

Exploring the impacts of military culture and service experience on Service children in education

Overview of Training Feedback (February – April 2024)

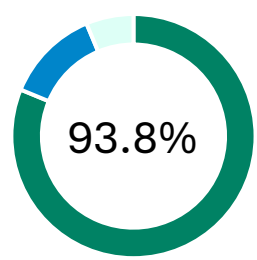
Training aims:

The training is for staff in schools and other settings supporting Service children and aims to:

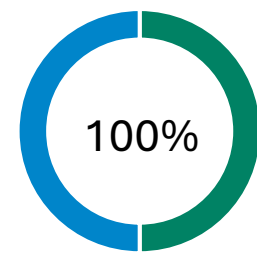
- Provide a general understanding of military culture and the Service experience and to explore its influences and effects on Service children
- Provide an overview of the challenges, barriers and disadvantages that Service children can face
- Share and celebrate the positive impacts of military life
- Empower schools and professionals working with children to reflect on and develop their support for Service children, with a particular focus on attainment and wellbeing
- Provide an overview of the Armed Forces Covenant duty in relation to education

Methodology:

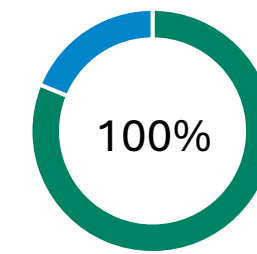
This is a summary of feedback from staff who completed a survey following completion of the training. 41 staff attended the CPD delivery (a total of 4 sessions between February and April 2024), with 16 providing feedback (39% response rate).



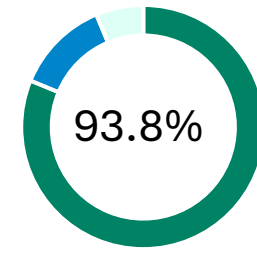
93.8% of staff either strongly agreed (81.3%) or agreed (12.5%) that the learning objectives were achieved.



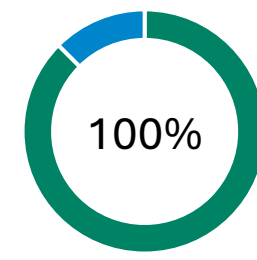
100% of staff either strongly agreed (50%) or agreed (50%) that the learning could be applied to their work.



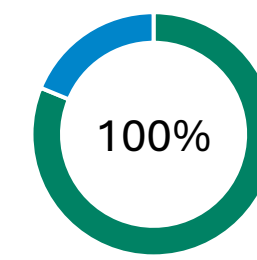
100% of staff either strongly agreed (81.3%) or agreed (18.8%) that the content was delivered logically and at a good pace.



93.8% of staff either strongly agreed (81.3%) or agreed (12.5%) that the course met their personal and/or professional objectives.



100% of staff either strongly agreed (87.5%) or agreed (12.5%) that the facilitators were knowledgeable and informative.



100% of staff either strongly agreed (81.3%) or agreed (18.8%) that communication prior to the course was clear and timely.

Staff describe the best aspects of the course and state why they found it useful:

It was one of the best CPD sessions I have attended over the past few years.

Delivery very clear and concise

I have asked all team members to sign up to further sessions so that these barriers are at the forefront of our practice

Really enjoyable. Great pace and interesting!

Child-centred approaches and practice are key in my role and so it is valuable hearing children's views so that these can help form a key part of any work I undertake with this cohort of children

Thought provoking

Time to reflect on the perspective of the children and their families

Was packed full of information

Enthusiastic and knowledgeable presenters