



CAM ACADEMY TRUST COURSE INFORMATION

Course Title	 Creative Mosaics 				
Course Description	<p>Have fun creating colourful handmade mosaics. No previous mosaicking experience is necessary. Learn simple tiling techniques using various tile materials on different bases. Then learn how to mix and apply grout to your mosaics for that finished look. We will also consider how colours and shapes work together, plus other aspects of mosaic design.</p> <p>By the end of the course, you will have several of your own mosaic creations including coasters, flowerpots and other homewares. These items will be both ornamental and functional, and can make delightful gifts.</p> <p>All work will be carried out in class, with guidance and supervision. Whilst all abilities are welcome, this course is ideally suited to those with no or basic mosaicking experience. There is no requirement to have attended my previous day schools or evening classes.</p> <p>All materials and equipment are provided. Material costs are included.</p>				
Start Date	15th January 2025	Day & Time	Wednesday 19.00 – 21.00	Venue	Comberton Village College
Tutor Details	<p>Richard Morgan is a local artist who has been creating mosaics for over nine years. This medium perfectly suits his passion for colour, shapes and precision.</p> <p>Richard teaches mosaic classes and workshops in and around Cambridge. His mosaics can also be seen at various craft fairs and events throughout the year, including Cambridge Open Studios and Mill Road Winter Fair.</p>				
No. of wks	6	Terms		1	
Fee	£105 (includes £30 materials)	Concessionary Fee		£79 (includes £30 materials)	
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			None		

Course aims & objectives	
<p>Aims:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Design and create your own mosaic homeware • Understand how colours and shapes work together <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learn basic mosaic tiling techniques using various tile and base materials • Learn how to mix and apply grout to tiles • Consider how tile and base properties influence the tools and techniques used • Gain skills, confidence and inspiration in designing and making mosaics 	
Progression – after this course what might you do next?	
Attend further courses / day schools. You will also have the skills to make mosaics at home.	
How progress & success will be recorded	
Feedback from the tutor.	
Materials/equipment required for first class	<p>Please bring...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A container (e.g. a Tupperware or margarine tub) at least 12 x 12cm, in which to carry items home • Wear old clothes you don't mind getting dirty, or an apron
Contact for further information	<p>Adult Education: 01223 264721 commed@catrust.co.uk</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 can currently accept card payments within our office based in Comberton Village College. We accept cash and cheques made payable to The Cam Academy Trust. We will be available in class to collect contactless card payments in person, at the beginning of each term. We can also send out secure payment requests for fees, via email and text messages. **Please note, we no longer accept payments over the telephone.**

You can contact our office via the following:

By Phone: 01223 264721 – please check our office opening hours

Email: commed@catrust.co.uk

Address: Adult Education, Comberton Village College, Comberton, Cambridgeshire, CB23 7DU

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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/snow) will be replaced with an extra class at the end, wherever possible.

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 28th Oct – 01st Nov 2024

Spring Term Half term 17th Feb – 21st Feb 2025

Summer Term Half term 26th May – 30th May 2025

During the summer holiday period a member of staff will be answering 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 31st August 2024). 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>