

## Child Bereavement UK

**Title:** Bereavement awareness training for schools (webinars for early years and nursery, primary and secondary schools) - **online**

**Link:** [All training events | Child Bereavement UK](#)

**Cost:** £22.15

**Duration:** 1.5 hours

**Content:**

- An overview of grief and bereavement
- Children's understanding of death
- Models of grief and an understanding of children's responses
- Factors affecting grief
- Practical ideas for managing a child's responses to their grief
- Creating a bereavement aware culture; policies and procedures
- Local and national pathways for support

## EduCare in partnership with Winston's Wish

**Title:** Dealing with bereavement and loss - **online**

**Link:** [Dealing with Bereavement and Loss \(educare.co.uk\)](#)

**Cost:** £19.50

**Duration:** 2 hours

**Content:**

- The effects of grief on a child or young person
- How a death may impact school life, and how information about the death should be shared with pupils and staff
- How to manage potentially difficult topics and avoid unnecessarily painful comments when communicating with a bereaved pupil or student
- How to communicate with children and young people about tragic events in the media
- The factors relating to how children or young people will respond to a death
- How to ensure the bereaved pupil or student's needs are respected and supported by all staff who come into contact with them
- What should be included in a bereavement policy and the guidance staff need to support everyone during a potentially difficult time
- When to seek further help and support on bereavement for children or young people, their families or even staff members within the school

## High Speed Training

**Title:** Child bereavement training - **online**

**Link:** [Child Bereavement Training | Online Course & Certification \(highspeedtraining.co.uk\)](https://highspeedtraining.co.uk)

**Cost:** £25

**Duration:** 2-3 hours

**Content:**

This course provides you with a detailed understanding of child bereavement. You will learn how bereavement affects children of different ages, some common bereavement models that can explain the grieving process, how to support bereaved children, and how to support yourself through the process. You will also learn about how the COVID-19 pandemic and how to support children who have lost someone to COVID-19.

## Rainbows Bereavement Support

**Title:** Rainbows bereavement training (programmes for foundation stages and lower KS1, year 2 and KS2, KS3-5, children and adults with additional learning needs) - **face to face**

**Link:** [Schools and Professionals. – Rainbows Bereavement Support GB \(rainbowsgb.org\)](https://rainbowsgb.org)

**Cost:** £300-500

**Duration:** 1 day (or equivalent in sessions)

**Content:**

A local Rainbows Trainer will contact you to provide further information and will visit you to discuss your training needs in bereavement and loss. They will be delighted to support you in reviewing or developing your own bereavement policy and procedures and encouraging you in introducing the Rainbows programmes to grieving children and young people.

## Winston's Wish

**Title:** Bereavement training - **online**

**Link:** [Bereavement Training For Professionals Working With Bereaved Families \(winstonswish.org\)](https://winstonswish.org)

**Cost:** free course available, or £100-250

**Duration:** 20 minutes for free course, 1-3 days for paid

**Content:**

Winston's Wish runs three-day bereavement training courses to teach professionals, including teachers, social workers and medical professionals, how to better support grieving children and young people. We also run a one-day course focusing on supporting bereaved children with SEND. Due to COVID-19 restrictions we are currently running these training courses online via Zoom, click the button below to see the dates available.