Independent Learning FAQs
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What if I have completed multiple learning opportunities and would like recognition for all of them?

If you have undertaken a variety of these types of learning then you are able to apply for recognition of up to 3 activities per application. Subject to satisfactory learner reflection, the total amount of learning will be recognised as per the rules above. If you are applying for multiple forms of learning at once this will show as a combined total on your Coach Secure Area.

If I have already completed my 8 'online CPD Credits' can I apply for more online course credits? (Whether LTA courses or otherwise)

Yes. The technology currently restricts coaches to 8 CPD credits for LTA online courses. Through the Independent Learning process we are opening up CPD and learning to allow for more than 8 credits through LTA online courses. Simply select 'Formal', 'Online Course', and tick 'Yes', then select the title of the course before filling in the rest of the form.

Where possible, we always recommend undertaking 7+ hours per year of face-to-face learning.

When will I hear back?

Please allow up to 14 days for us to review your Independent Learning form and process any CPD credits you have applied for. If your Accreditation expiry date is within the next 14 days, then please use the Contact Us form and we will try to prioritise your application.

Why does my Coach Secure Area list that I have only been allocated 1 CPD credit when I applied for more?

If you are reading '1' credit for Independent Learning from the circle next to that course under your 'Completed' tab (in between Upcoming Courses and Archived), then this is simply because that is how the credits exist at course-level in our database, and this of course changes based on what kind of Independent Learning coaches apply for on an individualised basis. The number under 'Your CPD credits summary' is most accurate, as this is tailored to you, whilst the circle next to the Independent Learning course is simply a generic number because we are currently unable to alter that programming.

If you believe your credit total to be incorrect, then get in touch via the Contact Us form and we will be happy to investigate.