

Course Information Sheet

Art Takeover: 3D Design



Immerse yourself in the wonders of colour in this four-week course, exploring the colour wheel, mixing techniques, and artistic expression through acrylics, inks, and mixed media.

Course Description: Embark on a vibrant journey through the world of colour! This course delves into the magic of the colour wheel, guiding you through mixing endless colours from a limited palette. Discover how legendary artists like Kandinsky and Rothko harnessed colour to evoke emotions, and explore your unique relationship with colour. Through playful experimentation with acrylics, inks, and mixed media, you'll create captivating paintings. No prior experience is needed, just a passion for colour and a desire to create.

What will I learn?

- Week 1: Master the colour wheel, explore complementary colours, and learn to mix an unlimited palette from just a few colours.
- Week 2: Paint to music, experimenting with diverse palettes and discovering the interplay of colour and sound.
- Week 3: Combine drawing and colour in a mixed-media portrait, utilizing collage and charcoal alongside your newfound colour knowledge.
- Week 4: Enhance your images with easy printmaking techniques like Gelli Plate printing, painting without brushes.

How will I be assessed?

- Formative: Continuous feedback on your colour mixing, painting techniques, and creative exploration throughout the course.
- Summative: Evaluation of your final mixed-media portrait and Gelli Plate prints, showcasing your understanding of colour theory and application.

Who is this course for?

This course is designed for individuals of all artistic backgrounds who are fascinated by colour and eager to explore its expressive potential.

Who is your target audience?

- Aspiring painters seeking to expand their colour knowledge and skills
- Art enthusiasts curious about colour theory and its application
- Individuals seeking a relaxing and creative outlet

Progression Opportunities:

- Further study options will be available through OCSW.

Career or Job Enhancement Pathways:

- Freelance artist specializing in painting or mixed media
- Art therapist or art educator
- Interior designer or colour consultant
- Surface pattern designer or textile artist

How do I enrol?

The quickest way to enrol is online at www.oucoursesouthwest.co.uk, simply create an account and select 'Enrol now'. Alternatively, if you have any questions, please call our friendly 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.onsouthwest.co.uk/learner-information/essential-information-for-every-learner>

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

