



**Adult Learning
Within Reach**

Course details

Course title

Craft: Alterations

Course code

Q00018753

Course date

Start: 15/08/24

End: 12/09/24

Number of classes

5 sessions

Timetable

Thu 15th Aug, 10:00 to 14:00

Thu 22nd Aug, 10:00 to 14:00

Thu 29th Aug, 10:00 to 14:00

Thu 5th Sep, 10:00 to 14:00

Thu 12th Sep, 10:00 to 14:00

Tutor

Amanda Meaghan

Fee range

Free to £126.00

How you'll learn

You'll join a small group of fellow learners for classes at the venue indicated. Some materials may be provided in our virtual learning environment.

Got it!

In venue

Venue

Abakhan (Liverpool)
44 Stafford Street
Liverpool
L3 8LX

Level of study

Intermediate

Course overview

This course is 30 hours of follow-on skills for the Beginner Sewing into Business course. On this course you will learn how to carry out essential alterations. You will learn, inserting zips into cushions and outdoor furnishings, adjusting waistbands with elastic for a custom fit, gain understanding of how to alter school uniforms, including sewing badges and hemming pants. You will also be guided in researching how to monetize your sewing skills, gaining insights into market demands and business strategies. This course provides a blend of practical sewing techniques and entrepreneurial knowledge, equipping you to confidently tackle common mending tasks and explore business opportunities.

Course description

This course is designed for individuals who have completed a beginner sewing course and are ready to enhance their skills for personal and professional use. Building on foundational sewing techniques, this course focuses on practical alterations and mending of clothes and home furnishings, addressing the most requested repairs. You will learn to skilfully insert a full zip into cushions or outdoor furnishings, making them look brand new.

The course will cover essential alterations, such as adjusting waistbands with elastic to ensure a perfect fit and tailoring school uniforms in preparation for the new academic year. You will gain hands-on experience in sewing on badges, hemming pants, and letting out waistbands.

Beyond technical skills, this course will encourage you to explore the potential of sewing as a small business. Through guided research, you will discover how to monetize your skills within your communities, understanding market demands and effective marketing strategies. Come along and meet like-minded people while enhancing your sewing skills in a supportive and creative environment. Join us to refine your techniques and share your passion for sewing with fellow enthusiasts. By the end of the course, you will have a comprehensive skill set for practical sewing projects and the knowledge to start a sewing business, turning a hobby into a profitable venture.

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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