

Course Information 2018/19

UPCYCLE YOUR FURNITURE

Start Date	13 th September 2018
Time	7.00pm - 9.00pm
Day of week	Thursday
Number of Weeks	5
Venue	ELY COLLEGE
Course Fee	£ 55.00 Concessionary Fee: £ 40.00 Fees are payable by cash in person or cheque payable to Ely College
Course Level	Mixed ability
Additional Course Cost (e.g. visits, materials, books, assessment fee, equipment)	No additional costs, although some supplies may be purchased from the tutor if preferred.
Any skills or qualifications needed for entry to the class	None
Materials required for first class	Piece of furniture/object to decorate Pack of different grade sand paper Tile primer/multi surface primer (if difficult to purchase will have some supplies at cost) Matt emulsion paint of your choice of colour Wax of your choice (Tutor will have a range which a can be tried/used for a small fee) Brushes (decorating, range of sizes)

Course description - Including aims & objectives

Ever had that feeling of satisfaction when you say, "I made that." This course will show you how to update old furniture, using paint, colour wash, decoupage wax, new handles etc. Make something unique & beautiful for your home or even start a small business.

- 1. To upcycle a piece of unwanted furniture or object into something unique.
- 2. Learn new skills that can be used again in furnishing your home or for a small business.
- 3. Gain confidence in knowing what can be achieved with a piece of furniture, save money or even make some money & have fun.

How Progress & Success will be recorded:

Each student will complete an individual tracker with tutor set goals and individual learning aims.

Any further next steps

The course may continue into the next term if numbers are viable

What else will you need to do	We ask all students to complete an enrolment form which asks for details required by the Education & Skills Funding Agency & the County Council and is a requirement of entry to the course. We ask for full payment prior to the course beginning. Please note refunds can only be made if a class is cancelled or closed.
What else do we ask of you	Please can you let us know if you have any attendance problems and if you are not able to attend the class (contact details below). We like to know if you have a problem.
How do we know if you are happy with your course	We will ask you to complete a course evaluation, giving us your feedback on the course, tutor & college. You are always welcome to feedback directly to us at any time during your course to help us improve our services & courses.

Some of our courses are subsidised by the Education and Skills Funding Agency (ESFA) and part financed by the 2014-20 European Social Fund (ESF) programme. This funding is managed by Cambridgeshire County Council, Adult Learning and Skills. A short video covering the background of ESF, what it does, how it helps and who benefits is available on the European Union website: http://ec.europa.eu/esf/home.jsp

How we use your data

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/esfa-privacy-notice

Safeguarding

Arrangements have been made to make sure that you are safe at our Centres. If you feel you are not safe for any reason, for example through verbal or physical abuse or you have been discriminated against, please tell your tutor or the Centre Manager, who will investigate to ensure your safety.

Equality and Diversity

We are fully committed to equality of opportunity and welcome enrolments from all adults aged 19+. We positively encourage all learners with any concerns about specific needs which might affect their learning to discuss their requirements with us in confidence. We believe that everyone is entitled to learn in an environment that is free from discriminatory behaviour so that we build a community based on mutual trust and respect. We will do our best to ensure that resources and equipment are accessible to all and make reasonable adjustments to ensure that all learners can access activities.

Cambridgeshire County Council, Adult Learning and Skills service supports a wide range of adult learning opportunities across Cambridgeshire. Search our website www.cambsals.co.uk for more information. We also deliver specific courses for adults with learning difficulties and disabilities. For more information about these specific courses please call 01223 703530

National Careers Service (NCS)

Careers advice is available to all learners. The National Careers Service provides free information and advice on all aspects of learning, skills development and employment. Help is provided in a way that suits you, online, face to face or by telephone. Go to www.cambsals.co.uk and click on 'I need some advice' for more information or call our booking line on 0845 603 1059

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