

<b>Course title:</b> Nordic Gnome Craft Workshop		<b>Course ID:</b> C2525413
<b>Start date:</b> 26/11/2019	<b>End date:</b> 26/11/2019	<b>Day(s)/time(s):</b> Tue 10:00
<b>Number of sessions:</b> 1	<b>Hours per session:</b> 2	<b>Tutor</b> Elaine Swan
<b>Additional hours:</b>	<b>Online Learning Hours:</b> 0	
<b>Specific funder/partner requirements:</b>		
<b>Awarding body (if any):</b> <b>Title of qualification to be gained:</b>		<b>Level:</b> Entry 2
<b>Fee:</b> £7.00 or <b>Free</b> if you are in receipt of an income related benefit (only SFA funded) <b>Accreditation Fee</b> (if applicable):		
<b>Venue:</b> St Andrews Church Hall, Carr Avenue, Brandon, Durham, Durham, DH7 8QG		
<p><b>Theme(s):</b> The WEA has four themes it uses for planning its provision.  <b>Employability</b> – helping students to get a job or to make progress in their employment  <b>Health and Wellbeing</b> – making a positive contribution to their own or others health and wellbeing  <b>Community Engagement</b> – encouraging students to be positively involved in their communities  <b>Culture</b> – learning about diverse cultures, identities and environments</p> <p>The Theme(s) used in planning your course is/ are:</p> <p>1. <b>Health and Wellbeing</b>    2. <b>Community Engagement</b></p>		

<p><b>Course Aim</b> Learn how to follow a pattern to create your very own Nordic Gnome ready for the festive season. After learning these skills you will be able to continue in your own time and make as many as you want for family and friends.</p>
<p><b>Course Description</b> Come along and enjoy the art of crafting by hand to create the seasons popular Nordic Gnomes. A basic pattern will be available to enable you to continue crafting after the session is over. No stress, just a feel-good creative activity using your hands.</p>
<p><b>Do I need any particular skills or experience?</b></p>
<p><b>What will I achieve?</b> <b>By the end of the course I will be able to:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Familiarise yourself with the tools and materials to create a Nordic Gnome</li> <li>2. Follow instruction to create your own Nordic Gnome</li> <li>3. Research other types and styles of Nordic Gnomes, or other felt projects available to enable you to continue with your crafting after the class, using either the internet or specialised retail outlets</li> <li>4. Respect each others personal space, thought and style when creating an individual piece</li> <li>5. Follow all health and safety regulations when using materials and equipment</li> </ol>

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

- Practical workshop.

### **What kind of feedback can I expect from the tutor?**

- You will be able to keep a digital portfolio of your work on WEA's digital learning platform, Canvas.
- 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

### **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

### **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)**

- Progress to another WEA course
- Progress to a course with another provider
- Become involved as a volunteer for a WEA partner or another organisation

### **Learning with the WEA**

WEA courses increasingly make use of the rich variety of educational tools and material available on the internet and from digital devices. The WEA's digital learning platform, Canvas will play an increasing role in all WEA courses to provide resources or support, or to conduct lessons, enable assessment, provide learner feedback and for other activities for individuals away from the course. It is helpful, although not essential if you have access to a computer or smartphone to support your course.

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 our Learning Agreement and Privacy Notice. Full details of the Learning Agreement and privacy notice can be found on our website at <http://www.wea.org.uk/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 Tel: 0300 303 3464 Email: [courseenquiries@wea.org.uk](mailto:courseenquiries@wea.org.uk)

