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## **A brand new playwork adventure!**



A brand new playwork qualification got underway this month, with participants from UK and New Zealand. PPP4 (PARS Playwork Practice Level 4) is a Customised Qualification accredited and certificated by NCFE. Our currently PPP4 candidates have already (most impressively!) started to work on their assignments which will be assessed by our qualified assessors. PPP4 is a 6 week course with 200 hours total study time, and is open to anyone who works with children in their leisure time. The next PPP4 will also be online and begin on 4th January.

## **Summerhill Festival of Childhood**



PARS Licensed Trainers are very excited to be taking part in the Summerhill Festival of Childhood, online on October 1st and in a field in August 2022! The 5 day online festival is free for anybody to attend, and there is a fantastic range of speakers from all over the world.

# PARS 2021 Conference - bookings now open!

Playwork began in the UK adventure playgrounds set up just after the Second World War. John Bertelsen, the first playworker at the original Danish adventure playground at Emdrup, talked about the importance of being 'pro-child'. PARS 2021 will explore what this means in our approach to working with children and what a 'pro-child' profession might look like. PARS 2021 is a 12 hour, online conference with over 30 academics and PARS practitioners from 13 different countries. Tickets are just £30 for the whole 12 hours!



## Join the PARS training team!

Would you like to deliver PARS training and become part of our international Licensed Trainer team? The next T2T starts on 6th January 2022.



## PARS Online Practicals

POP is an introductory course which enables adults to use the PARS model to articulate, evaluate and develop their playwork practice.

POP is a six hour online training course with PARS Licensed Trainer Rebekah Jackson. It is split into four sessions: 12th, 14th, 19th October and 10th November 2021.