



## March/April 2025 issue: Education Professionals Flyer

### Social communication and autism online training 2025

**An introduction to autism** less than 15 minutes.

- [An introduction to autism for newly qualified teachers](#) - **FREE**
- [Autism introduction](#) - **FREE** A series of short videos created by the department of clinical psychology at the Royal Derby hospital including understanding autism, understanding and supporting emotional regulation and sensory processing integration.

**SEND CPD** – 20 minutes each module

- [Nasen](#) – **FREE** Five brand new SEND CPD units are now available from Nasen, including exploring SEMH and Sensory Processing.

**Online training** 1 hour to full day courses

- [Intensive interaction full day online workshop](#)
- [Understanding behaviour through the autistic lens](#) available on demand.
- [Being an autistic teacher](#) key information for autistic teachers to draw upon and help with their own careers - **FREE**
- [Autism and behaviour](#)
- [Attention autism](#)
- [The girl with the curly hair](#) - podcasts, animations and online courses covering various topics
- [Using visuals to support autistic children](#)
- [Social stories workshop](#)
- [Supporting autistic learners in the secondary school classroom](#)
- [Autism and anxiety](#) includes strategies and resources.
- [The Feelings Detectives Programme](#) - A 12 week coping skills intervention programme for children aged 7 - 13 years using CBT principles.
- [Girls and autism](#) supporting autistic girls in an education setting.
- [ADHD and autism](#) looking at the commonalities and the differences between ADHD and autism.
- [Autism in early years](#) includes understanding behaviour, sensory processing, working with outside agencies, autism friendly EYFS environments, developing communication and attention autism.
- [Why autistic pupils don't want to write](#) supporting autistic pupils who struggle to write.
- [Autism: supporting families](#)
- [Preparing autistic and SEND children for going back to school](#)

- [How to support Autistic young people in relationships and sex education – RSE.](#)
- [Exploring gender diversity in autistic young people](#)
- **NEW** [Developing Numeracy & Maths Skills for Every Day Living](#)

### Sensory processing training

- [Sensory processing awareness](#) Level 1 - **FREE**, Level 2 and 3 modulation, arousal, autism and sensory strategies with resources £50.
- [Autism and sensory experience](#)
- [Introduction to sensory integration difficulties](#) specifically for schools.
- [What is Sensory Integration](#)
- [Developing a Sensory Diet](#)

### University accredited level 2 courses

Understanding autism - **FREE** - Universities offer understanding autism courses.

These can be found on the following websites:

- [Understanding autism level 2](#) from Free Courses England
- [Understanding autism level 2](#) from Home Learning free courses
- [Understanding autism level 2](#) Open University free course
- [Understanding autism, aspergers and ADHD](#) Derby and open university

### Reading, information, resources and guidance online:

- [Ambitious about autism](#)
- [Ambitious about autism toolkit](#)
- [National autistic society](#)
- [Autism education trust](#)
- [Contact](#)
- [Widgit](#)
- [Teacch](#)
- [Carol Gray social stories](#)
- [The Picture Exchange Communication System](#)
- [Home | Spectrum Gaming](#) A range of articles, videos, update, webinar recordings, resources etc on a range of topics.