

Questions and Answers:

Q. Who can use the resources?

A. *Anyone can use the Learning House.*

Q. How much is it?

A. *All resources are free!*

Q. I am scared of computers and don't have any experience!

A. *We cater for complete beginners up to accredited college courses.*

Q. Will coming here affect my benefits?

A. *No, but in some cases you may be eligible to claim money for attending certain courses.*

Q. Do I get a certificate at the end of my study?

A. *We have certificates for basic IT within the Learning House and for college courses, you will receive any certificate achieved directly from them.*

Q. Are children welcome?

A. *Children under the age of sixteen are welcome under adult supervision. We have a wide range of computer software, videos, games, books and some toys to suit all ages.*



Learning Houses:

Middlefield Learning House

28b Manor Avenue,
Aberdeen AB16 7TJ
Tel: 01224 682861

Sandilands Learning House

20b Sandilands Drive,
Aberdeen AB24 2QA
Tel: 01224 277547

Torry Learning House

12a Balnagask Road,
Aberdeen AB11 8HX
Tel: 01224 896156



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Opportunity Gateway Partnership represents a unique partnership of Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire Councils, Communities Scotland, Scottish Enterprise Grampian, Grampian Housing Association and Tenants First Housing Cooperative working with Aberdeen Foyer to deliver learning opportunities to the heart of the community.



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“My literacy skills were very poor and I struggled to get by. The staff at the Learning House saw potential and beyond the illiteracy to see the person. My increased confidence and improved communication skills mean I can now help my children with their school work.”

“Thanks to the Learning House I now have a job and an opportunity to help others”

“Attending the Learning House has given me the confidence to go on to more advanced ICT courses”

“The atmosphere is friendly and comfortable to work in and I get lots of support. The Learning House is at a good location in the heart of the community.”

Middlefield, Sandilands and Torry Learning House offers **free** access to:

- using computers
- ECDL qualification
- internet
- letter writing
- literacy support
- job search and cv presentation
- assistance with application forms
- interview skills
- confidence building/motivation
- links to employer work placements
- money advice and help with budgeting
- healthy living advice
- welfare rights/benefits advice



We also offer **free**:

- use of a computer in your own home for up to a year
- suitable software for your family with technical support
- opportunities for career guidance



If you would like to find out more please contact Middlefield on 01224 682861, Sandilands on 01224 277547 or Torry on 01224 896156 and come along for a coffee and a chat.

open: Monday - Thursday
9.30am - 4.30pm
Friday 9.30am - 4pm



free and flexible support into learning and work