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| <b>Course title:</b> Christmas Wreath Making  |                                 | <b>Course ID:</b> C2525425       |
| <b>Start date:</b> 28/11/2019   | <b>End date:</b> 28/11/2019     | <b>Day(s)/time(s):</b> Thu 09:30 |
| <b>Number of sessions:</b> 1  | <b>Hours per session:</b> 3     | <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><br><b>Title of qualification to be gained:</b>   |                                 | <b>Level:</b> Level 1            |
| <b>Fee:</b> £10.50 or <b>Free</b> if you are in receipt of an income related benefit (only SFA funded)<br><b>Accreditation Fee</b> (if applicable):   |                                 |                                  |
| <b>Venue:</b> Robert Stewart Memorial Hall, 89 Wingrove Road, Newcastle upon Tyne, Tyne and Wear, NE4 9BU   |                                 |                                  |
| <p><b>Theme(s):</b> The WEA has four themes it uses for planning its provision.</p> <p><b>Employability</b> – helping students to get a job or to make progress in their employment<br/> <b>Health and Wellbeing</b> – making a positive contribution to their own or others health and wellbeing<br/> <b>Community Engagement</b> – encouraging students to be positively involved in their communities<br/> <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>Community Engagement</b>                                  2.</p> |                                 |                                  |

**Course Aim**

get into the festive spirit and learn the skills needed to create your own xmas wreath using fresh or decorative materials  
Once you know the techniques needed you will be able to continue in your own time

**Course Description**

The christmas wreath work shop will enable you to create your own xmas wreath using a selection of fresh greenery and fern cones but you can also bring in your own decorative materials for a more personal design and style  
Once you have gained the skills and technical knowledge you will be able to make them again and again  
for different events through out the year for special occasions and gifts

**Do I need any particular skills or experience?**

**What will I achieve?**

**By the end of the course I will be able to:**

1. Gain the knowledge of suitable materials needed for this project
2. Learn how to attach different materials and decorative objects to your christmas wreath adding individual detail and style

3. Learn from each other when designing and creating, respect and appreciate different styles and taste
4. Discover the advantages of meeting with likeminded people and the positive effect for your well being when creating something that can make you and others happy
5. Follow all health and safety regulations needed when working with sharp tools and materials in a classroom environment

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

- You may be asked to undertake additional work in your own time to support your learning

**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
- Become involved with the WEA in a range of voluntary work and other activities including campaigning as a WEA member

**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)



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