

The Grafton Academy of Dress Designing

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SUMMER COURSES APPLICATION FORM 2012

FASHION DESIGN

An introductory course in Fashion Designing. Students learn to design, cut patterns and sew their own creations. Teaching is by individual attention and the course is an ideal way of finding out about this as a career or for those who wish to make their own clothes. Good for people not stock size. All ages are welcome, young to mature.

Equipment: An A4 pad, pen, pencil, eraser, large plastic set-square (about 32c.m.), tracing wheel with metal spikes, a scissors, tape measure, A3 sketch pad, soft drawing pencil, fine felt tipped pen, colouring pencils or paints, a small sellotape, 1 metre calico or cheap fabric for first trial patterns. The student provides suitable fabrics for styles to be made up. Pattern making paper, sewing machine bobbins and Vilene may be purchased at the Academy. Full day students may bring in lunch.

DRESSMAKING

Students bring a commercial pattern with fabric and they are taught how to cut out, sew, fit and finish. Beginners are advised to choose a simple pattern, avoiding difficult fabrics, eg, chiffon, to enable them to learn basic sewing techniques. Students at an advanced level may choose more complicated patterns, eg a tailored suit but they are advised to book for more than one week. All ages are welcome, young to mature. Teaching is by individual attention to meet different levels.

Equipment: Commercial pattern, fabric, tape measure, dressmaking pins, sharp scissors for cutting out, sewing needles, threads, seam ripper, and any other requirements of the pattern, eg, a zip, lining etc. (For those who wish to do Alterations or Upcycle garments please see Upcycle form).

ATTENDANCE: DRESS DESIGNING - Choice of weeks beginning from Mon. 11th June-Fri 24th August 2012.

(If students wish, they may attend for the 11 weeks)

DRESSMAKING is available from week beginning 11th June to week ending Fri 24th August.

PLEASE CHECK AVAILABILITY BY TELEPHONE. EARLY BOOKING IS ADVISABLE.

PAYMENT: For Dress Designing, a deposit of €200 (out of full fee) should accompany this form. Balance can be paid in one or more payments on or before month of commencement. For Dressmaking, please confirm with full fee.

Attendance options for Dress Designing	Fees for Dress Designing	Attendance options for Dressmaking	
1 month (40 classes) full-time 10-4pm.	€600	1 Week (10 Classes) Full-time 10-4pm	€320
3 weeks (30 classes) Full-time 10-4pm.	€500	2 Weeks (10 classes) Half-time 10-12.30 or 1.30-4pm.	€320
2 Weeks (20 classes) F/T 10-4pm.	€420	2 Weeks (20 classes) Full-time 10-4pm.	€590
1 Month Half-Time AM or PM (20 classes)	€420		

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SUMMER COURSE BOOKING FORM 2012

Which course do you wish to undertake: Fashion Design?.....or Dressmaking?.....

How many weeks do you want to attend?.....Please state weeks you require.....

Do you wish to attend F/T?.....(2 classes daily) or H/T?.....AMS.....or PMS.....

Do you wish to be seated with a friend?.....Have you any Dressmaking experience?.....

NAME.....

ADDRESS.....

Telephone number: (H).....(W).....Mobile.....AGE (if under 21).....

To confirm booking, I enclose €.....in respect of deposit for Dress Designing/Full fee for Dressmaking. Balance may be paid in stages & is payable in full before course commences. I note that deposits or fees are not refundable or transferable & missed classes cannot be made up.

Signature.....Date.....