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STA Level 2 Award in Aquatic Teaching - Baby and Pre-School (QCF)

Qualification Number: 600/6849/8 Credit Value: 6

Aim

The **STA Award in Aquatic Teaching - Baby and Pre-School** aims to produce teachers that can teach aquatic activities, including paddle strokes to babies and pre-school children during adult and children lessons, and deliver the STA Starfish programme, as well as the Teddy Bear awards and up to the STANley Series of STA's **International Learn to Swim Programme**.

Pre-requisites

- Be of 18 years of age or older
- Hold current membership with STA
- Hold the **STA Award in Pool Emergency Procedures** or acceptable equivalent
- Hold either the **STA Safeguarding Children, Young People and Vulnerable Adults** certificate (available online at www.trainsta.co.uk) or acceptable equivalent.

Validity of Award

This qualification does not expire.

Length of Course

48 Notional Learning Hours:

- 24 Recommended Guided Learning Hours
- 24 Non-contact Guided Learning Hours.

Course Information

The **STA Award in Aquatic Teaching - Baby and Pre-School** covers:

- Planning, Preparing and Teaching Swimming
- Baby and Pre-School Swimming.

Assessment

- Complete a portfolio and worksheet questions to the satisfaction of the course tutor
- Undertake at least 30 minutes of poolside teaching during the course
- Teach 15 minute lessons to 2-4 adult-child pairs
- Complete a 30 question multiple-choice paper with a unit pass mark of 11/15 per unit.

Revalidation

This qualification does not require revalidation. However, STA recommends all members attend or complete CPDs to continuously update their knowledge and skills.

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