

A Certificate Course for Educators, Parents, Counsellors and Psychologists

presented jointly by

Sampurna Montfort College & DrishTi

Certificate Course

INCLUSIVE EDUCATION: Managing Diversity in the classroom under the RTE

Today's progressive school administrators and teachers aspire to create an inclusive learning environment. This course will help schools with the requisite knowledge and basic skills required to mainstream Special Education Needs children so as to not just serve them well but also ensure efficient management of a heterogeneous classroom.

Learning Outcomes from this course

- To develop a greater understanding about the various special education needs of children that might need to be supported in an inclusive classroom
- To develop a comprehensive understanding of the RTE and its provisions for special education needs
- To develop and design programs and activities for the schools and classrooms to help students learn and participate together in an Inclusive Environment
- To help all stakeholders including - principals, teachers, parents and students work collaboratively to provide quality education in an Inclusive Environment

Course modules include:

- Inclusive education- An overview
- Laws & Initiatives for inclusion
- Areas of development
- High Incidence Disabilities & Disorders
- Identification in the Classroom
- Psychoeducational Assessment
- Provisions & Accommodation
- Social Exclusion

Home Assignments and Examination

There will be periodic home assignments that you will be able to complete online. These are meant to help you evaluate your learning. Most part of the assignments are going to be application oriented and will help you develop greater understanding about the concepts learnt. There will also be a course-end evaluation that will help you obtain the much coveted certification. The course materials and guidance prepares you adequately for all the home assignments and the final evaluation.

Time required to spend on this course

There will be 5 contact classes for local students and skype sessions for outstation students would be conducted. These contact sessions will prove valuable in helping you understand the study matter. In addition, you will be required to devote between 3-5 hours each week on self study. A mentor is always available to respond to your queries. Spread over 6 months, this course has a gentle yet steady pace which ensures that each of you (from varied backgrounds) will have an opportunity to learn all that is on offer.

People qualified to do this course

- Educators
- Undergraduate and Graduate students (various streams) aspiring to work in schools
- Active school parents or parents of children with special needs
- Psychologists

Course offered by :

This course is a joint offering by the Sampurna Montfort College and Drishti.

Sampurna Montfort College, affiliated to Bangalore University and accredited by NAAC with 'A' Grade is an institute for postgraduate studies offering programs at the Masters and Ph.D. Levels. Sampurna Montfort College is a pioneer in the field of Psychological Counsellor Education & Training for the past two decades and is a highly reputed institute in the field of mainstream higher education.

Drishti is a professional organization that has been serving *mainstream schools* as well as the *special education needs* population since 1994. We strongly believe in the philosophy of **Inclusive Education**

A team of highly qualified and well trained psychologists, special educators and other therapists utilize robust systems and processes to deliver services that are constantly monitored for expected outcomes.

Our services include **psycho-educational assessments, diagnostics, therapies, school counselling and remedial education**. Drishti is led by *Smita Desai, PhD*

What will this course cost?

The fee for this entire course is Rs. 10,000/- per learner.

How do you get started?

Step 1 - Make the payment for the course via Demand Draft (payable 'Drishti') or make NEFT Transfer

Step 2 - Fill the Registration Form via the web link <https://goo.gl/forms/IntAtPZeJLD1Q5E82> and send a confirmation mail to ruchi_t@drishtionline.com / simran_k@drishtionline.com

Step 3 - Once payment is confirmed, get the access code for the course

Step 4 - You can immediately Login to the course

Payment Details for NEFT Transfer -

Name - Drishti (Division of M/S Sanmark)
Bank - HDFC bank (Lokhandwala, Andheri (W))
Ac/no - 01592000014308 (Current Account)
IFSC Code - HDFC0000159

For further details, contact:

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15th Main J.P.Nagar 5th phase, Bangalore - 5660078

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Indiranagar, Bangalore - 560038

Office timings : 9 am to 6 pm

Contact: 080 25284050, 25283320

What is the format and duration for the Course?

- This course is a distance learning course which is hosted online. Its medium of study and instruction will be English. Almost all resources required for this course will be available via the online classroom. The course has periodic contact classes once each month. There will be a term end evaluation for certification.
- The duration of the entire course (including all contact sessions) is 6 months.