

## Introduction to Upholstery

**Tutor:** Barbara Baker

**Dates:** Wednesday 08/09/21 – 06/10/21

**Times:** 13:30 – 15:30

This course is suitable for complete beginners and also those with some experience.

These are aimed at getting you started on a project if you are a beginner, and developing more complex upholstery skills if you are experienced.

A short course is a good way to get stuck into a project, with enough information and techniques provided to enable you to carry on with the project at home, and/or carry on at a following course. Or if it's a simple project, you may complete it within a few sessions.

### Teaching methods

- One-to-one basis
- Demonstrations

### What to bring

- The Arts & Crafts Centre has a heavy craft room with work benches and trestles suitable to this craft.
- Please bring with you your chosen item of furniture
- A pin hammer
- A tack lifter
- Material scissors
- Pins
- Tape measure
- Upholstery pincers, (if available, this can be discussed with the tutor in week 1)
- A camera (if available)
- Note-book
- Pencil or pen

If you are unsure of any of the details or have any questions, please contact the office, who will put you in touch with the tutor.

**Please adhere to the regulations concerning Personal Protective Equipment & Control of Substances Hazardous to Health (COSHH) and how they apply to the course or accommodation and to any 'Safe System of Work' as advised by your tutor.**

**In addition to the Centre's legal responsibility, students also have the responsibility to take care of the Health and Safety of themselves and others.**