

Managing Health and Safety Risks in the Education Sector



The education sector has a variety of special hazards and risks to manage and, together with the duty to protect children and young adults from harm, is considered to be one of the most difficult areas to balance health and safety compliance.

Specifically tailored for those who work in education and accredited by the Institution of Occupational Safety and Health (IOSH), this two-day course will equip delegates with an understanding of their individual health and safety responsibilities and how to effectively manage risks and support a positive learning environment. The course assures peace of mind for schools, colleges and universities.

Course Content

The course comprises six modules:

- Health and safety legislation, including individual and organisational duties and different regulatory body requirements (HSE, Ofsted);
- Common hazards and risks in the education sector and the hierarchy of risk control measures;
- The principles of sensible risk management, including work experience placements and educational trips;
- Incident management and reporting, including RIDDOR requirements;
- Formulating a robust health and safety policy and implementing arrangements to promote a positive culture; and
- Planning for success through proactive monitoring procedures.

The Benefits

This course will enable you to:

- Demonstrate commitment and a proactive attitude towards staff health and safety;
- Give staff the knowledge and confidence to effectively manage risks in their areas of responsibility; and
- Develop an excellent health and safety culture within your organisation for the benefit of staff and students.

Assessment & Certification

On successful completion of the assessment at the end of the course, an IOSH Managing Health & Safety Risks in the Education Sector certificate will be issued to delegates.

Cost

Price on application. Multiple booking discounts available.



Venue and Duration

The course is delivered over two days (approximately six hours per day) via Zoom and uses a variety of interactive training methods to enhance the learning experience.



Who should attend?

This course is suitable for Principals, Headteachers, SBMs and heads of department, and is particularly relevant to people employed in primary, secondary and special schools as well as FE colleges and universities.

To learn more about this course, please contact 0345 226 8393 or healthandsafetytraining@worknest.com