Online Learning for Education Staff

The Highland Council Psychological Service have been asked for a list of online courses which staff could access when schools are closed. These have been arranged under the following themes:

Highland Council Mandatory Courses
- My Online Learning
- Promoting Positive Relationships
- Neurodevelopmental Differences
- Differentiation
- Pupil Support Assistant (PSA) – core course

Optional Courses
- Diversity and Inclusion
- Early Years
- ICT
- Literacy, Language and Communication
- Mental Health and Wellbeing
- Neurodevelopmental Differences (i.e. Autism)
- Numeracy
- Practitioner Enquiry
- Safeguarding and care
- Science
- Teaching and Learning

My Online Learning
As Highland Council employees a range of online learning is available using My Online Learning which can be accessed on the desktop or the council intranet. The list is available:
https://highland.cpdservice.net/Files/HighlandMandatoryTrainingFeb19.pdf

Promoting Positive Relationships, Neurodevelopmental Differences & Differentiation
Available: https://highlandcouncil1.sharepoint.com/sites/SchoolHub/SitePages/CLPL-Training-Resources.aspx

Pupil Support Assistant (PSA) – core course
A course about Intimate Care is available by contacting jane.baines@highland.gov.uk

Optional Courses

Diversity and Inclusion

Understanding diversity and inclusion – www.futurelearn.com/

Education for All: Disability, Diversity and Inclusion – www.futurelearn.com/

Inclusive Education: essential knowledge for success – www.futurelearn.com/

Understanding gender inequality – www.futurelearn.com/

Bullying in schools: how should teachers respond – www.futurelearn.com/

Anti-Bullying training www.anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk

Awareness of bulling in children and young people
https://learntodayscotland.theskillsnetwork.com/

Equality and Diversity https://learntodayscotland.theskillsnetwork.com/?page=2

What children's perspectives tell us about inclusion – www.open.edu/openlearn/free-courses

Principals of working with individuals with learning disabilities
https://learntodayscotland.theskillsnetwork.com/?page=2

Introducing caring for children and young people
https://learntodayscotland.theskillsnetwork.com/?page=3

Inclusion Development Programme (IDP)
https://www.sendgateway.org.uk/resources.inclusion-development-programme-idp.html

Early Years

Encourage And Support Early Years Skills for Additional Support Needs – EASEYS for ASN
https://highlandcouncilpsychologicalservice.wordpress.com/easeys-for-asn/

Daily tip for early learning on www.bumps2bairns.com

All CPD for Early Years staff can be accessed through: https://elchighland.com/cpd/

ICT

How to teach online courses – www.futurelearn.com/

Using technology in evidence-based teaching and learning – www.futurelearn.com/

Creating Apps in the classroom – www.futurelearn.com/

Programming pedagogy in primary schools – developing computing teaching –
www.futurelearn.com/

Collaborative working in a remote team – www.futurelearn.com/

IT User Skills https://learntodayscotland.theskillsnetwork.com/

Literacy, Language and Communication

Emerging Literacy
https://highlandliteracy.com/emerging-literacy/

EAL Highland Blog
http://www.ealhighland.org.uk/

Dyslexia and Inclusive Practice
https://education.gov.scot/improvement/learning-resources/dyslexia-and-inclusive-practice-professional-learning-resource/

Dyslexia and Inclusive Practice: Professional Learning modules
https://education.gov.scot/improvement/practice-exemplars/introduction-to-dyslexia-and-inclusive-practice-free-online-modules/

Route Map through Career Long Professional Learning (CLPL) for Dyslexia and Inclusive Practice
https://education.gov.scot/media/zo3jnf5n/inc36routemap.pdf

Understanding Dyslexia https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/education/understanding-dyslexia/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab

Understanding language and learning, 10 hrs study Level 3: Advanced
https://www.open.edu/openlearn/languages/understanding-language-and-learning/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab

An introduction to speech, language and communication
https://www.thecommunicationtrust.org.uk/projects/professional-development/online-short-course/

A range of online course:
https://www.sendgateway.org.uk/resources.html?keyword=online+learning&type=resources&sort_by=relevance&g_audience=&is_paid_for=0

Counselling Skills https://learntodayscotland.theskillsnetwork.com/

Mental Health and Wellbeing

Compassionate and Connected Classroom
https://education.gov.scot/improvement/learning-resources/compassionate-and-connected-classroom?dm_i=LQE,6ARU0,CA881O,OVAKD,1

Inclusion in practice – CIRCLE framework - Secondary
https://education.gov.scot/improvement/learning-resources/inclusion-in-practice/

Children in Scotland - Improving Children and Young People's Understanding of their Wellbeing
https://childreninscotland.org.uk/out-now-new-wellbeing-resource-for-teachers-and-practitioners/

Teaching students who have suffered complex trauma – www.futurelearn.com/

Young People and their mental health – www.futurelearn.com/

Emotional Intelligence at work – www.futurelearn.com/

Understanding depression and low mood in young people – www.futurelearn.com/

Mindfulness for wellbeing and peak performance – www.futurelearn.com/

Demystifying Mindfulness – www.futurelearn.com/

Awareness of Mental Health problems (Level 2)
https://learntodayscotland.theskillsnetwork.com/?page=2

Understanding children and young people's mental health (Level 2)
https://learntodayscotland.theskillsnetwork.com/?page=3

Understanding mental health (Level 3)
https://learntodayscotland.theskillsnetwork.com/?page=4

Behaviour that challenges in children
https://learntodayscotland.theskillsnetwork.com/?page=2

Understanding depression and anxiety, 8 hrs study Level 2: Intermediate
https://www.open.edu/openlearn/health-sports-psychology/health/understanding-depression-and-anxiety/content-section-0?active-tab=description-tab

ACEs
https://www.acesonlinelearning.com/

Brain story
https://www.albertafamilywellness.org/training

Beacon House https://beaconhouse.org.uk/resources/

Trauma-informed resilient schools
https://store.starr.org/Course/view/trauma-informed-resilient-schools

Trauma informed training Scotland
www.nes.scot.nhs.uk/education-and-training/by-discipline/psychology/multiprofessional-psychology/national-trauma-training-framework/

Healthy body image and body confidence – CALA e-learning zone

Neurodevelopmental Differences (i.e. Autism)

The Pines online
https://pinesautismhighland.org.uk/pines/frm247dynamiccontentshow.aspx?UniqueID=PINESONLINE

Autism Professionals Conference
URL: http://live.autism.org.uk/live.php
Username: naslive
Password: pro2020

Autism Toolbox
www.autismtoolbox.co.uk/home

Understanding Autism https://www.open.edu/openlearn/science-maths-technology/understanding-autism/content-section-overview

The National Autistic Society offers some free training occasionally – currently they have 'Managing Money and 'Finding Employment'
https://www.autism.org.uk/professionals/training-consultancy/online/managing-money.aspx

Understanding Autism https://learntodayscotland.theskillsnetwork.com/

Numeracy

Highland Numeracy Blog
https://highlandnumeracyblog.wordpress.com/

Maths subject knowledge: understanding numbers – www.futurelearn.com/

Practitioner Enquiry

Education courses https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education/free-courses

Mind Ed offers free, completely open access, online education in over 300 topics, centred around mental well-being https://www.e-lfh.org.uk/programmes/minded/#gr

Education research that matters: ways of researching – www.futurelearn.com/

Safeguarding and care

To access the modules (list below) and set up an account with CALA E-learning zone:
•   visit https://calaelearning.co.uk/our-courses/
•   Select the modules and 'add to cart' (even for our Free Modules)
•   Follow the instructions from the 'checkout' and this will take you to login.
•   Thereafter, simply login using the email address and password you set at 'checkout'

Understanding the Child's Plan – www.calaelearning.co.uk/our-courses/

What makes a good chronology – www.calaelearning.co.uk/our-courses/

Children Affected by Parental Substance Misuse – www.calaelearning.co.uk/our-courses/

Child Sexual Exploitation – www.calaelearning.co.uk/our-courses/

Scottish out of school network – supporting activity and well-being – www.calaelearning.co.uk/our-courses/

Setting up a Gaelic Medium toddler group – www.calaelearning.co.uk/our-courses/

Connecting Young Carers e-learning module – www.calaelearning.co.uk/our-courses/

Smart start – www.calaelearning.co.uk/our-courses/

How we eat – www.calaelearning.co.uk/our-courses/

Introduction to child protection – CALA e-learning zone free by emailing CT.Training@highland.gov.uk

Science

Highland Science Blog
https://highlandscience.wordpress.com/

Managing the practical classroom in secondary school science – www.futurelearn.com/

Build a Makerspace for young people – www.futurelearn.com/

Teaching and Learning

Planning for learning: formative assessment – www.futurelearn.com/

Supporting successful learning in primary school – www.futurelearn.com/

Supporting successful learning in secondary school – www.futurelearn.com/