

## **FEMLEAFS STARTING SCHOOL - ONLINE**

### **01. Who is this course for?**

You will join us online via Microsoft TEAMS for 2 sessions in September where you will learn about EYFS Phonics and Maths to support your children in their learning journey. There will be 2 x 1.5 hour taught sessions with other learners. You will have access to online course materials via our Moodle online learning website. You will be encouraged to create and share fun activities with your children to help their learning.

### **02. What will I learn?**

You will learn about EYFS, Phonics, Maths and social and emotional skills to support your children in their learning journey. You will learn about early years education and learn how your children are learning through play so you can support them at home. We will teach you valuable skills that will help you and your child settle into the first term at primary school. You will:

1. Identify ways to help your child to be independent and confident when starting school – dressing, lunch time, routines, self care
2. Recognise how to support physical development for gross and fine motor skills.
3. Recognise the areas of learning in the EYFS and identify ways to support the areas of learning through play
4. To recognise that number recognition and counting skills are important for the development of your child's maths skills.
5. To identify how your children's literacy skills are developed by sharing picture books and rhymes and speaking and listening activities
6. To have Phonics overview and know how to say the phonic sounds correctly
7. To identify importance of being able to recognise and talk about emotions for their children, socialising, making friends, being resilient.

### **03. How will I learn?**

You are assessed in the classroom by the tutor and by your own self – assessment of topics. You will be asked to complete an Individual Learning Plan and keep a diary where you can comment upon the topics you have learned, the progress you feel you've made and record any activities you have tried with your child. Your tutor will feedback to you regularly and may suggest some activities or resources that are appropriate for your child's ability. So that you can be successful in completing the course, we do require that you try not to miss any sessions – talk to your tutor about individual catch ups.

### **05. What skills or experience do I need?**

There are no formal entry requirements for Family Learning. You do not need any previous experience, knowledge or skills to enrol on this course, just an interest in finding out about how children learn and how you can encourage and support them.

### **08. How will I be supported in my learning?**

Once you start, if you have further queries and/or support needs, please talk to the tutor. We also offer support to help people with learning difficulties and/or disabilities. If you have a disability, learning difficulty, health problem or mental health difficulty that may affect your learning or participation, please contact us for further advice.