



Course details

Course title

Craft: Beginners' Traditional Calligraphy

Course code

Q00016802

Course date

Start: 05/09/24

End: 05/12/24

Number of classes

12 sessions

Timetable

Thu 5th Sep, 15:00 to 17:00

Thu 12th Sep, 15:00 to 17:00

Thu 19th Sep, 15:00 to 17:00

Thu 26th Sep, 15:00 to 17:00

Thu 3rd Oct, 15:00 to 17:00

Thu 10th Oct, 15:00 to 17:00

Thu 17th Oct, 15:00 to 17:00

Thu 7th Nov, 15:00 to 17:00

Thu 14th Nov, 15:00 to 17:00

Thu 21st Nov, 15:00 to 17:00

Thu 28th Nov, 15:00 to 17:00

Thu 5th Dec, 15:00 to 17:00

Tutor

Fiona Mitchell

Fee range

Free to £88.80

How you'll learn

You'll join a small group of fellow learners for classes online in video meetings and materials will be provided in our virtual learning environment.

Got it!

Online

Venue

Online

Level of study

Beginners

Course overview

Explore the art of calligraphy, no artistic background required. Join us to try your hand at creating elegant lettering. This course offers a solid grounding in various aspects of this craft, catering to beginners and enthusiasts alike. Work with readily available equipment and employ simple yet effective techniques. The primary goal is to provide you with a foundational understanding of calligraphy, emphasising accessibility and ease of learning. Starting with the elegant Roman capitals this course will cover some of the classic styles. Great for left and right handers. If you like stationery you will love calligraphy.

Course description

Discover the timeless elegance of classic calligraphy in our comprehensive course designed for both beginners and seasoned enthusiasts. This course delves into the art of beautiful handwriting, focusing on traditional styles that have adorned historical manuscripts and modern-day works of art. You will explore the foundations of classic calligraphy, starting with the essential tools and materials, including the proper use of different types of nibs and ink.

Guided by a calligrapher, you will practice foundational strokes and letterforms, progressing to more intricate designs and flourishes. Each session is structured to build your skills systematically, ensuring an understanding of letter construction, spacing, and composition. Emphasis will be placed on mastering consistency, balance, and rhythm to create calligraphic pieces.

Throughout the course, you will undertake various projects that encourage creativity while adhering to the principles of classic calligraphy. By the end of the course, you will have developed the confidence and ability to produce original pieces along with a calligraphic sketchbook.

Join us to immerse yourself in the art of classic calligraphy and transform your handwriting into a timeless work of art. No prior experience is necessary—just bring your passion for learning and a steady hand.

What financial support is available?

We don't want anything to stand in your way when it comes to bringing Adult learning within reach so if you need anything to support you to achieve your goals then speak to one of our education experts during your enrolment journey. Most of our courses are government funded but if you don't qualify or need alternative financial help to access them then let us know.

What other support is available?

All of our digital content, teaching and learning activities and assessments are designed to be accessible so if you need any additional support you can discuss this with the education experts during your enrolment journey and we will do all we can to make sure you have optimal access.

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