



**The
Community
College**

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Course Guide

Leisure Courses

July - December 2026

Term 3 & 4



The Community College

The College has been operating continuously since 1913, proudly offering the Illawarra community quality adult education and leisure courses, work skills training, accredited training and foundation skills services.



Term 3 20 July - 25 September

Term 4 12 October - 11 December

How to Enrol

Online

Book online anytime to confirm your place immediately and pay securely by credit card. You can use the search function to find your course or use the Explore Courses button to see what is available.

Phone

Enrol over the phone. Please have the class name and your credit card details ready.

In-person

Enrol in person at The Community College.

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Social

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*Please note that classes start on various days and times.

*Terms and Conditions of enrolment can be found on our website.

Important Enrolment and Cancellation Information

To ensure our classes run smoothly, **please enrol at least 5 days in advance.**

This helps us avoid cancellations due to low enrolments. If you need to cancel, please submit a written application at least **48 hours prior** to the class to be eligible for a refund or credit. A medical certificate must be provided to process your refund or credit. Change-of-mind cancellations will only be processed if a suitable replacement can be found, as this may impact the ability for the course to proceed.

Thank you for your understanding and support in helping us deliver a great learning experience!

*All information provided is correct at the time of printing and is subject to change without notice.

Cooking



Tasty Focaccia Bread / Gina Ottaway / \$86

Soft on the inside, crunchy on the outside and deliciously mouth-watering to eat, this versatile recipe will have your family and guests asking for more!

Classes

1 Day / 3 Hour Session

Term 3

Sat 1 Aug, 9-12pm

Arancini / Gina Ottaway / \$106

Join us for a hands-on Arancini Cooking Class where you'll learn to craft these golden, crispy Italian rice balls from scratch! In this fun and flavourful session, you'll create three delicious fillings - beef ragu, ham & cheese and mushroom and cheese. Perfect for food lovers of all skill levels, this class includes step-by-step guidance, plenty of tasting, and tips to perfect your arancini game at home.

Classes

1 Day / 3 Hour Session

Term 3

Sat 22 Aug, 9-12pm

Pasta Lorda in Brodo / Gina Ottaway / \$96

Discover the comforting flavours of Pasta Lorda in Italian Broth, perfect for the upcoming winter months. This workshop will guide you through the process of creating delicate pasta sheets, filled with a smooth seasoned ricotta filling, cut into small squares and cooked in a nourishing broth.

Classes

1 Day / 3 Hour Session

Term 3

Sat 19 Sept, 9-12pm

Pasta Making Class / Gina Ottaway / \$91

Discover the art of handmade pasta! In this 3-hour experience, you'll learn to roll and shape pasta by hand, cook it and then toss it with a light and flavorful sauce. Perfect for pasta lovers of all skill levels, this class offers step-by-step instruction, fresh ingredients, and plenty of time to knead, cook, and enjoy. Come hungry and leave with full bellies and new skills to impress at your next dinner party!

Classes

1 Day / 3 Hour Session

Term 4

Sat 24 Oct, 9-12pm

*Please note that no discounts can be applied to cooking courses.

Cooking



Thai Curries / Natalie Siriteerajads / \$162

Discover the vibrant flavours of Thailand as you learn to create Green Chicken Curry, Red Duck Curry, and Choo Chee Fish Curry from scratch. This hands-on class will guide you through essential techniques so you can confidently recreate these delicious, authentic curries at home.

Classes

1 Day / 4 Hour Session

Term 3

Sat 8 Aug, 10am-2pm

Thai Noodles / Natalie Siriteerajads / \$162

Learn to create three iconic dishes: Pad Thai with its perfect balance of sweet and tangy, Pad See-Ew with rich soy flavors, and spicy Pad Kee Mow. Master authentic techniques and bring the taste of Thailand to your kitchen.

Classes

1 Day / 4 Hour Session

Term 3

Sat 5 Sept, 10am-2pm

Thai Entrees / Natalie Siriteerajads / \$162

Learn to prepare classic entrees including crispy Spring Rolls, golden Curry Puffs, and the iconic Tom Yum Prawn soup. Perfect for food lovers seeking authentic techniques and bold, aromatic tastes.

Classes

1 Day / 4 Hour Session

Term 4

Sat 14 Nov, 10am-2pm

Thai Summer Salads / Natalie Siriteerajads / \$162

Thai salads are the ultimate summer refresh. In this course, you'll create three vibrant dishes: zesty Thai Beef Salad, tangy Papaya Salad (Som Tum), and the spicy, light Vermicelli Salad (Yum Woon Sen). Bright, bold, and perfect for warm days.

Classes

1 Day / 4 Hour Session

Term 4

Sat 5 Dec, 10am-2pm

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Arts & Crafts



Pottery Projects / Mary Monteleone / \$408

Learn basic pottery techniques and complete 3 - 4 pieces using a variety of methods including hand-building and wheel-throwing. Basic tools provided. The fee for all clay and glazes is included in the course fee.

Classes

7 Weeks / 3 Hour Sessions

Term 3 & 4

Mon 27 July, 6-9pm

Mon 19 Oct, 6-9pm

Mosaic Madness / Alison Booth / \$297

This 6 week mosaic course is suitable for both beginners and experienced students. Come with a project in mind or come and choose your project with help. Work using tiles, crockery, glass or found objects. Mosaic onto pavers, boards, old tiles, pots, birdbaths, or any rigid surface.

Bring your own materials for this class.

Classes

6 Weeks / 3 Hour Sessions

Term 3 & 4

Mon 27 July, 1:30-4:30pm

Mon 19 Oct, 1:30-4:30pm

Garden Sculptures Express / Elizabeth / \$304

Students in this class use terracotta and white earthenware clay to create sculptural and functional items, mostly for the garden or the deck. The hand building techniques of coil, slab and pinch along with concave and convex moulds are employed. Students can create functional items such as birdbaths, planters, bowls and platters and realistic or abstracted sculptural forms such as totems, often drawing inspiration from natural organic sources as well as from the work of established well know ceramicists.

Bring your own materials for this class.

Classes

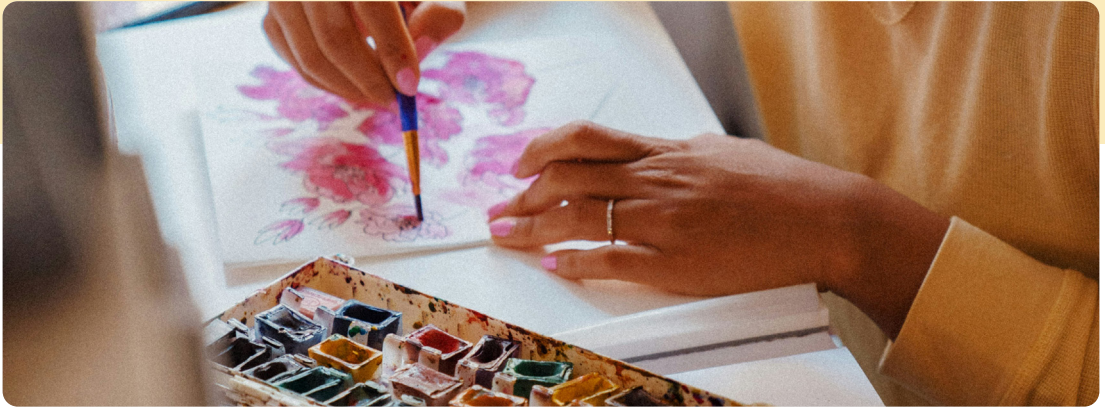
8 Weeks / 2 Hour Sessions

Term 3 & 4

Thur 30 July, 10am-12pm

Thur 22 Oct, 10am-12pm

Arts & Crafts



Travel Sketching / Linda Edmonds / \$77

Start your own travel journal on this short-day course. Sketching our travel destinations is fun, purposeful, and often evokes a greater emotional memory than a photograph alone. Best of all, our memories are all in one place: the journal. Learn some simple and easy sketching techniques to kick start your own personal travel record. These techniques can also be applied to "Pein-Air" (in open air) sketching anywhere, including your own backyard. You don't need much so let's get started!

Classes

1 Day / 3.5 Hour Session

Term 3

Sat 25 July, 10-1:30pm

Drawing Extension / Linda Edmonds / \$350

This course is designed for experienced students who have completed the 'Beginners Drawing' and/or 'Faces and Figures' courses only. This course will build and extend on already established technical skills, plus further media and subject area. Not suitable for beginners.

Classes

8 Weeks / 2.5 Hour Sessions

Term 3

Mon 27 July, 6-8:30pm

Beginners Acrylic Painting / Linda Edmonds / \$315

This course is designed to establish the foundation for all painting principles and techniques and is suitable for acrylic or oil painting.

Students are led on a journey of learning basic skills which also includes basic colour theory.

Classes

6 Weeks / 3 Hour Sessions

Term 3

Tues 11 Aug, 6-9pm

Painting Wild and Free: Poppies and Meadow Flowers / Linda Edmonds / \$103

This day course offers a more free, expressive and loose way of painting in watercolours. Puddles and bleeds are a natural watercolour technique perfect for depicting wild meadow flowers in a slightly more abstract way. These techniques can be unpredictable, exciting and very liberating. Each painting will be as unique and individual as the artist.

All materials supplied.

Classes

1 Day / 4 Hour Session

Term 3

Sat 15 Aug, 10am-2pm

Arts & Crafts



Learn to Draw / Linda Edmonds / \$263

Learn simple and fundamental drawing techniques which can lay the foundation skills to all art. This course provides the complete basics to getting started on drawing technique and also includes exposure to different drawing media. A course suitable for absolute beginners or for those who wish to reinforce or refresh their already established skills.

Classes

6 Weeks / 2.5 Hour Sessions

Term 4

Mon 2 Nov, 6-8:30pm

Palette Knifing 2 / Linda Edmonds / \$113

Palette knifing can be fun and a very rewarding painting technique; its fast, gestural, more abstract, and easy to learn. Complete two new A4 size images, flowers and a landscape, in this second course for students who enjoy a more structural style of painting.

All materials supplied.

Classes

1 Day / 4 Hour Session

Term 4

Sat 24 Oct, 10am-2pm

Painting the Impressionist Way / Linda Edmonds / \$315

Dip into the world of the Impressionist and Post-Impressionist painters, e.g. Monet, Degas, Van Gough. Learn the principles of Impressionist painting including their values regarding light, colour and technique. Students will complete up to 3 paintings all based on Impressionist technique and principles. Impressionism is a glorious way to paint that is easy, explorative and fun. This class is for previous students who have completed the beginners acrylic painting class.

Classes

6 Weeks / 2.5 Hour Sessions

Term 4

Tues 3 Nov, 6-9pm

Arts & Crafts



Shodo - Japanese Calligraphy / David Lesslie / \$280

Immerse yourself in Shodo the exquisite art of brush-and-ink calligraphy. Originating in China over 3,000 years ago, the pictographic kanji characters used in modern-day Japan are a living link to ancient history. An organic and soulful meditation for mind and body, and the beating heart of Japanese culture.

Classes

8 Weeks / 2 Hour Sessions

Term 3 & 4

Tues 27 July, 6-8pm
Tues 20 Oct, 6-8pm

Portraiture in Oils / David Lesslie / \$380

Learn traditional techniques and secrets used by the old masters to create breathtaking works of art. In Term 3, you'll recreate Diego Velázquez's Juan de Pareja, exploring rich textures and dramatic realism. Term 4 brings the iconic Mona Lisa by Leonardo da Vinci, where you'll master subtle tones and delicate brushwork. Perfect for those seeking depth, skill, and artistic refinement. All materials supplied.

Classes

8 Weeks / 2 Hour Sessions

Term 3 & 4

Wed 29 July, 6-8pm
Wed 21 Oct, 6-8pm

Art Glass Fusing (Single Day) / Simon Kutassy / \$85

Explore the creative art of glass fusing while designing your own unique piece. Projects run once per term and are pre selected (check website for more information). No prior experience required—materials and guidance provided.

Project 1 - Frit painting 1 x A4 piece or 2 x A5 pieces (approx)

Project 2 - 1 small platter or A5 painting

Classes

1 Day / 2.5 Hour Sessions

Term 3 & 4

Fri 31 July, 10-12:30pm
Fri 28 Aug, 10-12:30pm
Fri 30 Oct, 10-12:30pm
Fri 20 Nov, 10-12:30pm

Beginner Art Glass Fusing / Simon Kutassy / \$440

Explore the creative world of glass fusing in this 6-week beginner course. Learn essential techniques for cutting, assembling, and kiln firing glass to create five stunning pieces, including bowls, trays, and a multi-coloured plate. Discover fusing levels, slumping methods, and firing schedules while working with sheet glass, rods, and frit. No prior experience required—materials and guidance provided for a hands-on, artistic journey.

Classes

6 Weeks / 2.5 Hour Sessions

Term 3 & 4

Sat 8 Aug, 9am-11:30pm
Sat 17 Oct, 9am-11:30pm

Textiles



Get to Know Your Sewing Machine

Jovanka Kanaris / \$66

Master the basics of your sewing machine and start creating! Learn how to use: essential machine functions, zipper foot techniques and create perfect buttonholes. Build your skills and confidence for fun and creative projects. Bring your own sewing machine for this class.

Classes

1 Day / 3 Hour Session

Term 3 & 4

Tues 21 July, 6-9pm
Tues 20 Oct, 6-9pm

Get To Know Your Overlocker

Jovanka Kanaris / \$66

Get the most from your overlocker by learning its basics. Master threading and stitching fundamentals to elevate your sewing skills, achieve professional finishes and unlock creative possibilities. Familiarise yourself with your machine and discover faster, more flawless sewing.

Bring your own overlocker for this class.

Classes

1 Day / 3 Hour Session

Term 3 & 4

Thurs 23 July, 6-9pm
Thurs 22 Oct, 6-9pm

Sewing Skills for Everyone / Jovanka Kanaris /

Term 3 = \$263 / Term 4 = \$315

Take your sewing skills to the next level with our comprehensive course. Learn to read patterns, create prototypes, and master cutting and sewing techniques. Perfect for beginners to advanced sewers, this course helps you create professional quality projects, from evening wear to home decor. Bring your own sewing machine for this class.

Classes

T3 5 Weeks / 3 Hour Sessions

T4 6 Weeks / 3 Hour Sessions

Term 3 & 4

Tues 28 July, 6-9pm
Thurs 30 July, 6-9pm
Tues 27 Oct, 6-9pm
Thurs 29 Oct, 6-9pm

Dance & Music



Line Dancing / Janelle Jansen /

Term 3 = \$ 136 / Term 4 = \$119

Step into the fun and rhythm of line dancing in this 8-week beginner-friendly course. Learn basic steps, simple routines, and build coordination and confidence each week in a relaxed and social environment.

Perfect for those new to dancing, this class will have you moving to a variety of music styles while improving fitness and having a great time.

Classes

T3 8 Weeks / 1 Hour Sessions

T4 7 Weeks / 1 Hour Sessions

Term 3 & 4

Tues 28 July, 5:30-6:30pm

Tues 13 Oct, 5:30-6:30pm

Guitar for Beginners / Anthony Maruca / \$120

Unlock your musical potential with this course designed for absolute beginners who've always wanted to play guitar but didn't know where to start. You'll build solid fundamentals step by step — from holding the guitar, correct playing technique, playing simple melodies, strumming chords and basic music reading skills. No prior experience needed, just curiosity and a willingness to learn. Please bring a guitar, guitar tuner if you have one, pen and notebook to your class.

***If you have an electric guitar please bring your amplifier and guitar cable.

Classes

6 Weeks / 1 Hour Sessions

Term 3 & 4

Wed 29 July, 6-7pm

Wed 21 Oct, 6-7pm

Music Theory / Anthony Maruca / \$216

Have you played an instrument for years and wondered; how does music actually work? Now you can unlock the language of music in a relaxed, beginner friendly course. You'll gain a solid foundation of music theory, scales, music keys and how to use these to make sense of the music you love. A knowledge of music theory is also a great way to communicate ideas with other musicians. No prior experience with music theory or note reading required. You don't have to bring an instrument but if you do, it will be useful if you can locate the notes and chords on your instrument.

Classes

8 Weeks / 1.5 Hour Sessions

Term 3 & 4

Thurs 30 July, 6-7:30pm

Thurs 22 Oct, 6-7:30pm

Health & Wellbeing



Gentle Tai Chi and Qigong

Kara Belgrove and Jen Idosaka / \$136

Join us for a gentle movement class that includes both Qigong and Tai Chi. Qigong is a series of movements designed to support health in the body. Tai Chi is a flowing sequence of movements that is often described as a moving meditation. Both gently support muscle strength, improve balance, reduce falls risk, and lift the spirit. This class is suitable for complete beginners.

Classes

8 Weeks / 1 Hour Sessions

Term 3 & 4

Wed 29 July, 10-11am

Wed 21 Oct, 10-11am

Tai Chi Beginners

Kara Belgrove and Jen Idosaka / \$136

Come along to this 8-week course to experience the benefits of Tai Chi and establish a routine to relax and energise your life. Tai Chi for Beginners is suitable for participants with no experience of Tai Chi as well as those who have done some but want to revise the fundamentals. The course uses a stepwise progressive teaching method, building from foundational movements up to a simple sequence of tai chi movements.

Classes

8 Weeks / 1 Hour Sessions

Term 3 & 4

Thurs 30 July, 6-7pm

Thurs 22 Oct, 6-7pm

Tai Chi Continuers

Kara Belgrove and Jen Idosaka / \$136

Continue your journey into Tai Chi with the Yang 24 Forms and Combined 42 Forms. This course is designed for those who have completed Tai Chi for Beginners and wish to deepen their practice. The Yang 24 Forms expresses the essence of traditional Tai Chi in a short sequence of easy-to-learn flowing movements. Students can progress to the Combined 42 Forms.

Classes

8 Weeks / 1 Hour Sessions

Term 3 & 4

Thurs 30 July, 7-8pm

Thurs 20 Oct, 7-8pm

Health & Wellbeing



Mindfulness and Meditation / Cheryl Cattarin /

Term 3 = \$105 / Term 4 = \$140

The Mindfulness and Meditation Course is for people who want to learn how to reduce stress and anxiety, improve work and study performance, increase concentration and experience more peace and calmness in life. Students will receive a 35 page manual and 7 downloadable audio files to use during and after the course.

Classes

T3: 6 Weeks / 1 Hour Sessions

T4: 8 Weeks / 1 Hour Sessions

Term 3 & 4

Wedn 12 Aug, 6-7pm

Wedn 21 Oct, 6-7pm

The Good Life: A practical guide to positive mental health

/ Jodie Cooper / \$105

This course introduces evidence-based strategies from positive psychology to enhance mental wellbeing. You'll explore the PERMAH framework and learn practical techniques to improve mood, resilience, and focus. Through research-backed insights and simple exercises, discover how small changes in habits and mindset can lead to lasting improvements in happiness, relationships, and overall life satisfaction - helping you build a foundation for long-term psychological health.

Classes

2 Weeks / 3 Hour Sessions

Term 4

Sat 24 Oct, 9-12pm



Wine Tasting Class - Coming Term 4

Discover the world of wine in this relaxed and engaging beginner-friendly class designed to build your confidence and palate. Students will explore the fundamental differences between major wine varieties, learning how factors like grape type, region, and production methods influence flavour and aroma. Through guided tastings, you'll develop essential skills for identifying key characteristics in wine, from body and acidity to tannins and sweetness. The course also introduces the art of food and wine pairing, helping you understand how to match wines with different dishes to enhance both the meal and the drinking experience.

Photography



Creative Smartphone Photography

Wollongong Botanic Gardens / Neoklis Bloukos / \$96

Set amongst the magnificent Wollongong Botanic Garden, during this comprehensive 4 hour field trip, held in Spring, Neoklis will teach you Creative Black & White, and Colour Photography, with either your Smartphone / Tablet using various Photography techniques.

Classes

1 Day / 4 Hour Session

Term 3

Sat 26 Sept, 10-2pm

Nan Tien Temple / Neoklis Bloukos / \$96

Set amongst the magnificent Nan Tien Temple grounds, in this comprehensive 4 x hour field trip, Neoklis will teach you how to capture your travels, selfies, and to capture those special memories with the wow factor! by learning the in-built camera functions on your Smartphone or tablet properly, using various Photography techniques.

Classes

1 Day / 4 Hour Session

Term 4

Sat 17 Oct, 10am-2pm

Team Experience - Creative Smartphone Photography / Neoklis Bloukos / \$120 (per person)

In this comprehensive 5-hour Team experience, Neoklis will teach you how to use your Smartphone camera and adjust the settings to capture your travels, a great selfie, or special moment. Whilst you and your Team refuel, Neoklis will provide a feedback and open chat session. This will include a demonstration of digital photography processing apps, how to use them properly and how to make your photograph(s) really stand out and get that wow factor to make them really pop!

Classes

1 Day / 5 Hour Session

Term 3 & 4

Available days Tues, Wed, Thurs, Sat 10am-3pm

Locations

- Rhododendron Gardens
- Wollongong Botanic Gardens
- Nan Tien Temple
- Sydney Harbour
- OR suggest your own

Enquire

Please call 4226 1622

Photography



DSLR Photography

Beginners Photography / Nicolaas Van Oudtshoorn / \$180

Learn how to take great photos! Learn how to get the most out of your camera in this beginner's class by using its auto settings. This is an intensive course delivered over 1 full day focusing on Digital Single Lens Reflex (DSLR) and Mirrorless cameras with interchangeable lenses. It covers every aspect of photography, from wide-angle to telephoto and macro. We look at composition in-depth, exploring how to visualise the final photo before pressing the shutter button. You then go on location to compose and shoot your images for class discussion.

Classes

1 Day / 7.5 Hour Session

Term 3 & 4

Sat 12 Sept, 8:30-4pm

Sat 14 Nov, 8:30-4pm

Macro Photography / Nicolaas Van Oudtshoorn / \$180

Explore the amazing world of close-up and macro photography. Learn the techniques and equipment (optical, Lighting and support) needed to achieve sharply focused, well-exposed photographs of flowers, insects, water drops, miniatures, coins, jewellery and much more.

Classes

1 Day / 7.5 Hour Session

Term 4

Sat 24 Oct, 8:30-4pm



Come Teach With Us!

Do you have a skill or hobby you're passionate about?

Share your knowledge and inspire others! We're looking for talented tutors to teach a variety of subjects and skills. Whether it's music, art, languages, or anything in between, we want you on our team! Flexible hours, competitive pay, and the chance to make a difference.

Join us today and help others learn something new!

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Outdoor & Garden



Wild Birds Of The Illawarra / Martin Potter / \$88

Get acquainted with our local wildlife at this workshop, first in a short presentation and then out in the field at a local wetland. This course will help you find our amazing local wild birds, and answer questions about birds you have seen but weren't able to identify. BYO binoculars if you have any.

Must be able to drive yourself to offsite location: Intergral Energy Park, Dapto

Classes

1 Day / 4 Hour Session

Term 3 & 4

Sat 29 Aug, 9-1pm

Sat 1 Nov, 9-1pm

Garden Maintenance / Mark Allen / \$126

In this course you will learn a variety of different plant species, how to maintain plants to a high quality, how to prune plants correctly including heights and frequency of pruning and how to fertilise plants to promote growth, flowers and fruits.

Classes

1 Day / 6 Hour Session

Term 3 & 4

Sat 29 Aug, 9-3pm

Sat 17 Oct, 9-3pm

Herb, Salad & Vegetable Garden / Mark Allen / \$66

Whip up a garden in no time and enjoy home grown freshness on your dinner plate! This course comes with lots of tips and tricks about what to plant, the best soil and fertilisers to use, and natural bug and pest deterrents.

Classes

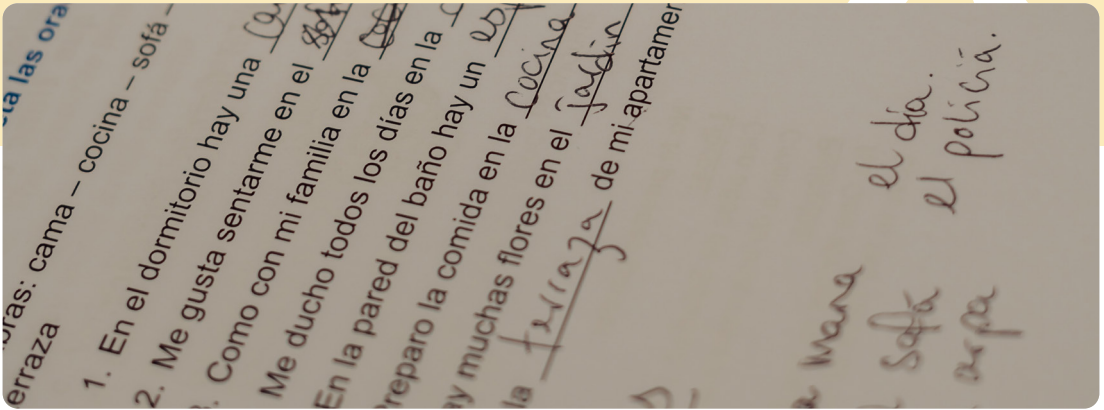
1 Day / 3 Hour Session

Term 3 & 4

Sat 12 Aug, 9-12pm

Sat 31 Oct, 9-12pm

Languages



Spanish Express / Carola Roa Sanchez / \$280

This 8-week, fun and interactive course is designed for anyone who wants to learn Spanish for business or tourism purposes, and no prior knowledge of the language is required. Language Express offers you the opportunity to develop key communication skills in a dynamic and engaging environment. You'll have the chance to practice and improve all essential language skills: speaking, listening, reading, and writing. Additionally, you'll explore the rich culture behind the language, giving you a deeper understanding of both the language and the diverse Spanish-speaking world.

This class is not recommended for school students.

Classes

8 Weeks / 2 Hour Sessions

Term 4

Expressions of Interest

Tues 20 Oct, 6-8pm

Spanish Level 1 / Carola Roa Sanchez / \$350

This interactive eight-week course is perfect for students with no prior experience of Spanish. Whether you are planning to travel, enhance your business communication, or simply improve your every-day Spanish, this course will give you the foundation that you need. Using a dynamic communicative approach, you will build essential skills in listening, speaking, reading and writing at the A1 level. Each class will combine grammar instruction with a variety of engaging activities.

This class is not recommended for school students.

Classes

8 weeks / 2.5 Hour Sessions

Term 3

Wed 29 July, 6-8:30pm

Mandarin Chinese Level 1 / Su-Lien Chen / \$350

Mandarin Chinese 1 is an introductory course for beginners who would like to develop their basic language skills and strategies for the Chinese language. It is designed to provide learners with the skills needed to understand and use Chinese Mandarin in a range of daily situations. Indeed, an introduction to the Chinese culture and society will be covered.

Classes

8 Weeks / 2.5 Hour Sessions

Term 3 & 4

Mon 27 July, 6-8:30pm

Mon 20 Oct, 6-8:30pm

Languages



Japanese Express / David Lesslie / \$280

The nuts and bolts of the Japanese language. This specially designed, one-off course will equip you with an essential set of key phrases, along with a basic understanding of Japanese pronunciation and grammar, so you can get by under your own steam in Japan. The ideal preparation for a trip to the land of the rising sun, perfect for beginners.

Classes

8 Weeks / 2 Hour Sessions

Term 3 & 4

Mon 27 July, 6-8pm

Mon 19 Oct, 6-8pm

Japanese Level 1 / \$350

If you are interested in Japanese language and culture, but never had a chance? If you want to go to Japan someday, so want to learn basic conversation? If you studied Japanese at high school but never continued and re-start? If those are you, these courses are for you.

Classes

8 Weeks / 2.5 Hour Sessions

Term 3

Thurs 30 July, 6:30-9pm

Russian 1 / Anna Fitzgerald / \$350

Russian 1 is structured for COMPLETE BEGINNERS. These Russian classes are for more formal study. Russian 1 class will have a greater emphasis on the Russian language skills: reading, speaking and listening. We will practice basic communication skills using dialogs and role-play.

Additional cost for textbook/workbook (Ruslan Russian 1).

Classes

8 Weeks / 2.5 Hour Sessions

Term 3

Mon 27 July, 6:30-9pm

Continuer Classes

Please check website for more information regarding continuer classes being offered each term for the different languages. Please note some classes may not run due to low enrolment numbers, please enrol early to avoid disappointment.

Storytelling



Speaking with Confidence: The mindset and craft of sharing your message

/ Jodie Cooper / \$105

Find your voice and speak with confidence. This course helps you overcome fear, manage nerves, and communicate authentically. Explore three essentials - Confidence, Content, and Connection - while learning practical techniques to calm your mind, structure ideas naturally, and engage your audience. Through supportive practice and feedback, you'll develop a speaking style that feels genuine and clear, so you can share your message with confidence in any setting.

Classes

2 Weeks / 3 Hour Session

Term 3

Sat 1 Aug, 9-12pm

Intro to Structured Writing / John Wegner / \$126

Do you have a story idea but don't know how to write the story? Where do you start? How do you make it interesting? This course will provide the basic framework for story writing from idea, outline, writing, editing and other tips. Discover the key parts of a story, and how they work together to produce a gripping tale. The course will help you bring the story to life for the reader.

Classes

2 Weeks / 3 Hour Sessions

Term 3 & 4

Sat 1 Aug, 1-4pm

Sat 24 Oct, 1-4pm

Christmas Courses



Christmas Art Glass Fusing / Simon Kutassy / \$66

Get into the holiday spirit and unleash your creativity in this hands-on Christmas Glass Fusing class! In this festive workshop, participants will design and create six unique small glass decorations—perfect for hanging on your Christmas tree, gifting to loved ones, or adding a personal touch to your holiday décor.

Under guided instruction, you'll learn the basics of glass fusing, including how to safely cut and layer coloured glass, use frits and decorative elements, and plan your designs. No prior experience is needed—this class is suitable for beginners and experienced makers alike. **All materials and tools are provided, and your creations will be ready for collection 2 weeks later.**

Classes

1 Day / 2 Hour Session

Term 4

Sat 28 Nov, 10-12pm

Christmas Crepe Cannaloni / Gina Ottaway / \$116

Super soft crepes filled with a spinach, ricotta, mozzarella and parmigino, cooked in a simple sugo makes these cannelloni perfect for Christmas lunch or dinner. They are a dish that can be made up to two days prior or 2-3 weeks and frozen ready for Christmas. Just defrost in the fridge and cook in the oven on the day.

Classes

1 Day / 3 Hour Sessions

Term 4

Sat 21 Nov, 9-12pm

Christmas Cards in Watercolours / Linda Edmonds/ \$116

If you like the hand-made touch to Christmas, then this may be the course for you. 4 painted cards and tags in classic Christmas images could be the individual edge you can give your loved ones this season. Learn the class images and do more at home, or just come along and enjoy the day. All equipment is supplied by the tutor.

Classes

1 Day / 4 Hour Sessions

Term 4

Sat 5 Dec, 10-2pm



Christmas Courses



Christmas Pine Cones / Jovanka Kanaris / \$69

Create beautiful handmade Christmas fabric pine cone ornaments in this relaxing, no-sew workshop. Using simple folding and pinning techniques, you'll transform festive fabrics into textured pine cone designs perfect for your Christmas tree. Suitable for all skill levels, this class is a fun and creative way to make unique holiday decorations.

Bring your own materials for this class.

Classes

1 Day / 3 Hour Sessions

Term 4

Sat 28 Nov, 9:30-12:30pm

Luminaries / Mary Monteleone / \$60

Celebrate the festive season with this creative, hands-on workshop where you'll design and create a set of three ceramic Christmas tree luminaries. Using simple hand-building techniques, you'll craft three tree-shaped pieces in varying sizes, perfect for displaying together as a charming illuminated feature in your home.

You'll be guided through shaping and decorating each luminary, giving you the opportunity to personalise your designs with patterns, textures, and festive details. Once complete, your pieces will be fired and glazed, ready to softly glow when lit.

Finished works will be available for collection at a later date. No prior experience is required. All materials supplied.

Classes

1 Day / 2 Hour Sessions

Term 4

Sat 14 Nov, 10-12pm

Sat 14 Nov, 1-3pm

Garden Sculptures Express

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Students in this class use terracotta and white earthenware clay to create sculptural, functional, and at times festive Christmas items. You can create Christmas ornaments, perfect for gifting or adding a handmade touch to the festive season. Students will be taught hands-on techniques such as coil, slab and pinch, along with using moulds.

Bring your own materials for this class.

Classes

8 Weeks / 2 Hour Sessions

Term 4

Thur 22 Oct, 10am-12pm

