

Course Information Sheet

Watercolour Improvers

AH09E51A



Venue 📍 Tothill Community Centre	Start Date	20 Sept 2024 09:30
	End Date	7 Feb 2025 12:30
	Fee	Full Fee £162 Concession £41
	Materials	£0

[OCSW AH09E51A Watercolour Improvers \(oncoursesouthwest.co.uk\)](https://oncoursesouthwest.co.uk)

Develop your watercolour painting skills further in this supportive 18-week course, perfect for those with some experience.

Elevate your watercolours! This exciting 18-week course is designed for artists with a foundation in watercolours who want to refine their skills and explore new creative territories. Build upon your existing knowledge and unleash your artistic potential in a supportive environment.

What You'll Achieve:

- **Master advanced colour mixing and layering techniques** to create expressive washes and textures that elevate your artwork.
- **Develop stronger composition skills** to enhance the visual impact of your paintings.
- **Explore a wider range of subjects** like still life, portraits, and abstracts, expanding your artistic repertoire.
- **Experiment with unique creative approaches** to discover your own artistic voice and push creative boundaries.
- **Receive personalised feedback** from your tutor to refine your skills and accelerate your artistic growth.
- **Complete a final project** that showcases your newfound abilities and artistic vision.
- **Explore resources for continued learning** to fuel your artistic journey beyond the course.

How will I be assessed?

This course will use a mix of formative and summative assessment:

- Formative: Regular feedback from the tutor on technique, progress, and participation in class discussions.
- Summative: Completion of practical exercises and a final project showcasing your learning journey.

Who is this course for?

This course is ideal if you've already completed a beginner's watercolour course and are eager to develop your skills further. You'll gain the confidence to tackle more complex subjects, explore new techniques, and refine your artistic style.

Target Audience:

Learners hoping to further develop their watercolour painting skills and build confidence in their artistic expression.

Progression Opportunities:

After completing this course, you can consider:

- Further watercolour painting courses focusing on specific styles or techniques.
- Life drawing or botanical illustration courses to enhance your observational skills.
- Online tutorials and resources for continued learning and development.
- Experimenting with other artistic mediums like acrylics or inks to broaden your artistic horizons.
- Participating in local art exhibitions or workshops to showcase your work.

Career or Job Enhancement Pathways:

- This course can be a stepping stone towards various creative careers, including:
 - Artist
 - Illustrator
 - Graphic Designer
 - Art Therapist
 - Arts Educator

How do I enrol?

If you are paying the full fee, the quickest way to enrol is online at www.oucoursesouthwest.co.uk, simply create an account and select enrol now. Alternatively, you will need to speak to one of our customer service team on 01752 660713.

How will the course be delivered?

This is a practical course, and the sessions will include tutor-led demonstrations, learner-led group activities, instruction and repetition. These will form part of the delivery together with one-to-one support as required.

Will I need to practise outside the classroom?

You will be encouraged to review your notes between lessons to ensure maximum benefit from your course. It is always useful to practise your skills between sessions. Your tutor may encourage home learning, or independent research.

How will I know I'm making progress?

During the first session, your tutor will discuss your goals and current level in relation to the course. Based on this assessment, you will agree individual targets which you will record in your individual learning plan (ILP). You and your tutor will review your targets regularly to ensure that you are making progress; these will be written in your individual learning plan.

What will I need?

Please bring a notepad, and pen to each session. You may wish to bring a file for any handouts. A laptop with internet access is required for completion of coursework and home learning outside of the classroom.

Please note:

Most courses attract a subsidy from the Education and Skills Funding Agency (ESFA). It is a requirement of the ESFA that you complete various forms at different stages of your course, further information is available on request. Courses are subject to a minimum number of enrolments and could be cancelled if recruitment is low. In some cases, an alternative class at a different location may be offered.

Terms and conditions are available at

<https://www.oucoursesouthwest.co.uk/learner-information/essential-information-for-every-learner>

Room numbers are subject to change - please check when you arrive at the venue.

