

# Get into Learning



*"Over the past 10 years, Usdaw has set up successful learning initiatives with some of the biggest companies in the UK – over 25,000 of our members have returned to some form of learning."*



**Want to learn** about computers but don't know where to go?



**Like to develop new skills** or brush up on old ones, but don't have the confidence to start?



**Want to help** the children with their homework, but don't know where to start?



**Want to do a course**, but your shifts get in the way?

**... then Usdaw can help –  
it's easier than you think!**

**Usdaw**  
**Lifelong Learning**

# Get back into Learning

*it's easier than you think*

## Usdaw can help

Every year Usdaw helps 7,500 members. From brushing up on basic skills, to learning holiday Spanish – they just can't

## Here's what some of our members say ...



*"Everyone needs to start somewhere. That's what I kept saying to myself. Trouble is I've been thinking about it for far too long now, so thank goodness Lifelong Learning came along!*

*My Union Learning Rep fixed me up with a computer course at my local college along with a number of other Usdaw members and it was FREE! Then, when someone dropped out of the sign language course, I jumped straight in."*

**Jan, Reality**



*"I recently completed a computer course through the Lifelong Learning campaign and my Union Learning Rep helped me with the course, so I felt a bit more confident about the course. When I finished I was at a loose end at the local college. I am so pleased to be learning through Usdaw."*

**Debbie, Reality**

# Learning, you think!



Members back into learning!  
to computer courses, even  
get enough!

*"I suffer from dyslexia, which was not recognised at school, so I always had a bit of trouble reading and writing. When Lifelong Learning came to our workplace, I signed up for a basic skills course.*

*Since then my reading has improved and I have more confidence in my writing. I can say that I regained a lot of confidence in my own abilities and myself.*

*It was my Union Learning Rep who really helped me to get into learning, so when the chance came up I became one.*

*I would advise anyone who is interested in learning to see their Union Learning Rep."*

**Vince, Tesco**



course at work. It was advertised as part of Usdaw's  
Union Learning Rep gave me lots of information  
e confident.

so I enrolled on a course for two evenings a week  
to have been given the opportunity to get back

## How do I get started?

Find out who is your Usdaw Union Learning Rep. Your rep will be able to tell you about courses running in or near your workplace. They will also be able to tell you about local colleges and other places to learn.

Your rep is guaranteed to:



Keep your discussions private and treat any concerns in confidence, especially if you are worried about the employer finding out.



Help find the right course for you.



Help you deal with colleges and any paperwork.



Help make learning affordable for you.

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