

GET THE BADGE

Open badges are used to recognise informal online learning.

Badged Open Courses

Open badges are a digital record of your learning. To earn one, you must complete the course and pass the online quizzes. Badges don't carry any credit (for qualifications) but they're a great way to demonstrate your achievement, and provide evidence of continuous professional development. You can display your badge on your OpenLearn profile or on social media platforms.

To earn a badge, you must enrol on the course which means you'll need to register for an OpenLearn account (**see page 4**). Badged courses on OpenLearn are 24 hours long and are divided into eight units. You can study for three hours per week over eight weeks to get into the habit of structured learning, or you can progress at your own pace.

Below you will see some examples of the badged courses available on OpenLearn, and new ones are added every month so keep an eye on the website.



Badged courses (24 hours)

Introducing the voluntary sector

Succeed with Maths part 1

Understanding autism

The Scottish parliament and law making

Digital literacy: succeeding in a digital world

The science of nutrition and healthy eating

Managing my money for young adults

Forensic psychology

Succeed in the workplace

Exploring sport coaching and psychology