

The Apollo Education Project

The Apollo Centre believes in the notion of renewal of opportunity for all. Education is at the core of everything at The Apollo Centre and is used as a vehicle to enhance relationship building between all. The central strand of our work is improving the psychological well-being of our learners, this work is integrated within the curriculum. Apollo teaching and learning is focused on using the latest and most effective teaching methods with our learners, recognising individual learning styles and abilities.

The Apollo Education Project provides educational opportunities for children who are not in school as a result of exclusion or because their neighbourhood school was not able to meet their needs.

The Apollo Education Project offer GCSEs in Maths, English, Art and Design and Functional Skill Accreditation.

The young people referred to the Centre are of secondary school age i.e. 7 to 11 years old. Apollo offer young people a two-week period of assessment; during this time the pupils educational, social, emotional and psychological needs will be assessed. After the assessment each young person has an individual programmed of work designed for them. This is aimed at filling the gaps in the pupil's educational experience.

Most of the young people who referred to Apollo will have experienced a great deal of instability in their education and will have missed exposure to key skill training and regular class teaching. Apollo Education Project Social specialises in working with young people who may have experienced childhood trauma.

Solution focused work with young people.

The Apollo Education Centre uses the latest research in brain science to promote confidence and achievement of our learners.

All these aspirations are underpinned by a life time of teaching and learning experience within the staff team.



Tel: 07788 477849

Email: doctormick52@gmail.com

www.apolloeducationproject.com

Dr Mick Clarke

The Apollo Education Project

Unit 19 Futures House

Luton

LU3 3QB



I hear and I forget.

I see and I remember.

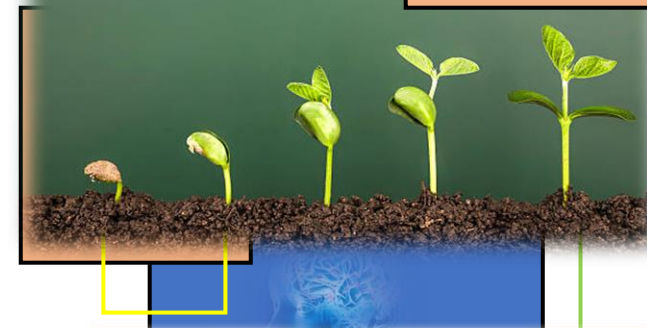
I do and I understand

The Apollo Education Project

Unit 19 Futures House

Luton

LU3 3QB



The Apollo Education Project

Stimulating community education for young people



The Apollo Education Centre

Stimulating community education for young people. Educating each learner as an individual within a safe and nurturing environment.

The Apollo Training Project

Experienced trainers offer a range of staff training workshops including:

- Working with traumatised children
- Brain science and teaching and leaning
- Spaced learning: theory and practice
- Meetings the needs of children with psychosocial needs
- Understanding behavior as communication
- Understanding emotional arousal
- Strategies to reduce emotional arousal in young people
- How to strengthen and develop relationships
- Teaching relaxation and positive mental health in education
- Working positively with teenagers who are out of school

Bespoke training also available.



Learner Cycle at Apollo Education Project

Referral



Visit



Two-week Assessment

Education Plan

Regular Reviews

We enjoy positive relationships with learners, their parents/carers and schools.

We work with all to address the issues and support the learner back into mainstream education.



Individual Programme for Learners



Each young person's individual programme includes direct teaching of literacy, regular creative writing and poetry workshops. Teaching of grammar and analysis of a range of writing genres. Numeracy sessions include teaching of basic math skills; addition, subtraction, division and multiplication with regular practice of times tables, fractions, decimals, algebra, problem solving and geometry.

We use cross curricular projects each half term to explore a range of skills and subjects including; history, citizenship, geography, art, technology, science, physical education and drama. Learners are given the opportunity to take part in outdoor activities daily. Community visits and educational trips are part of the curriculum.

Within the curriculum a 360 degree analysis of the learners emotional, social and psychological needs are carried out. The analysis focuses on the following areas and is reviewed as work progresses:

- Connection to others and making friends
- Connection to the wider community
- Ability to interact appropriately with others
- Be confident within themselves
- Purpose and meaning in life
- Security and feeling safe by helping them to reduce their emotional arousal
- Enabling them to feel their self-worth and importance with achieving within life.