

## Embedding a sustainable approach to working strategically: family learning in museums, libraries and archives

Regional training and network meetings in the North East and Yorkshire and Humberside regions.

The sessions aim to provide a shared forum for local authority family learning staff and MLA sector staff with case study exchange to support curriculum development and best practice.

### Background and Aim

The aim of the project is to create a sustainable model of regional family learning work, to ensure the continuation of the strategic infrastructure and enable best practice to be shared nationally.

Work will build on the training and network sessions delivered by NIACE between January and June 2010 through the Learning Revolution Festival.

The project will further build the capacity of the family learning and MLA sectors to develop strategic partnerships to enhance delivery, in particular to those families not generally using museums, libraries and archives or engaged in learning and most in need. The project places an emphasis on developing expertise within the sectors to ensure effective positioning to gain the most from the current policy priorities for learning as a family and the informal adult learning agenda. This will include evidencing impact and setting outcomes for family learning work linked to outcomes for children such as Every Child Matters and local priorities linked to government priority areas.

The project runs from July 2010 until February 2011 by which time it is anticipated that the networks will have established clear lines for self-sustainability drawing on expertise and commitment from network members.

### Target audience

Local authority Family Learning staff, children's worker staff, Surestart, Adult Learning staff, literacy officers, inclusion officers (Local Authorities), museums, libraries, galleries and archives staff.

### Fee

The training is free. Training is funded by the MLA Strategic Commissioning Programme, see <http://www.mla.gov.uk/what/programmes/commissioning/CPD> for further opportunities funded through the programme.

For more information, to download an application form or to reserve a place online, visit the NIACE website:

<http://www.niace.org.uk/events>

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## Schedule

The sessions run from 10.00am until 3.00pm and include lunch.

**Yorkshire and the Humber      Monday 4 October 2010      Sheffield**  
Increasing understanding of the key features of Family Learning (FL). Engaging with families most in need. Developing learning outcomes for children and adults and practical analysis of good practice.

**North East      Tuesday 5 October 2010      Durham**  
Increasing understanding of the key features of FL. Engaging with families most in need. Developing learning outcomes for children and adults and practical analysis of good practice.

**Yorkshire and the Humber      Tuesday 12 October 2010      Wakefield**  
Analysing skills developed in different FL activities. Developing a FL programme linked to museums and archives. Developing strategies for evidencing outcomes and impact.

**North East      Wednesday 13 October 2010      Gateshead**  
Analysing skills developed in different FL activities. Developing a FL programme linked to museums and archives. Developing strategies for evidencing outcomes and impact.

**Yorkshire and the Humber      Wednesday 10 November 2010      Hull**  
Analysing skills developed in different FL activities. Developing a FL programme linked to museums and archives. Developing strategies for evidencing outcomes and impact.

**North East      Tuesday 14 December 2010      Darlington**  
Developing understanding of the wider benefits of Family Learning. Developing planning and delivery of FL with museums and archives linking to government and local priority areas.

**Yorkshire and the Humber      Wednesday 15 December 2010      York**  
Developing understanding of the wider benefits of family learning. Developing planning and delivery of FL with museums and archives linking to government and local priority areas.

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## Event information

- Arrival and registration is at 9:30am for a 10:00am start. The event will end at 3:00pm
- Attendance is free (includes sandwich lunch, tea/coffee)
- Places will be allocated in order of receipt of completed application forms.
- Completed and signed application forms must be faxed or posted to NIACE by the closing date. Reservations by telephone cannot be accepted
- Video cameras may be in use at this event. If you do not wish to be photographed or appear on the video outputs please indicate this on the application form and make yourself known at registration
- Participants should be prepared to take their own notes as there will not be handouts for all sessions
- If you have not received an e-mail confirming your attendance and joining instructions 4 working days before the event please contact:

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## Application conditions

- Substitutions are to be advised **5 working days** prior to the event
- A **10 working days** notice period is required for provision of electronic note-takers, sign language interpreters and transcription to Braille
- Places can be reserved online via: [www.niace.org.uk/events](http://www.niace.org.uk/events)  
Alternatively completed and signed application forms can be faxed or posted to NIACE by the closing date. Reservations by telephone cannot be accepted
- Application forms are individually acknowledged by e-mail. Joining instructions, including map and directions, will be e-mailed out one week before the event
- NIACE reserves the right to reject applicants who are not from the target audience list.

This programme is correct at the time of going to press. The organisers reserve the right to make changes to the published programme in the event of one or more of the advertised speakers being unable to attend. Participants have no claim against NIACE in respect of such changes.

NIACE, the National Institute of Adult Continuing Education, was founded in 1921. The National Institute seeks to secure an education system responsive to the diversity of adults' needs and aspirations as learners, and in particular to those who benefited least from initial education. It is our belief that a system fit for adults of all ages and in all their complexity will work better for all learners.

The National Institute is active in many areas - in research, development, publishing, seminars, conferences and training courses, and has an active individual membership.

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Please complete the form in CAPITALS

## Application Form

### Attendance is free

(includes sandwich lunch, tea/coffee)

I would like to reserve a place on:

Event date	Ref No.	Closing date
<input type="checkbox"/> Yorkshire and the Humber - Monday 4 October 2010	EVE1047CP1	Tuesday 21 September 2010
<input type="checkbox"/> North East - Tuesday 5 October 2010	EVE1047CP2	Tuesday 21 September 2010
<input type="checkbox"/> Yorkshire and the Humber - Tuesday 12 October 2010	EVE1047CP3	Thursday 30 September 2010
<input type="checkbox"/> North East - Wednesday 13 October 2010	EVE1047CP4	Thursday 30 September 2010
<input type="checkbox"/> Yorkshire and the Humber - Wednesday 10 November 2010	EVE1047CP5	Thursday 28 October 2010
<input type="checkbox"/> North East - Tuesday 14 December 2010	EVE1047CP6	Thursday 2 December 2010
<input type="checkbox"/> Yorkshire and the Humber - Wednesday 15 December 2010	EVE1047CP7	Thursday 2 December 2010

### Participant's details

Title \_\_\_\_\_ Full name \_\_\_\_\_

Job title \_\_\_\_\_ Organisation \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime tel no. \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile no. \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate which sector you work in: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

This is my  Home address  Work address

Joining instructions will be sent by e-mail, if you would prefer to receive these by post, please tick this box

### Participant's requirements

#### Please specify any requirements for access or equipment

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NIACE requires a 10 working days notice period to make arrangements for electronic note-takers, sign language interpreters and transcription to Braille.

#### I have the following dietary requirements

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### Agreement - I accept the NIACE Event Information and Application Conditions

Signature

PRINT First (given) and family names

Date

#### Please return completed application form to:

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