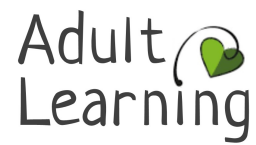


Adult Learning - Course Information Sheet



SCC3DN33 - Introduction to Dressmaking

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Room

Start Date: 26 February 2025
End Date: 26 March 2025
Start Time: 7:00PM
End Time: 9:00PM
Day: Wednesday
Sessions: 5
Tutor: Mrs Nicola Magee

Multiply

Our free numeracy courses are for individuals:

- resident in North Northamptonshire, aged 19 and over
- that have not achieved a maths GCSE of at least a Grade C or equivalent
- who may want to develop numeracy skills for work or progression
- that want to brush up and develop their numeracy skills for everyday life.

What will I learn

You will gain the confidence to begin sewing simple garments as you will be making a skirt or an easy to sew pair of trousers. Each week, you will be encouraged to develop knowledge and ability of, and in, the different techniques essential to successful dressmaking. All aspects of constructing a garment from pattern choice to the completed project will be covered. You can work towards a finished garment or, if you prefer, a garment specimen.

You will also develop your confidence and skills working within a selection of Mathematical topics relevant to this course including measure accurately, converting between measures, application of fractions, understanding properties of shapes and four operations.

What will I need to take part?

You will need to bring a sewing machine and any dressmaking equipment you have.

You may choose to bring a notepad and pen to record notes if you would like.

What to expect

This course is delivered in a face to face setting. This course is a FREE course funded by Multiply which is designed to develop confidence and skills in adults and learners.

Where can it lead to?

Feeling confident with numbers helps in every aspect of life, from measuring food ingredients, mixing hair dye and checking invoices, to helping the children with their homework or even setting up in business. There is no such thing as someone who 'can do maths' and someone who cannot. It's learning in the right way for you that will help you get on in life. This could be applying for a new job, improving career prospects, budgeting at home, helping the kids or saving for the future. You don't need to become a maths expert to do this.

With the current increase in the cost of living, it adds up that now is time to improve your own skills in working with numbers. Those who improve their numeracy skills are more likely to be in employment, have higher wages and better wellbeing.

This course may open up other Maths opportunities for you including other Maths courses such as Functional Skills Maths.

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Course eligibility and fees

Multiply is a 3 year programme funded through the Department for Education aimed at supporting adults to increase their skills in numeracy. Those who improve their numeracy skills are more likely to be in employment, have higher wages and better wellbeing.

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