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Healthy Living and Learning

Free e-Bug Educator Training

Delivered by GHLL Lead Teachers, e-Bug training combines information, demonstration, and discussion on how to deliver fun, engaging and practical learning on microbes, infection prevention, control and treatment.

e-Bug materials are free to schools, and link to Science, PSHE and RSHE curriculums. To book you place for training in May or June, email ghll@gloucestershire.gov.uk or click here.



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Live Reporting on Mental Health in Gloucestershire

TIC+ is a local mental health charity working with children and young people across Gloucestershire. They are proud to have launched a Live Impact Dashboard providing real time information on issues, demographics, trends and importantly, the impact that early intervention can achieve.

TIC+ are believed to be the first Mental Health charity in the UK to produce a dashboard of live data.



View the dashboard here

Congratulations to Gloucestershire's Healthy Schools

Well done to each of the schools below for their efforts and successes.

The following schools have been reaccredited with their Healthy Schools Award:

Bledington Primary School Calton Primary School Carrant Brook Junior School Cranham CofE Primary School Hatherley Infant School Kingsholm CofE Primary School Kingsway Primary School Northleach Cof E Primary School Rowanfield Infant School Rowanfield Junior School The Milestone School

Learn more about GHLL awards Newly awarded: Soudley School

Pupil Wellbeing Survey 2022 Now Closed

Pupilinform

The PWS 2022 has now closed. Thank you to all the students who took part and the school staff that made the running of the survey possible.

In the upcoming months, the survey data will be uploaded to the Pupilinform database. Individual school reports will also be sent out to education establishments that participated, and a county level report will be available online.

Once data is available to view on Pupilinform, teachers and support staff will be given the opportunity to take part in training to understand how they can access their results and make the most out of the Pupilinform data set. Training is likely to be held at the end of the Summer term and at the start of the next academic year; further details will be released in due course.



Message from GHLL

We hope you've had an enjoyable Easter break - the weather is looking brighter which will certainly lift our moods.

With the summer term starting, schools will be supporting pupils with upcoming SATs and exams. This can be a stressful time, so it is important to look after yourselves and each other.

We hope you find this content useful; if you wish to see a particular feature in a future edition, please do get in touch.

As always, the GHLL team is available to support you - do not hesitate to contact us: ghll@gloucestershire.gov.uk

Fiona and the team.



Anti-Bullying Week & Free CPD

Anti-Bullying Week is scheduled to take place from Monday 14th - Friday 18th November. The theme will be launched in May 2022 and announced here.

The Anti-Bullying Alliance offer a comprehensive suite of free online CPD courses across a range of topics including cyberbullying, mental health and bullying, sexual bullying, and more.



Learning and Teaching



Guidance & Resources

Free Consent Resources for Primary and Secondary Schools

GHLL has collaborated with the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (OPCC) to create resources for primary schools on the topic of consent which include an animation, lesson plans, and resources.

An additional suite of learning and teaching materials for secondary schools, created by GHLL and Gloucestershire County Council's Safeguarding team, covers topics including permission seeking, dealing with rejection, introduction to sexual consent, sexual harassment, and more. The package includes a film, scheme of work, and supplementary resources.

Explore the KS2 - KS3 resources

Explore the KS3 – KS4 resources

KS3 - KS4 resources coming soon!







Free KS2 - KS4 Resources on Parental Separation and Children's Rights

Rosie's Story is a fun and interactive two-part PSHE lesson plan on the topic of parental separation for Upper Key Stage 2 pupils. The resource was devised by Prof. Anne Barlow and Dr Jan Ewing at Exeter Law School in collaboration with The National Youth Advocacy Service (NYAS) and The National Association of Child Contact Centres (NACCC).

'The Rights Idea?' lesson plan for Upper **Key Stage 3** and **Key Stage 4** pupils explores children's rights when parents separate. PSHE Association Quality Assured Resource PSHE

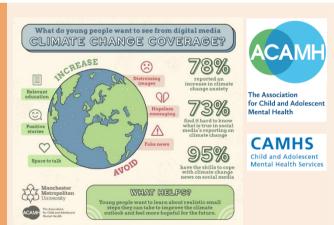
ead more & access the resource



Mental Health and the Global **Ecological Crisis**

ACAMH is providing events, podcasts, and Open Access papers on the mental health implications of climate change. There is an ongoing debate about how relevant the topic should be for mental health professionals, and those that work with children. CAMHS have produced evidence and action plans to help address the topic.

View the content here



Free Revision App

Gojimo offer a free app to support GCSE and A-Level revision. Content can be optimised according to exam board specifications.

Learn more here

Knife Crime Toolkit

Free resource designed for use with young people at risk of carrying or using a knife.

View and download it here



New Anti-Racism Resources

10 practical resources designed around a 5step framework to create a whole-school approach to mental health and wellbeing.

<u>Available</u> <u>here</u>



Staying Mentally Healthy During Exams

Activities, resources. and lesson plans to support staff and students ahead of exams.

Available <u>here</u>

Youngminds

DfE Exam Preparation Tips

Guidance available <u>here</u>





Wellbeing Ideas

Ideas and Resources for Classrooms



The latest newsletter from the SEAL Community provides a wealth of ideas for supporting and teaching wellbeing including:

- A wellbeing resource collection
- Ideas for celebrating **Empathy Day** on 9th June (the 2022 theme is: empathy, our human superpower)
- Tips for designing a therapeutic space during your next classroom makeover
- A guide to creating a calmer class in four weeks
- A link to the SEAL YouTube channel
- Easy ideas to nurture pupil's mental health

View the SEAL newsletter here





Teacher Wellbeing Blog



The Department for Education's blog is produced by teachers, for teachers. The blog has a page dedicated to teacher wellbeing and features posts on the topics of reducing workload, finding belonging, building a flexible working culture within schools, and more.

Read the articles blog

Learn more about the blog, or contribute



Positive News and Self-Help Magazine

Free to read online here

'Meaningful May' Calendar (Action for Happiness) - Download it here

WEDNESDAY

Send your

from a time

11 Look around

for things that

bring you a sense of awe

and wonder

Send a hand-

written note to

friend a photo

Meaningful May 2022

SUNDAY Do something kind for

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Set yourself a kindness

mission to help

others today

to contribute to your local

Focus on what you can do rather you can't do

MONDAY

What values are important to you? Find ways to use them today

Show your gratitude to people who are helping to make

things you've done that you

Make have a positive impact for others today

TUESDAY

Take a step

however small

Be grateful

things, even in difficult times

Find a way to make what you do today

someone you care about

someone else what matters most to them **THURSDAY**

know how much they mean to vou and why

Listen to a favourite piece of music and remember what it means to you

Reflect on what makes you feel valued and

Remember your life that meaningful

FRIDAY

Look for people doing good and reasons to be

Find out about traditions of

Share photos of 3 things you find meaningful or memorable

Focus on actions make a difference

21 Look up at the sky. Remember we are all part bigger

SATURDAY

of what matters most to you

and why

Get outside

the beauty in nature

Do something special and revisit it in your memory tonight



Today do something to care for the

to help a project or charity you

care about

Share a quote you find inspiring to give others a boost

are proud of

Find three reasons to be hopeful about







ACTION FOR HAPPINESS <

Happier · Kinder · Together

Support & Services

Support for Staff

Education Support



UK charity dedicated to supporting the mental health and wellbeing of teachers and education staff in schools, colleges and universities.

- Helpline: 08000 562 561
- Visit the website
- Poster to direct staff to wellbeing support services.

Employee Assistance Programme (EAP)



School staff and their dependent family members can access free personal, financial and legal support from a 24 hour **Employee Assistance Programme** (EAP). Gloucestershire County Council has extended access to the EAP until 31st August 2022. The EAP is free of charge to all schools as part of the LA's response to the challenges faced post pandemic.

- Helpline: 0800 030 5182
- Poster

Occupational Health



The Occupational Health team are here to help support the health and wellbeing needs of staff. Whether it is a sudden death of a member of staff or the death of a pupil there is support available.

Occupational Health have an in-house counselling team and can offer on-site support in certain circumstances where a group of staff have been affected by a life changing or serious event.

- **Contact:** 01452 425073 (option 1)
- OHU@gloucestershire.gov.uk
- **Read more here**



Mental Health Services for Children and Young People in Gloucestershire

Samaritans for all ages, if you need someone to talk to, we listen. We won't judge or tell you what to do.

(Available 24/7)

Email: jo@samartians.org

Download the
Samaritans Self – Help

SAMARITANS



Teens in Crisis (TIC+) for 9 – 21 years living in Glaucestershire. Free, confidential counselling by phone, online text chat or video chat.

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 www.ticplus.org.uk
 Call 01994 372777
 Text 07520 634063
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 inline live chat. (Available
 kun Thurs 5pm 9pm) Stic+

- phone 0800 1111 nload the ChildLine

ChildLine

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for 11 to 18 year olds.
An online platform to help
with anyone experiencing
issues with their emotional
wellbeing, such as ansiety,
low mood or stress. Acces
counselling, arisides and
peer support forums.

https://www.knosh.com

https://www.kooth.com/ Available 24/7

for 11 to 19 year olds. A confidential text messaging service provided by Gloucestershire Health and Care NHS Foundation Trust School Nursing Team.

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» http://www.ghc.nhs.uk/
our-teams-and-services/
school-nursing/
» Text 07507 333351

www.youngminds.org.uk

YOUNGMINDS



Gloucestershire Self-Harm Helpline for all ages. Provides confidential safe, supportive, non-judgemental and informative space for people who self-harm, their friends, families and carers

Support available between 5pm - 10pm either by: online chat at www. gloucestershireselfharm.

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just how you are feeling that week.
Young people can be referred or can refer
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www.youngglos.org.uk/young-people/ mental-health
 Email: getinvolved@youngglos.org.uk





Click here to see more

New Podcast from Active Gloucestershire

Active Gloucestershire have launched their new podcast Free range children – The importance of play to inspire, connect and enable community groups, clubs, and organisations to help them get people active.

Listen here



Exam Results Stress

Young Minds have dedicated webpages offering support and advice on the topic of exam stress.

Advice for young people **Advice for parents**



New App from Keep Safe Gloucestershire

The new Keep Safe app aims to support users to stay independent by providing information on safe places that they can access if support is needed when they are out in the community.

Learn more about the app

New Support After Suicide Service

Gloucestershire's new service provides support for people aged 18+ who have been bereaved by suicide. This includes family, partners, friends, colleagues, and professionals.



Find the help that's right for you

Anonymous mental health support finder for young people in Gloucestershire



Visit onyourmindglos.nhs. or text 07984 404388

Learn more

Projects and Opportunities



DEMENTIA
ACTION WEEK
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Making contact, showing interest, giving your time, listening to someone elderly, are all great gifts to give. By connecting with someone who may be lonely, who may have dementia, or may at times seem invisible to the outside world not only helps them but, in turn, makes us feel good about ourselves.

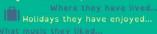


Choose someone who you would like to interview. This could be an elderly family member, a neighbour, a family friend, a care home resident, or someone else you feel would be suitable.



Find out as much as you can about them!

Things about their past...



...Or anything else you can think of! You could make notes or record your interview.



Create a visual display of all that you have found out. This could be a collage, drawing, photographs, paintings, a storyboard... it's up to you! You might want to annotate your creation.



Take a photograph of your project. Submit it, via your school, in an email entitled 'Open Mic' to ghll@gloucestershire.gov.uk Include your name, year group, and the name of your school/college in your entry.

Prizes for pupils in Key Stages 2-5. Closing date: 6th June 2022.

Learn more here



<u>Visit the SkillZone website</u>

<u>Download a copy of the SkillZone poster</u>

Platform

Platform is a rail education scheme that works with



schools to improve young people's understanding of sustainable and healthy travel, and build knowledge of rail-safety. They can offer:

- Free in-school workshops linked to careers and areas of the curriculum
- Free rail-familiarisation trips
- Bespoke, local resources

Visit the website

Free 12 Week Healthy Lifestyles Course for Families

Aimed at 5-15 year olds and their families, the course covers healthy snacking, balanced meals, portion size and keeping active together.

Lydney Community Centre 23rd May – 25th July, 4.30pm - 6.30pm

Podsmead Community Centre 24th May - 26th July, 4.30pm - 6.30pm

St Paul and St Stephen's Church 25th May – 27th July, 5pm - 7pm



Visit the website to make a referral

Celebrate LGBTQ+ Equality and Inclusivity

Celebrate achievements and contributions made towards LGBTQ+ equality and inclusivity and learn about the remaining challenges.

Find out more

Join with this link

VIRTUAL CELEBRATION **PROUDER TOGETHER

Active Dads Gloucestershire

Informal drop-in group for dads and their children aged 3 - 11 years.



Participate in active games, parachute activities, ball games, den building, and more. Alongside adult led activities there will also be free play activities available during each session. Meet and chat to other dads, or simply come and do some activities with your children. Snack, tea and coffee is provided.

The group runs on the last Saturday of every month 1.30pm to 2.30pm.

Visit the website

Contact email: hollytaylor@activeconnections.org

Free CPD

MAY				
Wednesday 25th May 2022 -18:00 Book here	Why sleeping well matters and what you can do to improve it! - Christine Curl Is it really true that we can cut sleep and get away with it? And what if it's a struggle to get to sleep? During this webinar, Christine will explain why sleep matters to our young people's physical and mental health and what is happening in the body and mind when you sleep. She will suggest some ideas and habits to build to improve the quality of your sleep and your children's sleep.	Charlie Waller		
Tuesday 10th May 2022 – 12:00 Book here Tuesday 17th May 2022 – 18:00 Book here	It's normal to feel lonely sometimes. However, now with the COVID-19 pandemic isolating young people perhaps more than ever before, if it looks and feels like these feelings are taking over in young people, we want to be there. As parents, carers and educators we want to be able to recognise the signs, and this presentation will help us to have a better understanding of loneliness. The session will help us feel more confident to offer support to our young people experiencing symptoms of loneliness, who may have barriers in trusting others. We will look at ways of starting a conversation and discuss ways to help and potential signposting for young people to know there is support available. Our goal is for us to help the young person to feel less alone and for them to feel comfortable to reach out and choose something or someone to connect with.	Charlie Waller		
Thursday 12 th May 2022 – 9:00 (2 hours 30 mins Book here	Transgender Awareness: Supporting Transgender Children and Young People This workshop is delivered online via zoom and designed to be an information-gathering session with time to explore particular steps that could be considered as are commended pathway to supporting a young person who is questioning or looking for support with thoughts around their gender. This will be helpful for school staff, teachers, care workers, or anyone who is currently supporting a young person or a child professionally in the community. The content has been carefully considered to cover both practical and emotional challenges, and how these may influence a young person and their surroundings whilst going through this experience. We talk through what affirming support is and its benefits and how organisational processes can support alleviating any additional stress for the person/s involved. Topics also include gender-variant individuals, terminology and language, pronouns, the equalities act, and issues that may arise through this experience.	Gloucestershire Healthy Living and Learning		
Thursday 19 th May 2022 Thursday 26 th May 2022	e-Bug Training e-Bug resources support students to learn about microbes, infection prevention and control, antibiotics and vaccination. Each lesson plan is mapped to the National Curriculum and includes activities, handouts, worksheets and adaptable content.	Gloucestershire Healthy Living and Learning		

Morning sessions 9:15 (2 hours 45 mins) Afternoon sessions 13:00 (2 hours 30 mins) Book here	GHLL are offering free face-to-face half day training to support the role out of e-Bug and the use of the resource pack. This guidance covers key infection, prevention and control topics to supplement your Health Curriculum and is also DfE approved. It is a progressive resource which you can use from EYFS through to Key Stage One and Two.				
Tuesday 24 th May 2022 – 17:00 (1 hour) Book here	CAMHS Around the Campfire Journal Club: Technology-delivered CBT for paediatric anxiety disorders – Matti Cervin The efficacy of technology-delivered cognitive-behavioral therapy (tCBT) for pediatric anxiety disorders (ADs) is uncertain as no meta-analysis has examined outcomes in trials that used structured diagnostic assessments at pre- and posttreatment. A systematic review and meta-analysis was undertaken of randomized controlled trials of tCBT for pediatric ADs that included participants <18 years of age with a confirmed primary AD according to a structured diagnostic interview. Nine studies with 711 participants were included.	CAMHS Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services			
Thursday 26 th May 2022 – 17:00 (45 mins) Book here	Explore the evidence-base, focus on the facts, and bust some of the myths around Anxiety. This webinar is aimed at parents, mental health professionals, special education professionals, and those with an interest in Anxiety. Anxiety disorders in children and young people are common and can have a significant impact on mental health and well-being. Anxiety disorders can affect family, school and social life, leisure activities and educational achievement and they often occur alongside other mental health problems. They are particularly prevalent in children with autism spectrum disorder and ADHD.	The Association for Child and Adolescent Mental Health			
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Thursday 9 th June 2022 Thursday 23 rd June 2022 Thursday 30 th June 2022 Morning sessions 9:15 (2 hours 45 mins)	e-Bug resources support students to learn about microbes, infection prevention and control, antibiotics and vaccination. Each lesson plan is mapped to the National Curriculum and includes activities, handouts, worksheets and adaptable content. GHLL are offering free face-to-face half day training to support the role out of e-Bug and the use of the resource pack. This guidance covers key infection, prevention and control topics to supplement your Health Curriculum and is also DfE approved. It is a progressive resource which you can use from EYFS through to Key Stage One and Two.	Gloucestershire Healthy Living and Learning			

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Friday 10 th June 2022 – 12:00 (2 hours) Book here Wednesday 29 th June 2022 – 18:00 (2 hours) Book here	Perfectionism in Young People: Practical Tips for Parents, Carers and Staff - Jenny Langley During this webinar, Jenny will support participants to understand what resilience is and its place in perfectionism. She will look at how to support our young people to tolerate failure. Jenny offers a toolbox of simple and practical, evidence-based skills which includes advice on how to role-model our learning from our mistakes and making a "good enough" effort a healthy approach to have.	Charlie Waller
Wednesday 15 th June 2022 – 12:00 (2 hours) Book here Tuesday 28 th June 2022 – 18:00 (2 hours) Book here	County Lines and Safeguarding: The Teen Brain, Crime and Gangs - Alex Cochrane and Debbie Spens This presentation is for parents, carers, educators and anyone working with young people to gain a better understanding of gangs and crime. You will learn how to recognise the signs of exploitation and to support young people at risk of being drawn into crime and being potentially targeted and exploited. We will look at the impact of crime on people's mental health and on our communities at large. We look at risk, safeguarding and understanding the different stages of young people's brain development in relation to criminal activity. We will explore the signs within our communities, the challenges and various support in our local community and UK-wide. We know that everyone is affected by crime, directly or indirectly. Safeguarding young people is paramount and we offer guidance on having the confidence to approach this area and the impact it will have on the wellbeing of all concerned. We know that county lines are growing across the UK and we will look at young people who are mostly likely to be exploited or who are attracted to or targeted in this area. By having the information, knowledge and understanding we need, we can feel more confident to offer interventions and support to our young people, to protect their futures and their wellbeing.	Charlie Waller
Thursday 16th June 2022 13:00 (2 hours 30 mins) Book here	Protective Behaviours - Keeping Myself Safe 'Keeping Myself Safe' is based on the Protective Behaviours programme and is a school-based resource designed to teach KS1 and Upper KS2 children: - That they all have the right to be safe all the time - How to recognise situations where they do not feel safe - How to manage unsafe situations - How to recognise their network of support. The resource can be used alongside other GHLL resources to help schools deliver elements of the PinK Curriculum, particularly the 'Developing Risk Management' theme at both KS1 and KS2.	Gloucestershire Healthy Living and Learning

Thursday 16th	Staff Wellbeing On-line Training	
June 2022 15:30 (90 mins) Book here	This Staff Wellbeing Training session will allow staff chance to focus upon themselves and will include the following: - An opportunity to share concerns and best practice - An exploration of what helps during Covid and beyond - Sign posting to resources.	Gloucestershire Healthy Living and Learning
Tuesday 21st June 2022 –	Anxiety – Pedagogy in Practice	
15:45 (75 mins) Book here	Anxiety is a part of life and some anxiety is essential because it helps us to act to protect ourselves and ensure our safety. However, anxiety can become problematic when it is out of proportion to the threat in the environment, causes distress and interferes with children and young people's everyday lives. When this occurs it is often considered to be an 'anxiety disorder'. Anxiety disorders are extremely common and often start in childhood or adolescence. They can have a significant and ongoing impact on mental health and well-being. Anxiety disorders can affect family, school and social life, leisure activities and educational achievement. Teachers have a role to play in supporting children and adolescents to understand anxiety as part of the new RSHE curriculum, as well as needing to feel confident that they can recognise the impact it may have on the children they work with. This webinar brings together teachers from a range of settings to consider how they are supporting pupils in the school to understand anxiety. Event attendees will have access not just to the event itself but to supporting materials and resources to help them embed effective practice in their schools.	The Association for Child and Adolescent Mental Health
Tuesday 28th	Self-Harm Awareness Online Training	
June 2022 – 15:30 (90 mins) Book here	In response to the training needs of schools and adapting to the current situation of school closures, we are pleased to be able to offer school staff the opportunity to take part in an online CPD training session around self-harm. The aim of the session is to build confidence around the subject of self-harm by reducing stigma, anxiety and fear and will be delivered by Satveer Nijjar , an expert in her field. This 1.5 hour Zoom session will aim to include: - Statistics and definition of self-harm - Why people turn to self-harm — triggers and functions - Myths & language use - How to support someone in your school who self-harms - Broaching suspected self-harm - Alternative strategies, focusing on stopping and more.	Gloucestershire Healthy Living and Learning
Tuesday 28 th June 2022 – 17:00 Book here	CAMHS Around the Campfire Journal Club: Adolescent Gender Diversity – Akhgar Ghassabian Gender diversity in young adolescents is understudied outside of referral clinics. This webinar discusses the paper 'Adolescent gender diversity: sociodemographic correlates and mental health outcomes in the general population', which investigated gender diversity in an urban, ethnically diverse sample of adolescents from the general population and examined predictors and associated mental health outcomes.	CAMHS Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services

Wednesday 29th June 2022 – 17:00 (45 mins) Book here

Myth Busting Hearing Voices - Sarah Parry

Many people hear voices, it is a relatively common human experience. Naturally there a number of different experiences of hearing voices, some don't mind them and can like them, whilst others might find them irritating, and in some instances intrusive. But what does the latest research tell us about how this impacts children and young people, and what can we do to help them?



for Child and Adolescent Mental Health

JULY

Tuesday 12th
July 2022
- 15:45 (75
mins)
Book here

Sleep: Pedagogy in Practice

This FREE online event is exclusively for teachers and school leaders, and offers insights into best practice in supporting children and adolescents to understand sleep and the importance of good quality sleep, building on the latest evidence base.



SEPTEMBER

NEW – STARTING IN SEPTEMBER 2022

CPCAB Level 2 Certificate in Counselling Skills & Level 3 Certificate in Counselling Studies

TIC+ is providing training for a CPCAB Level 2 Certificate in Counselling Skills & Level 3 Certificate in Counselling Studies Launching in September 2022. The Level 2 course will be delivered in Gloucester on Mondays over 18 weeks and leads to a nationally regulated qualification award by Counselling and Psychotherapy Central Awarding Body (CPCAB). It's designed for students starting out on their journey to be a professional counsellor or for those who want to learn counselling skills to improve their professional and personal relationships. Successful completion of the CPCAB Level 2 Certificate in Counselling Skills will lead to CPCAB Level 3 Certificate in Counselling Studies, commencing in February 2023 for 18 weeks, until July 2023.



TIC+ has been providing training since 2016 and, every year, their training is judged as outstanding by awarding bodies and their students.

For an information and application pack contact: Sue Cook - training@ticplus.org.uk

Tracey Hannis - 07398 818391