

Seasonal Printing

Two-day course

Christmas is coming! Or perhaps a birthday! this course is designed to be creative and great fun! You will make block prints that you can use as cards, T-Shirts, and many other great gift items. If you aren't feeling Christmassy yet you will by the end of this course. All materials are included except T-Shirts, Aprons, and the selection of items you can buy here to print on. Most are not more than £5 each.

This timetable is a guide to how you will spend your creative break. Times are flexible and we will adapt to your needs as far as possible.

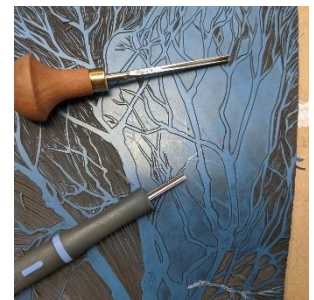
Day 1.

- 1 - 2pm Check in
- 2 - 3.30pm Meet in the studio; Introduction to Black Shed Studios and overview of course. You will be shown the materials you will use and examples of what you might like to make. There will be plenty of time for questions
- 3.30pm Tea in the studio or in the garden; we like to have a 'bit of cake' too
- 4 - 5pm You will make sketches and discuss your ideas with Sandy
- 7pm Dinner. Dinner is taken in our dining room or outside, a relaxed occasion with good food, wine if you brought it, and conversation



Day 2.

- 8.30 - 9.30am Breakfast taken in our dining room
- 9.30 - 12.30pm Using your sketches as the starting point you will draw your designs onto the soft lino block. When you are happy you will be shown how to use the cutting tools and start to cut out your design.
- 12.30 - 2pm Lunch. Light lunch in dining room
- 2pm – 3.30 You should be ready to proof print your blocks. Once happy you will be able to print your first greetings cards.
- 3.30 – 4pm Tea in the studio or in the garden
- 4 – 5pm More printing, as you gain confidence you might like to try printing your designs onto a T-Shirt or Apron (we have a selection of white T-Shirts, Aprons, pillowcases that you can buy to print on)
- 7pm Dinner



Day 3

- 8.30 - 9.30am Breakfast
- 9.30 - 12.30pm Printing and refining your finished pieces ready to take home
- 12.30 - 2pm Lunch, finish any unfinished work and pack up
- 3pm Check out



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