

Course details

Course title Craft: Needle Felting

Course code Q00019804

Course date

Start: 07/01/25 End: 25/03/25

Number of classes

11 sessions

Timetable

Tue 7th Jan, 9:00 to 11:00 Tue 14th Jan, 9:00 to 11:00 Tue 21st Jan, 9:00 to 11:00 Tue 28th Jan, 9:00 to 11:00 Tue 4th Feb, 9:00 to 11:00 Tue 11th Feb, 9:00 to 11:00 Tue 25th Feb, 9:00 to 11:00 Tue 11th Mar, 9:00 to 11:00 Tue 18th Mar, 9:00 to 11:00 Tue 25th Mar, 9:00 to 11:00

Tutor

Rebecca Spear

Fee range

Free to £81.40

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

Join us for an exciting new course designed for beginner needle felters! If you're curious about this versatile craft, this is the perfect opportunity to learn the basics and beyond. We'll introduce you to the essential equipment and materials needed to create various patterns and shapes. Throughout the course, you'll explore different techniques for sculpting wool into beautiful creations. Skills covered and enhanced will include understanding different types of wool and needles, mastering basic felting techniques, and creating both flat and three-dimensional pieces. You'll also learn how to incorporate embellishments and combine colours effectively. This course is funded by the Education Skills and Funding Agency.

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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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