



# CAM ACADEMY TRUST COURSE INFORMATION

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| <b>Course Title</b>   | <b>Floral arrangements</b>  |   |  |              |        |
| <b>Course Description</b>                                       | <p>This is an introductory course to learn both the basics of creating handtied flower designs and designs in foam. You will be given a detailed resource list of the materials you require which are readily available from local shops or online retailers. During the course we will make</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A seasonal crate or planter</li> <li>An autumn arrangement in a pumpkin</li> <li>An autumn textured posy pad</li> <li>Handtied bouquet with a brown paper collar</li> <li>Christmas kissing ball</li> </ul> <p>Students will be encouraged to explore their own preferences and are free to work with any materials they choose.</p> <p><b>This course is taking place live online, therefore, you will need access to equipment and the Zoom software program in order to participate.</b></p> |   |  |              |        |
| <b>Start Date</b>   | 4 <sup>th</sup> Oct 2021  | <b>Day &amp; Time</b>                       | Monday 7-9pm<br>every fortnight<br>(see dates below) | <b>Venue</b> | Online |
| <b>Tutor Details</b>  | <p><b>Alison Liddiard</b> is a City and Guilds trained florist working both as a freelance florist and floristry tutor. She has her own event floristry business and is a qualified teacher, teaching for a variety of adult education providers.</p>   |   |  |              |        |
| <b>No. of wks</b>   | 5   | <b>Terms</b>                                | 1  |              |        |
| <b>Fee</b>  | £43   | <b>Concessionary Fee</b>                    | £32  |              |        |
| <b>Course Level:</b>  | Mixed ability   |   | x  |              |        |
|   | Level 1   |   |  |              |        |
| <b>Skills or qualifications needed for entry into the class</b> |   | None, just an interest in flower arranging. |  |              |        |
| <b>Course aims &amp; objectives</b>                             |   |   |  |              |        |
| By the end of this course learners should:                      |   |   |  |              |        |

Understand the basic principles of bouquet design  
 Know how to create basic hand-tied floral bouquets with a collar  
 Be able to assemble a design in floral foam  
 Understand the effects to be gained from different flower groupings  
 Understand the use of specific flowers and floral material and their suitability for using in handtied bouquets and in foam

4th October  
 18th October  
 1st November  
 15th November  
 29th November

**Progression – after this course what might you do next?**

Other day workshops  
 C&G level 2 award in floristry  
 C&G level 2 certificate in floristry  
 C&G level 2 diploma in floristry

**How progress & success will be recorded**

Learners are encouraged to take photographs to record their creations.

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

You will need to purchase your flowers for the session each fortnight - advice will be given on suitable flowers and foliage.

During the course you will also need to provide:

Floral foam (2 blocks, one 10” posy pad and a foam sphere 8”)

Containers – a crate or planter and a pumpkin

A roll of brown paper

1m of narrow ribbon

Small pack of 20 gauge florist wires (a link can be provided to purchase suggested wires)

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| <p><b>Materials/equipment required for first class</b></p> | <p>Apron<br/>         Florist scissors or secateurs<br/>         A list of flowers, foliage and equipment required for the first class will be emailed to you in advance.</p> |
| <p><b>Contact for further information</b></p>              | <p>Adult Education: 01223 264721<br/> <a href="mailto:commed@catrust.co.uk">commed@catrust.co.uk</a></p>  |

**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](mailto: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 25<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> Oct 2021  
Spring Term Half term 14<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> Feb 2022  
Summer Term Half term 30<sup>th</sup> May – 3<sup>rd</sup> 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](http://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>