



176 Easton Road
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April-July 2012 Courses

Day-time Evening and Saturday courses

**All courses are at 176 Easton Road
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**City of Bristol Funded Courses including our
Sewing for Business series**

**Learning Communities Funded Courses
designed as a first step for people new to training**

Day-time Evening and Saturday courses



City of Bristol College Funded Courses



Interiors - Curtains and Cushions

This course will teach you how to make curtains and cushions to a high standard to generate income at home.

30 Apr 12 Mon 9.30-15.00 10 wks £168 (£60)



Garment Construction

Learn how to make a garment from a purchased pattern. This course will teach you all the techniques required to cut the fabric, and construct your garment to a good standard.

01 May 12 Tue 9.30-15.00 12 wks £168 (£60)



Pattern Cutting for Beginners

Learn the principles in Pattern Cutting Design and make your own clothes. No experience in Pattern Cutting required although experience in making clothes or using commercial patterns is an advantage.

18 Apr 12 Wed 9.30-15.00 12 wks £168 (£60)



Sewing for the Retail Trade One in our Sewing For Business Series

A course designed to build your knowledge to manufacture and produce simple products. There will be a choice to make such things as shopping bags, cushion covers, aprons, or design and make your own product. Learn the skills to make products to a high standard quickly to generate income from home.

03 May 12 Thu 9.30-15.00 12 wks £168 (£60)

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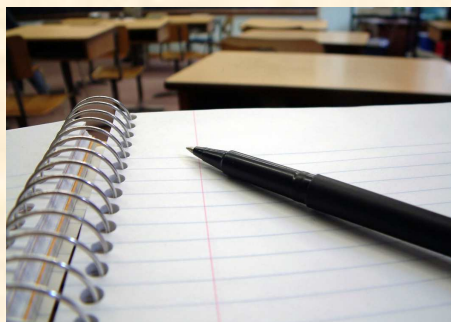
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Revamp, Restyle, Reuse

This course will show you how to be creative with any tired or out of date items of clothing you have and transform them to something more exciting to a high standard. A way to recycle and generate income at home.

19 Apr 12	Thu	9.30-15.00	6 wks	£84 (£30)
31 May 12	Thu	9.30-15.00	6 wks	£84 (£30)



Progression Units in English and Maths

Ten week courses for continued improvement and progression in Literacy and Numeracy skills. Students will complete portfolios of work at Entry 3 and Level 1 producing written work for grammar, spelling, punctuation with literacy and number work projects for numeracy. **Interview required.**

26 Apr 12	Thu	9.30-15.00	10wks	£25 (exam fee)
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Corset and Bustle Making One in our Sewing For Business Series

Learn how to make a well-fitting corset. During this course, you will learn how to work with corset making components, including coutil fabric, a front-opening busk and steel boning. Some experience of sewing is essential. There will be additional charges for specialist materials required for the corset.

20 Apr 12	Fri	9.30-15.00	12 wks	£168 (£60)
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Advance Sewing Machine Skills

An excellent course to learn the expertise needed in producing sewn garments to a high standard by learning technical skills to sew cuffs, collars, sleeves and seams.

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LCT Funded Courses

Learning Communities Team (LCT) courses are free, to adults over 19 years of age without a full level 2 qualification. The equivalent to a full level 2 are as follows:

- GCSE / O Level (5 or more at grades A-C),
- CSE grade 1 (5 or more),
- 1 advanced level,
- 2/3 AS levels,
- GNVQ Intermediate, NVQ Level 2, BTEC Awards, Certificates, and Diplomas at level 2,
- OCR Nationals
- Functional Skills at level 2

Personal Care - Hairdressing (Basic & Next Step)

This course will give you a good understanding and practical skills in basic hairdressing such as styling and basic cuts.

23 Apr 12 Mon 9.30-14.30 7.5 wks Free

DIY in the home

This course will give you a good basic start to home DIY with such things as changing fuses and plugs. Putting up pictures and shelves. Wallpaper hanging and painting.

23 Apr 12 Mon 9.30-12.30 6.5 wks Free

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Childcare

If you want to learn about caring for children and get some hands on experience then this is the course for you. Course content includes:

- Understanding and promoting children and young peoples development
- Working together for the benefit of children and young people
- Promote equality and inclusion in children and young peoples settings
- Enable parents to develop ways of handling relationships and behaviour that contribute to everyday life with children.

24 Apr 12 Tue 13.00-15.00 10 wks Free

Beauty & Skincare

This course will give you a basic knowledge of skincare and makeup application for day and formal events.

24 Apr 12 Tue 9.30- 14.30 7.5 wks Free

Sewing for Beginners

This course is designed to give you a starting to basic sewing by hand and using an industrial sewing machine. You will learn about fabrics, seams, darts and zips.

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Evening Courses Silai for Skills Funded

Hairdressing (Basic and Next Step)

This course will give you a good understanding and practical skills such as styling and basic cuts.

18 Apr 12 Wed 6pm-9pm 12 wks £106.80

Upholstery

An excellent introduction to renovating upholstered furniture, using skilled techniques suited to both modern and traditional seats.

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DIY

Do you want to gain confidence with tools if yes this is the course for you! You will learn how to do odd jobs around the house with more confidence... Using the right tools for the right job and just having space to practise. Change a fuse, plugs, put pictures and shelves up. Minor repairs around the home. Also come along with ideas of tasks that you would like help with.

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Garment Construction

Learn to work to a professional finish, using commercial patterns to create clothing for yourself and your family.

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Art and Craft

Create wonderful artefacts through a series of workshops practices and discover your own limitless creativity. The course will cover papermaking, felt making, spinning/kitting/crochet, book binding, stitching and sewing.

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Revamp, Restyle, Reuse

Have fun re-vamping and re-cycling your old garments, to make something exciting, or alter your existing clothes to fit you. Some sewing experience necessary.

05 Jan 12 Thu 6pm-9pm 12 wks £106.80

General Sewing Skills

This course is suitable for beginners or those who would like to refresh their skills. It will take you through fabrics, seams, darts and zips. You will work on your own projects making bags, cushion covers, peg bags, etc.

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Decorative Paint Effects

Give your furniture a new lease of life. Learn stencilling and other techniques

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Concessions .

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If you are on benefits you may be eligible for discounted price on our courses. The benefits include:

- Unemployed individuals who are in receipt of state benefit (see below for list of state benefits)
- Learners in receipt of JSA/ESA (WRAG)
- Unemployed dependants (i.e. your partner is unemployed and in receipt of state benefits or your partner is working and in receipt of Working Tax Credit)

State Benefits include:

Council Tax Benefit

Housing Benefit

Income Support

Pension Credit

ESA

JSA

Note: if you are on Working Tax Benefit, you are working and therefore not eligible

If you are eligible for concessions you need to bring with you when you register with us at Silai For Skills.

The following documents are acceptable as evidence to claim the concession fee: letter from social services, award letter, letter from benefit office or bank statement evidence needs to be 3 months in date, you will need to bring this with you when you enrol.

If you would like to find out if you can get financial support please call us at Silai for Skills or City of Bristol College on 0117 312 5000 to help you.



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To find out more about courses
or to enrol please contact:
0117 9415 180

email: info@silai.org.uk
website: www.silai.org.uk

Directions

By Train

The nearest train station is Lawrence Hill. As you exit the station head towards Lawrence Hill roundabout. Turn right onto Croydon Street and walk to the end of the street. Turn right onto Easton Way, past First Bus Depot, and petrol station, Silai is next door to the petrol station, entrance through car park to Reception.

By Bus

The 585 and 586 go from centre through Broadmead and stop opposite petrol station on Easton Road. We are next door to the petrol station. Entrance is through the gates of car part into Reception.

By Car

Take the M32 into Bristol. Come off at Junction 3, and turn left onto Easton Way. Go through traffic lights then turn left at slip road onto Easton Road. Carry on past First Bus Depot, then petrol station on right. We are next to the petrol station. Entrance is through the gates of the car park into Reception. Drivers are allowed to drop off in the car park but unfortunately no parking is available.

Silai For Skills Opening Times

Monday - Friday
9.30am - 3pm

