ASC Learning Support: Further Information
Training, Guidance, and Toolkits

Training for Education Staff

Making Sense of Autism (2 hours, £15pp). Delivered by Local Specialist Autism Advisor
School-aged training: Contact Kate Campbell (email)
Early Years training: Contact Bev Robson (email)

Sensory Processing Difficulties, Debbie Meintjes, NS Occupational Therapist (1hr 45 mins)
https://www.nspcwt.org/spd

Autism and Masking Webinar (55mins)
https://youtu.be/Xexl4Tq8wBs

Open University 'Understanding Autism' accredited CPD course (24 hours total of study)
https://www.open.edu/openlearn/science-maths-technology/understanding-autism

From Dysregulated to Ready to Learn (50 mins; signup required)
https://autismspectrumteacher.com/free-training/

Triple-A In the Classroom: Attention, Arousal, Anxiety (signup required)
https://tripleadurham.co.uk/

TedX Teachers: Educating in a Neurodiverse World (10 mins)
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kTOeqy-_s7A

Guidance Documents

Good Autism Practice: Primary and Secondary Schools, Autism Education Trust
Promoting autism inclusive attitudes (autismeducationtrust.org.uk)

Improving Autism Practice in Colleges, Autism Education Trust
Improving autism practice in college

Ideas and tips for Attention Autism/attention bucket lessons
Ideas-and-tips-for-attention-autism-activities.pdf (stpatricksliverpool.co.uk)

How to develop a Visual Timetable
Developing a visual timetable

How to create Social Stories, with templates to edit
how-to-use-personalized-stories.pdf (autismspeaks.org)

Avoiding exclusions of Autistic Pupils, Autism Education Trust
Steps to Avoid Exclusion of Autistic Pupils

Reintegrating Autistic Students following Exclusion
Successful Reintegration Following School Exclusion (autismeducationtrust.org.uk)

Toolkits for Developing Practice

Early Years to Primary Transitions, Autism Education Trust
https://www.autismeducationtrust.org.uk/sites/ey-to-pri-transition-templates.pdf

Primary to Secondary School Transitions, Autism Education Trust
https://www.autismeducationtrust.org.uk/sites/pri-to-sec-transition-templates.pdf

A self-evaluation tool for schools, SENCO's guide to ASC. Autism Education Trust
https://www.autismeducationtrust.org.uk/sencos_guide_to_supporting_learners_with_autism_appendix_1.pdf

Sensory Audit Tool for Learning Environments
https://education.gov.scot/media/i3nm5bkt/sensory-audit-tool-for-environments.pdf