



## **COMBERTON ACADEMY TRUST COURSE INFORMATION**

Course Title	Painting and Drawing (Fine Art)				
Course Description	This course allows you to create Watercolour and acrylic paintings and to create drawings using a variety of media and techniques. No knowledge of painting and drawing is needed.				
Start Date	27 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2016 17 <sup>th</sup> Jan 2017 02 <sup>nd</sup> May 2017	Day & Time	Tuesday 7.00 – 9.00pm	Venue	Cambourne Village College
Tutor Details	Marina Velez has many years of experience as a teacher. She won a First Class degree for Fine Art BA and a Distinction for her Masters in Fine Arts. She has also done Developmental Psychology courses and Teaching and Learning courses.  Marina has her own practice as an artist and exhibits her work regularly at national and international level.				
No. of wks	10	Terms		3	
Fee	£78	£78 Concessionary Fee		£59	
Course Level:	Mixed ability			✓	
	Level 1, Level 2 (equiv. to GCSE / NVQ2)				
	Level 3 Equivalent GCE A Level				
Skills or qualifications needed for entry into the class			No knowledge required, just a love for Art.		

Course aims & objectives					
By the end of this course the participants will be able to:					
<ul> <li>Create landscape, portraits and still life drawings and paintings.</li> <li>Use painting and drawing techniques using diverse media.</li> <li>Investigate art in context and art history.</li> <li>Develop their own style of painting and drawing.</li> </ul>					
Progression – after this course what might you do next?					
As the student progresses in developing his/her abilities, knowledge and skills, this course offers a natural progression and adjustment of teaching and learning tailored to the student's stage.					
How progress & success will be recorded					
You will record your progress through completed work, one to one discussions with the tutor, self-assessment and group critiques. There is usually a final show of works by the end of the course.					
Additional course costs (e.g. visits, materials, books, equipment)					
None					
Materials/equipment required for first class	Watercolour and sketch paper. Watercolour and acrylic paints. Flat and round brushes of various sizes. Charcoal (compressed or natural), pencils (HB, B1 to 6), pastels (oil or chalk), sanguine. Putty. Masking tape. A glass for water. Absorbent sponge or cloth. Ruler. Board.  Table easel (not essential but bring it if you have one).				
Contact for further information	Community Education: 01223 264721 commed@combertonvc.org				

## **Equalities statement**

We are fully committed to equality of opportunity and welcome enrolments from everyone. We positively encourage all learners with any concerns about specific needs which might affect their learning to discuss their requirements with us in confidence. We believe that everyone is entitled to learn in an environment that is free from discriminatory behaviour so that we build a community based on mutual trust and respect.

We will ensure that resources and equipment are accessible to all and make reasonable adjustments to ensure that all learners can access activities

## **Enrolment and payment**

Please enrol at Comberton Village College for all courses, including those in Cambourne and Melbourn. Fees can be paid by cheque, cash or debit card. Payments are not processed until classes are viable but please assume the class is running once payment has been sent, unless you hear to the contrary. Please send an SAE or email contact for confirmation or a receipt.

By Post: Adult Education, Comberton Village College, Comberton, Cambridge, CB23 7DU. Cheques payable to: Comberton Village College.

In Person Please bring payment to the college reception.

9.00-4.45 pm Mon-Thurs & 7.00-9.30 pm Mon and Weds, term time only.

Summer Holiday: we pick up messages each week and return calls and emails. We are closed in other school holidays.

By Phone 01223 264721 and pay by debit card.

**Refunds** are only available if we close a class or you withdraw at least two weeks before the start. In the latter case there is a £5 administrative charge. Classes cancelled by us due to unforeseen circumstances (e.g. tutor illness or college closure due to heavy snow) will be replaced with an extra class at the end.

**Concessionary Fees** (25% discount) are available if you receive a means-tested benefit (evidence to be provided). It is also possible to pay by instalments and this method of payment is available even if you do not qualify for a concessionary fee. Please ask for details.

## **Safeguarding Statement**

Arrangements have been made to make sure that you are safe in our centres. If you feel you are not safe for any reason, for example through verbal or physical abuse or you have been discriminated against, please tell your tutor or the centre manager, who will investigate to ensure your safety.