

<b>Course title:</b> Cake Decorating		<b>Course ID:</b> C2525487
<b>Start date:</b> 20/01/2020	<b>End date:</b> 30/03/2020	<b>Day(s)/time(s):</b> Mon 10:00
<b>Number of sessions:</b> 10	<b>Hours per session:</b> 2	<b>Tutor</b> Tracy Golden
<b>Additional hours:</b>	<b>Online Learning Hours:</b> 0	
<b>Specific funder/partner requirements:</b> To enrol on this course you will need to contact Donna Middleton on 01642 296166, who will provide you with a pin number which will enable you to enrol online or by phone.		
<b>Awarding body (if any):</b> <b>Title of qualification to be gained:</b>		<b>Level:</b> Level 2
<b>Fee:</b> £70.00 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> Tees Valley Women's Centre, Upper Albion Street, South Bank, Middlesbrough, Cleveland, TS6 6XG		
<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:  1. <b>Employability</b>                                  2. <b>Community Engagement</b></p>		

<p><b>Course Aim</b> to provide you with the knowledge and know how to create various celebration cakes suitable for all occasions.</p>
<p><b>Course Description</b> During this course you will learn how to crumb coat a cake, in preparation for covering with fondant icing. You will learn how to pipe with buttercream to make various piped flowers and side designs for the cakes We will also be using fondant modelling paste to create a variety of sugarcraft models to be placed on our decorated cakes.. Skills used in this course could be used within the hospitality industry and catering sector. You could even use these to go onto self employment and create your very own cottage industry</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>  1. understand basic food safety principals  2. use correctly sugarcraft tools and food colourings at safe levels</p>

3. crumb coat a cake and fully understand why we do this
4. cover a cake with fondant icing prior to decoration
5. make fondant sugarcraft model from fondant modelling paste

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

- The WEA's digital learning platform, Canvas will be used to provide resources or to support lessons, enable assessment, provide learner feedback and for other activities for individuals away from the course. If you want to understand more about our digital learning platform please visit: <http://bit.ly/WEAonline>
- 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
- You will be expected to carry out a range of activities in your own time

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

- You will be able to keep a record of your progress and achievement using photos, audio, text or documents uploaded into the WEA's digital learning platform, WEA Canvas.
- Your tutor will provide written, text and audio feedback recorded in WEA Canvas, WEA's digital learning platform.
- 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

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

- What you need: You will need an internet connection, speakers, a microphone and a webcam so that you can use our video learning platform, Zoom. If you'd like to understand more Zoom please visit: <http://bit.ly/ZoomSpec>
- You will need a personal email address to join the WEA's digital learning platform, Canvas so that you can receive resources, record your progress and achievement and to work with others and share ideas. If you want to understand more about our digital learning platform please visit: <http://bit.ly/WEAonline>
- a full list of equipment needed will be provided on the first session

**Pre-course work, reading and information sources**

- No pre reading or pre course work is required

**Possible next steps after this course (including career opportunities if appropriate)**

- Progress to another WEA course
- Progress to a course with another provider
- This course could lead to a range of job opportunities. Follow link to National Careers Service for more details <https://nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk/>

- 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
- You could progress to Higher Education courses. Follow link to the PEARL website for information <http://pearl.open.ac.uk/>
- Access the WEA What Next? booklet here <http://www.wea.org.uk/learn-wea/what-can-i-do-next>

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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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