

STRODE'S COLLEGE ~ ADULT LEARNING COURSE INFORMATION SHEET

**COURSE TITLE:**

Drawing and Painting studio (Advanced)

DURATION:

10 sessions

ABOUT THE COURSE:

Do you want to develop your skills and feel more confident in expressing your ideas? Art is an excellent way of doing this, Develop your drawing and painting skills.

The course is varied and aims to improve students' observational skills, eye-to-hand co-ordination and dexterity. Over the weeks you will be investigate your own art work using a variety of mediums, drawing with pencil, ink, and pastels. As well as painting using different medium. This course is to build up a portfolio of your own art work or just to develop your art.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

Interview or course specific application required? **Yes / No**

Prior knowledge / experience: It is recommended that you have completed an Art for Beginners/ Improvers course at Strode's College or elsewhere, or have some basic techniques of drawing. Progress can be made at different levels.

STUDY AND ASSESSMENT:

The course is designed to introduce the student gradually to methods of working, beginning with enhancing drawing skills and moving on to other forms of expression. Specialist subjects are re-visited from time to time in order to monitor progress. Homework is voluntary but there are occasions when some research is needed before beginning a specific project. However, like any skill, practice improves performance.

PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES:

A more advanced course may be available for continuing students, including painting with oils.

PRE COURSE PREPARATION:

None

FINANCE:

- Fee remission available? **Yes** (subject to status) / **No**
- 19+ Advanced Learning Loan Available? **Yes/ No**
- Bursary Support Available? **Yes** (which) / **No**

TUITION FEES:

Please call 01784 228676 or 01784 228677 for the course fee.

Or contact adulthoodeducation@strodes.ac.uk

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ANY OTHER COSTS TO BE MET BY THE STUDENT:

Generally speaking students are expected to provide their own materials, to begin with a selection of pencils, rubbers and A3 pads. As the course progresses, students will need to buy some paints and brushes. Some materials can be borrowed until the students form working preferences. When large sized paper is necessary for the planned work it will be provided.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

The College has computers and quiet study areas which can be used by Adult Learning students after 4.30pm, and the Literary Institute has some daytime availability. Please contact the Adult Learning Team to book. The Learning Resource Centre is available by prior appointment during the day and has a wide range of books and other resources. Students must book via the Adult Learning reception & a student badge will be required.