

3. Safely and confidently use a heat gun and embossing powder to make card designs.
4. Develop the use of stamps and ink pads to create focal images and backgrounds for cards. Learn how to use a stamp aid to produce clear stamp images. Become aware of the different types of ink pads and what they do.
5. Develop the use of words in card making, making of sentiments and inserts to finish off a card.

What teaching methods will be used and will there be work outside of the class?

- The WEA tutor will use a range of different teaching and learning methods and encourage you and the group to be actively involved in your learning
- You may be asked to undertake additional work in your own time to support your learning
- I will provide samples and demonstrate techniques in class. I also go around the class and supervise each student in what they are making.

What kind of feedback can I expect from the tutor?

- A range of informal activities will be used by the tutor to see what you are learning which may include quizzes, question and answer, small projects and discussion
- You will have opportunities to discuss your progress with your tutor
- You will be encouraged to share your work with the group and discuss your learning
- You will be encouraged to consider other students work and give your opinions and suggestions
- A file of work will be kept which will help to record your progress
- There will be a number of tasks appropriate to your course such as written work, creating art or craft, video, photography or small projects. Some of these may be marked to help you progress
- We will work together in class. Feed back is always positive and should a student experience difficulties I will add further examples and ideas to help you.

What else do I need to know? Is there anything I need to bring?

- A selection of materials and basic equipment will be provided but you are welcome to bring additional materials with you
- You will need to provide some materials such as card and glues . Details will be given in the first class and all items are available locally at budget prices (Mainly pound shops). Items can be purchased as you progress.

Pre-course work, reading and information sources

- No pre reading is required but research on the subject on the internet or in the library may be helpful

Possible next steps after this course including career opportunities if appropriate

- Become involved with the WEA in a range of voluntary work and other activities including campaigning as a WEA member
- Become involved as a volunteer for a WEA partner or another organisation
- This is a good course to start your return to education journey should you wish to do so. If you are nervous about returning to education, you can come along and get the feel of the place and decide what you want to do next.

You can read about your entitlements and responsibilities as a WEA student in our leaflet, Student Handbook here <http://www.wea.org.uk/learn-wea/student-support> This includes information on fees,

learning support and financial support. As part of your course you accept a Learning Agreement. Full details of the Learning Agreement can be found on our website at <http://www.wea.org.uk/about-us/policies>. This applies to all courses you take in this academic year.

You can enrol online for some courses <http://www.wea.org.uk/learn-wea/course-search> or contact: WEA Support Services, Suite 10B Joseph's Well, Hanover Way, Leeds, West Yorkshire, LS3 1AB
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