


CAM ACADEMY TRUST COURSE INFORMATION

Course Title	<div style="text-align: right;">  </div> <p style="text-align: center;"> Calligraphy: Inspired by the Lindisfarne Gospels (1) </p>				
Course Description	<p>This is the first of two linked workshops – you may attend both, or just one. In this first one we will take a close look at the wonderful Display Capitals in the early 8th century Lindisfarne Gospels, and use them to inspire some drawn and decorated lettering of our own. Everyone will work on a small individual piece, such as a decorative name or other word for a personalised card. Those attending the second workshop in March will then add some smaller writing following the half-Uncial style in which the Lindisfarne Gospels are written.</p>				
Start Date	2 nd Oct 2021	Day & Time	Saturday 10.00 – 16.00	Venue	Comberton Village College
Tutor Details	<p>Liz Barrow teaches daytime calligraphy classes at Comberton and at Bottisham Village Colleges. She is a CLAS (Calligraphy and Lettering Arts Society) Accredited Tutor.</p>				
No. of wks	1	Terms	1		
Fee	£40	Concessionary Fee	£30		
Course Level:	Mixed ability		x		
	Level 1, Level 2 (equiv. to GCSE / NVQ2)				
	Level 3 Equivalent GCE A Level				
Skills or qualifications needed for entry into the class	<p>Although this workshop is aimed mainly at students who already attend a weekly calligraphy class, newcomers are also welcome and will find the workshop accessible. All you need is enthusiasm and a willingness to experiment.</p>				
Course aims & objectives					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To observe the variety of letter shapes in the Lindisfarne Gospels Display Capitals pages. • To observe the different ways the 8th century Lindisfarne scribe decorated the letters. • To select some letters and make own versions, drawing them and painting them in. • To use some decorative techniques to enhance the chosen letters, either traditional or contemporary • To complete a small project, such as a decorative name or other word, which could be used in a greeting card design. 					

Progression – after this course what might you do next?

You may attend the second of this pair of linked workshops, in which we will study the half-Uncial script used in the Lindisfarne Gospels, and add some pen lettering to the design you worked on today. Please see the separate course information sheet for details of that workshop.

How progress & success will be recorded

Everyone will enjoy looking at the work of others in the class, and work will displayed at the end of the day.

Additional course costs (e.g. visits, materials, books, equipment)

Those who already attend a weekly class are likely to already have all the equipment you need. Please see checklist below.

Materials/equipment required for first class

If the item has a * by it, this means it will be available for sale on the day. If it has **, this means the tutor can pre-order it for you, provided you give at least two weeks' notice.

- Cartridge or drawing paper*
- Watercolour paper (preferably hot pressed) - optional - a sheet approx A3 size should be plenty
- Tracing paper*
- Fineliner pen (black) **
- Calligraphy pen with number 6 nib*
- Small round (not flat) paintbrushes**, suggest you bring two or three at least, size approx 3, 4, 5 or 6 (not crucial which size)
- Gouache, various colours including black*
- Gold - optional – such as gouache, Finetec or Trocol
- Palette or suitable pots* for paint (small pots for sale)
- Pencil
- Ruler
- Masking tape
- Water pot or jam jar
- Rubber
- Lightbox if you have one – don't buy specially but if you have a spare one please bring it for someone else to borrow if possible – it is not essential to have a lightbox to enjoy this workshop
- Extension lead if you have one, for lightboxes
- Folder for handouts
- A name (or other word) which you would like to write – I suggest around 4 to 12 letters but this is just a guide. If you can research the meaning/derivation of the name, or write a short verse or greeting appropriate to the name, you can then add this in March if you attend the second workshop, thus creating a personalised card. You may alternatively bring a different idea for a word you'd like to write, perhaps along a Christmas theme.

	Please bring lunch and drinks with you, there are no refreshments available on site.
Contact for further information	Adult Education: 01223 264721 commed@catrust.co.uk

Enrolment and Payment

Please enrol at Comberton Village College for all courses, including those in Cambourne, Melbourn and online. **Please assume the class is running once payment has been received, unless you hear to the contrary.**

We would appreciate payment of fees over the telephone by debit card to avoid contact, however, if that is not possible then we will accept cheques.

By Phone: 01223 264721
 Email: commed@catrust.co.uk
 Cheques: The Cam Academy Trust
 Address: Adult Education, Comberton Village College
 Comberton, Cambridge, CB23 7DU

Refunds

Refunds are only available if we close a class or you withdraw at least two weeks before the start. In the latter case there is a £5 administrative charge. Classes cancelled by us due to unforeseen circumstances (e.g. tutor illness) will be replaced with an extra class at the end.

Concessionary Fees

25% discount (excluding materials) is available for those in receipt of JSA/ESA, Universal Credit, Carers Allowance or a social care assessment (EHCP, PIP) evidence to be provided. It is also possible to pay by instalments, please ask for details.

Calendar (Please check start date of specific courses)

Autumn Term Half term 25th – 29th Oct 2021
 Spring Term Half term 14th – 18th Feb 2022
 Summer Term Half term 30th May – 3rd June 2022

During the summer holiday period a member of staff will pick up messages each week and return calls and emails. We are closed in other school holidays.

Equalities statement

We are fully committed to equality of opportunity and welcome enrolments from all adults aged 19+ (on 31 August 2021). 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 other adult learning opportunities across Cambridgeshire to support adults with the lowest level of qualifications or no qualification at all, and so typically find themselves in lower paid, less secure jobs or unemployed. Search our website www.cambsals.co.uk for details of all our funded courses.

Safeguarding Statement

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.

How we use your data

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