

Adult Learning - Course Information Sheet



AEL2DA35 - Embroidery For Beginners

Earls Barton Library and Community Centre

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Room Earls Barton Library

Start Date: 27 September 2022

End Date: 01 November 2022

Start Time: 10:00AM

End Time: 12:00PM

Day: Tuesday

Sessions: 5

Tutor: Mrs Julie Williams

Course aim

The aim of this course is to introduce basic embroidery stitches which can be used to create pictures or decorate items such as journal covers or book marks.

Course outcomes

Identify and use the basic materials and equipment used in embroidery; such as linen, embroidery silks, embroidery needles and embroidery hoops.

Create simple pictures and decoration using the basic stitches of backstitch, lazy daisies and French knots.

Use a piece of embroidery on linen to create a framed picture, journal cover or bookmark.

How will the course be taught?

This course will be taught face to face using group and one to one tuition, demonstration and practical activities.

What do I need to bring / have ready?

Half a metre of natural linen craft fabric.

Stranded cotton thread e.g. 'Anchor' in a range of colours (three or four colours will be fine to begin with).

A pack of chenille needles.

A small pair of sharp scissors.

A four inch and a six inch wooden or plastic embroidery hoop.

A notebook and HB pencil

Further support and progression

If you need help whilst on a course with us, our Learner Support Advisor is available to discuss your needs.

We offer a range of services, subject to eligibility, which can include practical support and/or financial assistance to ensure you feel fully supported while learning with us. For more information contact

alsreferrals@northnorthants.gov.uk or call 01604 368023 (answerphone available). Visit our website www.northamptonshire.gov.uk/course-info for further information about our fees and concessions. Your tutor will inform you of further learning opportunities and progression during your course.

Health and Safety / Online Safety

Your tutor will give you information about Health and Safety on the first session. For information on how to keep safe online, go to https://safety.lovetoknow.com/Internet_Safety_Adult and <https://takefive-stopfraud.org.uk/> national awareness campaign. To report suspected scams, or for information on preventing scams, call the Citizens Advice on 03454 04 05 06.

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