

# Group Workshop Packages

Manchester  
Craft & Design  
Centre

Join us for a half-day session

FROM £400

Hire one of our makers to help your group learn a new skill while getting to know one another. We offer various workshops from whittling, pewter-smithing, watercolour painting and jewellery making. Craft a unique experience for your co-workers, friends or education group in our historical Victorian market building.

## CONTACT US

If you would like more information or would like to book, please email [contactus@craftanddesign.com](mailto:contactus@craftanddesign.com) or call the office on 0161 832 4274



# Spoon Carving Workshop

With Nick Vorstermans



Join Nick Vorstermans from Studio Critical: for an introduction to spoon carving. You'll learn the basics of green wood spoon carving and safe tool handling and come away with your very own handmade spoon. All materials and tools are provided, just bring yourself and the willingness to learn.

## Workshop Details

Half-day session: 10am - 1pm or 2pm - 5pm

Age guidance: 18+

Maximum capacity: 8 participants

**Cost: £440**

Price may vary depending on participant numbers





# Whittling Workshop

With Nick Vorstermans

Join Nick Vorstermans from Studio Critical: and learn about the mindful benefits of whittling green wood. Slow down, relax and make shavings. This calming workshop will guide you through the whittling process and help you to slow down and enjoy the moment.

## Workshop Details

Half-day session: 10am - 1pm or 2pm - 5pm

Age guidance: 18+

Maximum capacity: 8 participants

**Cost: £440**

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# Pewter Workshop

With Ella McIntosh

Join Ella to experience the age-old jewellery technique of cuttlefish casting. A fascinating heritage craft process to create your own unique design.

Ella will guide you through designing and handcrafting a mould, then pouring molten pewter to reveal your design before finishing with traditional jewellery tools ready to take your finished piece home.

## Workshop Details

Half-day session: 10am - 1pm or 2pm - 5pm

Age guidance: 13+. Under 16s must be accompanied by an adult

Maximum capacity: 12 participants

**Cost: £520**

Price may vary depending on participant numbers





# Fashion Illustration Workshop

With Nicola Sutcliffe

Learn how to create fashion illustrations with an ink brush pen. During this workshop, you will create fast sketches from a model concentrating on proportions and poses, before using coloured inks and watercolours to create your fashion illustrations.

## Workshop Details

Half-day session: 10am - 1pm or 2pm - 5pm

Age guidance: 13+. Under 16s must be accompanied by an adult

Maximum capacity: 12 participants

**Cost: £496**

Price may vary depending on participant numbers



# Watercolour Workshop

With Susan Kane

Flowers will be the subject matter of this workshop. You will be painting in a loose watercolour style from still life. The session will begin with a set of various short-timed painting exercises of 2 or 3 minute to help the group loosen up before working on a slower-paced painting.

## Workshop Details

Half-day session: 10am - 1pm or 2pm - 5pm

Age guidance: 13+. Under 16s must be accompanied by an adult

Maximum capacity: 12 participants

**Cost: £520**

Price may vary depending on participant numbers





# Jewellery Workshops

With Manchester  
School of Jewellery

In this silver jewellery taster session, your group will learn new skills from hammering, texturing, stamping, doming, polishing, wire work and silver soldering. They will go on to make either a silver pendant, a pair of stud earrings or a pin brooch.

## Workshop Details

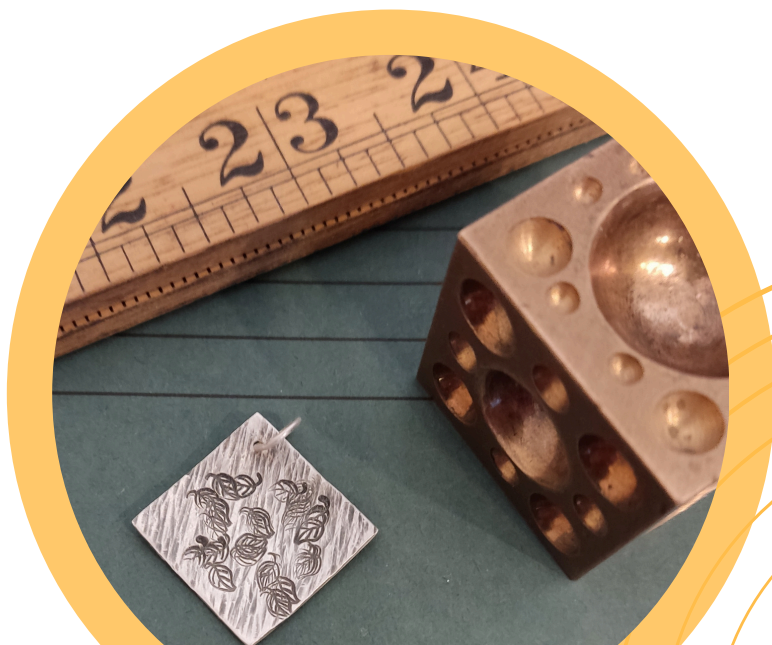
Half-day session: 10am - 1pm or 2pm - 5pm

Age guidance: 13+. Under 16s must be accompanied by an adult

Maximum capacity: 12 participants

**Cost: £538**

Price may vary depending on participant numbers



# Shibori Workshop

With Valery Touchet



Come and learn the beautiful technique of Shibori and create a new piece of art. Shibori is an ancient Japanese technique to help revitalise your wardrobe and give items a new lease of life.

## Workshop Details

Half-day session: 10am - 1pm or 2pm - 5pm

Age guidance: 13+. Under 16s must be accompanied by an adult

Maximum capacity: 12 participants

**Cost: £520**

Price may vary depending on participant numbers





# Reusable Tea Bag Workshop

With Katherine Lees

Learn how to make and stitch a fabric reusable loose-leaf tea bag. Mix your own loose leaf tea blend, and learn about the properties of different ingredients. Make a cup of tea using a reusable bag and trial your own blend. Learn how teas can help with relaxation, wellbeing and sleep. You will make 2-3 tea bags each and discuss uses and caring for the tea bags and gift ideas.

## Workshop Details

Half-day session: 10am - 1pm or 2pm - 5pm

Age guidance: 13+. Under 16s must be accompanied by an adult

Maximum capacity: 12 participants

**Cost: £436**

Price may vary depending on participant numbers



# Clay and Play Workshop

With Katherine Lees

Join ceramist Katherine Lees for a fun clay session. Have a go at building your own part of a large clay sculpture. First you will draw what you want to make, then get your hands on the clay! Learn how to shape and join pieces of clay together using different tools to make your masterpiece. This will then be added to a larger clay shape, to form one giant clay sculpture!

## Workshop Details

Half-day session: 10am - 1pm or 2pm - 5pm

Age guidance: 13+. Under 16s must be accompanied by an adult

Maximum capacity: 12 participants

**Cost: £460**

Price may vary depending on participant numbers





# Children's Jewellery Workshop

With Katherine Lees

Join Katherine for a children's workshop where you will learn how to create your own jewellery. Have a go designing and making your own necklace. Choose your own coloured beads and pompoms and learn how to make tassels to create your own unique necklace to take home!

## Workshop Details

Half-day session: 10am - 1pm or 2pm - 5pm  
Age guidance: Suitable for children aged 6+.  
Under 16s must be accompanied by an adult  
Maximum capacity: 12 participants

**Cost: £460**

Price may vary depending on participant numbers



# Origami Workshop

With Bhaggie Patel

Take part in a fun origami workshop to create beautiful paper designs. You will start with some simple creations and progress to making a paper crane - a symbol of hope, peace, and healing. Participants will learn the history and symbolism of the paper crane and gain practical skills in folding their unique origami creations.

## Workshop Details

Half-day session: 10am - 1pm or 2pm - 5pm

Age guidance: 13+. Under 16s must be accompanied by an adult

Maximum capacity: 12 participants

**Cost: £496**

Price may vary depending on participant numbers

