



Catholic Youth Ministry

OCNNI LEVEL 2 CERTIFICATE in

YOUTH WORK PRACTICE

Youth Link in partnership with the Diocese of Down and Connor have secured funding from the Education Authority to deliver Catholic Youth Ministry training and the accredited **OCNNI Level 2 in Youth Work Practice** qualification to parish volunteers new and experienced in youth ministry.

TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THIS COURSE APPLICANTS MUST:

- Must be 17+ years old
- Must be working or volunteering in a church/faith-based setting.
- Must have access to a laptop/tablet for hybrid learning
- willing to learn and have fun along the way! Limited places, sign up soon!



The course will be delivered in a mixture of in person sessions on Saturdays and Mid-week sessions online. Saturday Training days will be at Youth Link Premises at 638 Springfield Road, Belfast.

Saturday in-person Training Days
(9:30am-4:30pm)

1. Saturday 30th May - Values and principles of youth work & Developmental needs of young people
2. Saturday 13 June 2026 - Communication skills, safeguarding & group development
3. Saturday 27 June 2026 - Facilitating & evaluating youth ministry programmes

Mid-week Sessions (7:00-9:00pm)

Online links to session will be sent out.

1. Thursday 28 May 2026 - Introduction, theological reflection & role of the youth worker
2. Thursday 4 June 2026 - Values & principles of youth work
3. Thursday 11 June 2026 - Developmental needs of young people
4. Thursday 18 June 2026 - Planning youth ministry activities

Additional support will be provided to those that haven't studied for a while or need some help getting youth ministry established in their parish.

Catholic Youth Ministry Training
OCNNI Level 2 Youth Work
Practice Registration Form



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