

Creative Embroidery – Beginners Course



6 weeks **From 30 October 2017**
Monday **10am – 12.30pm**
Cost: **£105.00, excluding materials**
Tutor: **Sophie Long**
Dates: **30 Oct; 6, 13, 20, 27 Nov; 4 Dec**

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CREATIVE EMBROIDERY - FROM DRAWING TO STITCHING

This course is open to everybody who would like to learn the techniques of creative hand embroidery. You do not need to be able to draw to enjoy this course. Techniques of transferring images onto different textiles will be shown and you will learn a variety of styles for hand embroidery. The design element of the course will encourage you to explore images for stitch inspiration from your own photographs, found images or from drawings. You will be able to produce attractive hand embroidered textile images with simple designs that can be framed and presented in decorative ways.

CORE SKILLS:

- Develop samples of stitches- in a range of techniques including applique, gold work and ribbon work.
- Develop an understanding of how different textiles can be embroidered
- Learn how to transfer a design onto fabric
- Experiment with drawing to create your own unique embroideries

MATERIALS LISTS:

Our tutor will be able to provide a starter pack during the first session at a cost of £6.00 which will include a small range of threads and fabric. An embroidery frame will be available on the day to borrow or buy if desired.

TUTOR:

Sophie Long graduated after a three year apprenticeship in hand embroidery from the Royal School of Needlework in 2008. She works as a hand embroidery tutor for a number of renowned organisations and carries out commissions for individuals. Previous experience also included working in the fashion industry. Sophie is proud to announce that she was one of the many embroiderers working on the Royal Wedding dress.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

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