

# CAM ACADEMY TRUST COURSE INFORMATION

Course Title	Ghost Hunting Paranormal Investigation					
Course Description	Your entrance to the exciting world of paranormal investigation! This interactive course engages you with fellow students, exploring and learning together. Your knowledge of dealing with the unexplained will be gradually expanded. You will learn, for instance, about the safest way to conduct an investigation and how to critically analyse alleged accounts of hauntings. We will all join in on analysing a typical case (based on a real-life scenario). This unfolds from initial statements received to the mounting of a full-scale paranormal investigation. Our course will cover a wide range of related topics, from ghosts and poltergeists to working with psychic mediums and much, much more.					
Start Date	27 <sup>th</sup> Sep 2023	Day & Time	Tuesday 19.00-21.00	Venue	Melbourn Village College	
Tutor Details	<b>Damien O'Dell</b> is the author of a number of books, including <i>Paranormal</i> <i>Cambridgeshire, Paranormal Hertfordshire and Paranormal Bedfordshire</i> . He is the founder member (in 2002) of APIS (Anglia Paranormal Investigation Society) which he continues to oversee. He has organised a number of courses about the paranormal, including Paranormal Investigation at the Arthur Findlay College in Stansted Hall. Damien is a member of Britain's oldest paranormal investigation society, which is based in London – the Ghost Club.					
No. of wks	10	Terms		1		
Fee	£116	Concessionary Fee		£87		
Course	Mixed ability			X		
Level:	Level 1, Level 2 (equiv. to GCSE / NVQ2)					
Skills or qualifications needed for entry into the class None						
Course aims & objectives						
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# Progression – after this course what might you do next?

You may want to join one of the long-established, recognised national investigation societies, such as the Ghost Club or the Society for Psychical Research, to test out your new-found skills. You may even become inspired to form your own local society.

# How progress & success will be recorded

The tutor will check learners' understanding and invite questions during the course. After each module is completed full written notes will be available. On completion of the course a certificate will be provided as evidence of your studies.

Additional course costs (e.g. visits, materials, books, equipment)

No additional course costs are envisaged, but you may wish to purchase an investigation kit, at some point in the future, if you wish to progress as a paranormal investigator.

Materials/equipment required for first class	All course materials will be provided, in the form of printed handouts.		
Contact for further information	Adult Education: 01223 264721 <u>commed@catrust.co.uk</u>		

## Enrolment and Payment

Please enrol at Comberton Village College for all courses, including those in Cambourne, Melbourn and online. Please assume the class is running once payment has been received, unless you hear to the contrary.

We would appreciate payment of fees over the telephone by debit card, however, if that is not possible then we will accept cash/cheques.

By Phone: 01223 264721

Émail: commed@catrust.co.uk

Cheques: The Cam Academy Trust

Address: Adult Education, Comberton Village College

Comberton, Cambridge, CB23 7DU

## Refunds

Refunds are only available if we close a class or you withdraw at least two weeks before the start. In the latter case there is a £5 administrative charge. Classes cancelled by us due to unforeseen circumstances (e.g. tutor illness) will be replaced with an extra class at the end.

## **Concessionary Fees**

25% discount (excluding materials) is available for those in receipt of JSA/ESA, Universal Credit, Carers Allowance or a social care assessment (EHCP, PIP) evidence to be provided. It is also possible to pay by instalments, please ask for details.

Calendar (Please check start date of specific courses)

Autumn TermHalf term  $23^{rd} - 27^{th}$  Oct 2023Spring TermHalf term  $19^{th} - 23^{rd}$  Feb 2024Summer TermHalf term  $27^{th} - 31^{st}$  May 2024

During the summer holiday period a member of staff will pick up messages each week and return calls and emails. We are closed in other school holidays.

#### **Equalities statement**

We are fully committed to equality of opportunity and welcome enrolments from all adults aged 19+ (on 31 August 2023). We positively encourage all learners with any concerns about specific needs which might affect their learning to discuss their requirements with us in confidence. We believe that everyone is entitled to learn in an environment that is free from discriminatory behaviour so that we build a community based on mutual trust and respect. We will do our best to ensure that resources and equipment are accessible to all and make reasonable adjustments to ensure that all learners can access activities.

Cambridgeshire County Council, Adult Learning and Skills service supports a wide range of other adult learning opportunities across Cambridgeshire to support adults with the lowest level of qualifications or no qualification at all, and so typically find themselves in lower paid, less secure jobs or unemployed. Search our website **www.cambsals.co.uk** for details of all our funded courses.

### Safeguarding Statement

Arrangements have been made to make sure that you are safe at our Centres. If you feel you are not safe for any reason, for example through verbal or physical abuse or you have been discriminated against, please tell your tutor or the Centre Manager, who will investigate to ensure your safety.

#### How we use your data

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/esfa-privacy-notice