  As a result of attending this course, delegates will have developed their understanding of:   * The EYFS Statutory Framework and Development Matters * Letters and Sounds * The role of the adults in supporting early reading and writing * How provision can effectively support early reading and writing   **All delegates must bring a copy of:**   * EYFS Statutory Framework * EYFS Development Matters * Letters and Sounds (downloadable from   www.gov.uk/government/publications/letters-and-sounds  **Course Leaders:** Al Carroll and Kathryn Gray  **How to book:** Please contact Al by email or phone  E: [alisonruthcarroll@gmail.co.uk](mailto:alisonruthcarroll@gmail.co.uk)  T: 07815065071  **Total cost for the course:**  Minimum of 6: £75 person  Minimum of 10: £60 per person  Minimum of 20: £50 per person  Optional setting visit £90 (2.5 hours)  On receipt of booking, settings will be invoiced for a deposit of £25 per delegate. This deposit should be paid prior to the 2nd session.  **Cancellation charges** (unless due to illness):  With less than 3 working days’ notice - 50% charge  With at least 3 working days’ notice - no charge |