



QOI AWARD

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More than Words



QOI Level 2

Non-verbal Communication

M2C04



This is a Plain English
Course Information Book



Who can do this course?

This is a QQI Level 2 course.

This course is for anyone who wants to learn more about communication.

We can support you with communication, reading and writing.

We will use pictures, symbols and DVDs to help you learn.

This course will teach you about the different ways that information can be shared.

This course will suit you if you enjoy communicating with other people.

Before you apply for the course, check you understand and are happy with:

- The learning goals
- The assessment you will have to do
- The time the course will take.



How long will the course take?

This course will take around 25 class hours.

You will do work in class and some work at home.

This course is worth 5 credits.

The trainer will tell you how many weeks the course will be on for.

The trainer will tell you how long each class will last.

Ask staff in your centre for more information.



What assessments will I have to do?

The assessment for this course is called a portfolio.

You keep all the work you do on the course in a folder.

This folder shows the information and skills you have learnt on the course.

Your work will be assessed at the end of the course.

This means your folder will be checked.

The people looking at your work decide it is good enough to pass or that you need to do some more work.

Your work will be assessed by:

- Your Trainer
- Another person from St. Michael's House
- A person from QQI



What will I learn on this course?

On this course you will:

- Learn that we can communicate in lots of different ways
- Think about the things that support you to communicate well
- Think about the things that stop you from communicating well
- Communicate a message without speaking
- Communicate your feelings in different ways
- Show you understand pictures, signs and symbols at home, in work or in your community
- Learn new pictures, signs or symbols
- Follow a set of pictures, signs or symbols. For example, follow a recipe or carry out a fire drill.



Where is this course on?

This course will be on in centres in St. Michael's House.

It may also be on in different places in the community.

Ask staff in your centre for information.

You can also contact Teresa or Paula for information.

Ring Teresa on 01 299 0565

Email: teresa.gadd@smh.ie

Ring Paula on 01 862 2458

Email: paula.smytth@smh.ie



How do I get a place on this course?

Ask staff in your centre for an application form.

Fill in the form.

Send it to Teresa in Goatstown or send the form to Paula in Santry Hall.