

Dear Parents and Family Members,

We have a very exciting offer which we hope will be of interest and support. We have begun working with The Aim Group who can provide you with access to free Level 2 qualifications in over 50 subjects. These might be of help in any current jobs or ones you might want to apply for in the future.

The most important part is that these are funded by the government, and they are online which means you do not need to worry about childcare, travel or arrangements to attend face to face learning. You can do them in times that suit your daily life.

Chris Greenfield is our lead and he will speak with you individually and help you match to the most suitable qualification.

Some of these courses also support parents with subjects such as: Understanding Autism, Adverse Childhood Experiences, Understanding Your Child's Mental Health, Supporting Behaviour.

The courses are short, some are as short as 15 hours and you qualify by answering some online questions.

Below, is an introduction from Chris and a link to the information.



Chris Greenfield
The AIM Group

Our Free Qualifications Account Manager

Hello,

*My name is Chris and I work for a company called the AIM group. We have just started to work alongside and support all the **Learning Academy Partnership** schools.*

*I wanted to explain exactly what this exciting learning platform can do to help you and how it could ensure a further understanding of anything that might be troubling you or your children.. or in a completely different direction, it can even help to give you a new skill and provide a leg up into a new line of work you are seeking. Whatever it might be **we can help.***

How does this work? *We use funding that the government have sat in a pot called the adult education budget, this allows us to offer **free learning and support in 50 different subjects***

I am on hand to discuss any questions you might have about what we do, and how the courses could help supporting with you and your children. It could be that there has been a noticeable change since covid, an unfortunate loss of life has happened and affected, or a particular

reoccurring behaviour pattern or struggle in learning has been noticed. The courses we have on offer are designed to help give you a much better understanding on each individual topic.

The only criteria the learner must meet to be eligible, is the following.

- *Aged 19 or over on or before 31st August 2021*
- *Have lived in the UK/EU for 3+ years*
- *Not already on a Government funded course (Apprenticeship for example)*

If you are interested in undertaking one of these Free Online Accredited courses, then please just complete the following link (you will find the full list of course titles)

<https://theaimgroup.co.uk/booking-form/0014J00000hDYgP>

Once completed, this will allow Chris to contact you and discuss what to expect from the FREE online learning course you are interested in.

*Any questions you may have **Chris Greenfield** will be in touch on 0203 900 3091 once you have registered your interest*

I really hope that you find this offer to parents and family members supportive and the great news. You will need a tablet, Chrome Book or computer to access the courses. If you only have a phone and want to take part, please come, and talk to Mr Thorne as we will be able to support you with this.

Our School Trust mission is Flourishing Futures, and this means our grown ups too! Come and be a learner to support you in developing your understanding, knowledge and skills – we would love to help!

Finally, the good news is that for every 50 completed courses, we get a free laptop!

If you would like to talk to someone about this, please contact Mr Thorne.

Yours Sincerely,

Tom Thorne

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