



Art – Watercolours

North Tyneside Council

Enrolment Requirements

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This course is a beginners guide to painting a picture in water colour paints, what you will need and how to do the basics. Perhaps you have some artist's materials and have always wondered what they were for! The course is designed for beginners, but if you have some experience and want to get back to basics, you are most welcome.

What will I learn on this course?

- What to buy and what to ask for
- What to do with paint in order to make pictures
- How to paint from observation and imagination.

Assessment

Awarding body: N/A

Activities and work will be assessed by your tutor.

Course Length

10 weeks in the autumn and spring term together with a shorter course in the summer.

Attendance

You will be expected to attend every week. If you cannot attend, you will be set work to ensure you meet your learning outcomes.

What else do I need to know?

You will be expected to have the basic kit of a simple pencil and pad, but instruction on what to buy will be given in the first lesson. As you progress you will want to purchase other materials as your interest grows.

What could I do next?

From the early sessions you may be inspired to explore other art materials in oil and acrylics or drawing. Art is a means of expression which will make you look at the world differently. Learners have been heard to say 'look at the light on that hedge' and 'did you see the sky last night?' reflecting a renewed interest in the natural world.