

## Lampshade Workshop

**Tutor:** Teresa Marshall

**Dates:** Tuesday 24/03/2026

**Times:** 10:30 – 13:30

### **Course Information & Teaching Methods:**

The course is suitable for beginners; participants will need to have a good degree of mobility in both hands.

Students will be provided with guidance (written instructions to take away) on how to make a 25cm or 30cm drum (round) lampshade.

Full kits will be provided, including all tools and materials (not fabric).

Students will need to bring along at least  $\frac{1}{2}$  metre of fabric, preferably cotton or linen. Students should bring several pieces of material to decide on the day. I would suggest a fabric which is plain or with a small pattern for beginners. Upholstery fabric is **NOT** suitable as is leather or any thick material.

The course is taught by one-to-one contact between the student and tutor within the group setting of the workshop.

Learning methods will include instruction, explanation, demonstrations and group/individual discussions.

### **Additional Information:**

Tea, coffee and biscuits are available in the kitchen area, for a small charge.

### **About the tutor:**

My name is Teresa Marshall, and I have been making lampshades for over five years. I am the co-owner of Bumbles Interiors, a shop based at Belvoir Castle on the Duke of Rutland's estate. Here, I create bespoke lampshades alongside a sustainable range of lamps made from recycled glass and reclaimed wood.

We also support local artists and stock an environmentally conscious paint range, English-made rugs, and quality ironmongery.

Before relocating to Leicestershire, I worked as a customer service manager. Alongside this, I have worked at an alpaca rescue farm, at Police Headquarters, for the Rutland Estate, and have volunteered with Feed the Need, a food bank charity based in Leicestershire.

I aim for my classes to be relaxed and friendly, creating an environment where you can enjoy your day, learn a new skill, and have fun while making new friends.

***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.***