

Code: AWC163T5	
Title: Watercolour	
Day: Tuesday	
Time: 09:30 to 12:30	
Date(s): 16 April to 21 May 2024	
Half-term dates: N/A	
Number of sessions: 6	
Tutor: Helen Jayne Gunn	
Venue: Oakham Enterprise Park (OEP)	
Cost: £99	

Concessions: If you receive certain benefits (not Child Tax Credit) or have a gross household income of less than £27,000 per year, you may be entitled to a 50% discount – please enquire.

Who is it for?

Anyone interested in learning watercolour painting or advancing their existing watercolour painting skills.

Course description:

This term's optional theme is 'Garden'. We will be looking at a range of styles and approaches to painting garden themed subjects –anything from small detailed studies to views of stately-home vistas or your own lovely garden.

Learn how to:

- Do basic drawing
- Apply washes
- Mix colours
- Research, plan and develop a painting

If you need more information or advice, please call us on 01572 758122 or email adultlearning@rutland.gov.uk

What should I bring?

Watercolour kit.

Watercolour paper requirements: 100% Cotton(only!)/300gsm/Grain fin/surface NOT or a good quality 150gsm NOT paper. Recommended brands: Bockingford, Saunders, Waterford or Arches., masking tape, masking fluid. Paints: a set of student or artist quality paints (suggested brands Windsor & Newton or Daler-Rowney). Alternatively buy small individual tubes, ideally two blues – such as a French Ultramarine and Cobalt or Cerulean; two reds, such as Crimson Alizarin and a Cadmium Red (or a Vermillion type hue) two yellows such as a Cadmium Yellow or Cadmium Yellow Pale and a Yellow Ochre or Transparent Yellow. The idea is to have a differentiation of primary

colours.

A range of brush sizes – such as No. 2 / No. 4 / No. 6 / No.8

A standard sketch book for quick sketches, painterly doodles and inspirational ideas.

What could I do after this?

Do another watercolour course or join a local painting group. Further your art skills by learning how to paint or draw using other media. Join a group of artists with a view to exhibiting. Research online art groups with a view to joining and showing your paintings online.

Who delivers it?

Helen Jayne Gunn is a multi-media artist and professional art teacher. She has a BA Hons in Fine Art and an MA in Fine Art.

Directions and Map:

From the Oakham Bypass, turn onto the Ashwell Road. After about a mile cross the mini-roundabout and immediately prepare to turn right into Gate 2. The car park is straight on.

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