

Training opportunities

28 August 2025

OVERVIEW

The internal auditor has recommended that councillors should attend regular training offered by OALC.

Councillors need to determine what training is required for council to operate effectively, achieve its aims, objectives and priorities, and ensure it keeps up to date with all new legislation.

Spelsbury Parish Council has a Training and Development Policy which outlines the council's policy, and training and development available to councillors and the Clerk.

OALC TRAINING 2025

• Essentials of employing people	08/10/25	£35	Zoom
• Councillor fundamentals	09/10/25	£65	Zoom
• Finance day	16/10/25	£110	Benson
• Planning	04/11/25	£65	Witney
• NALC Legal Update	11/11/25	£0	Zoom
• Roles and Responsibilities	02/12/25	£115	Benson Parish Hall
• Councillor fundamentals	07/01/26	£65	Zoom
• Leading your council	17/01/26	£65	Benson Parish Hall
• Good governance and transparency	26/01/26	£50	Online
• Addressing the biodiversity crisis	19/03/26	£55	Online

The OALC website, oalc.org.uk, lists more training options.

BUDGET

Training budget for 2025-26	£400.00	
Budget used to date	£5.16	
Budget allocated to date	£250.00	Clerk conferences
Budget remaining (31/05/25)	£144.84	