

Education & Skills Funding Agency

STORY SACKS (WITHOUT CHILDREN)

COURSE SUMMARY:

A story sack is a large cloth bag containing a child's favorite book with supporting materials to help develop children's language skills. This course will take parents/carers through the process of making a story sack for their child whilst also learning about the impact this can have on a child's developing English skills.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

 You can join this course if you are a parent, grandparent or carer of children of 2 to 7 years

WHAT WILL YOU DO ON THIS COURSE?

- Find out what story sacks are and how to use them effectively with your child
- Find out how using story sacks can support your child's communication, language and literacy skills
- Make a unique story sack to use with your child to support their development
- ✓ Discuss experiences with other parents

This course takes 6, 10, 15 hours to complete. (Usually 2, 2.5 or 3 hours per week).

Children do not attend in this version of the course.



PROGRESSION FROM THIS COURSE:

LEARNING

- Step Ahead in English, IT or maths in a school setting
- Community English or maths courses to gain a Functional Skills qualification
- Travel Together Through Books – Support Your Child







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