



Makaton Training - what we offer

Our passion is inclusion, so let us know if you are on a small budget! Please note that if you are a member of the include.org staff or volunteer team, you will receive training at a discounted rate.

Makaton Taster

This is a short 90 minutes - 2 hour course which gives you a taste of Makaton. No previous Makaton experience is needed. You learn around 40 Makaton signs and symbols through games and activities that relate to everyday communication in your setting.

Price: £20 per person

Makaton Level 1

This is a 7 hour course available as a one day, two half days, or four shorter sessions. No previous Makaton experience is needed, but you do need to complete your Level 1 to advance to higher levels. You learn around 135 Makaton signs and symbols from stages 1, 2 and the additional part A of the core vocabulary through different games and activities. You receive a training manual and a certificate.

In person cost: £100 per person

Online cost: £85 per person

Makaton Level 2

This is a 7 hour course available as a one day, two half days, or four shorter sessions. You learn around 125 Makaton signs and symbols from stages 3, 4 and the additional part B of the core vocabulary through different games and activities. You must have completed level 1 to do this course. You receive a training manual and a certificate.

In person cost: £100 per person

Online cost: £85 per person

Makaton Level 3

This is an 8 hour course available as a one day, two half days, or four shorter sessions. You learn Makaton signs and symbols from stages 5 & 6 from the Makaton core vocabulary through different games and activities. You must have completed level 1 and 2 to do this course. You receive a training manual and a certificate.

In person cost: £100 per person

Online cost: £85 per person

Makaton Level 4

This is a 9 hour course available as a one day, two half days, or three shorter sessions. You learn Makaton signs and symbols from stages 7, 8 and the additional IT concepts from the Makaton core vocabulary through different games and activities. You must have completed levels 1,2 and 3 to do this course. You receive a training manual and a certificate.

In person cost: £100 per person

Online cost: £85 per person

Makaton Safeguarding Course

The Makaton Safeguarding workshop is designed to support professionals and carers of children and adults with severe communication and learning disabilities, with vocabulary for families, emotions, people, places, bullying and abuse, relationships, behaviour, and intimacy. This is a 2 day course and you must have completed Level 1 and 2 Makaton before booking.

In person cost: £200 per person

Online cost: £170 per person



In-house and group training

The best way to embed good inclusive communication practice is to train your whole team! We are always happy to come to you for some in-house Makaton training, and can offer bespoke consultation and ongoing inclusive communication strategies as part of the package. Please get in touch for more information.