



UPHOLSTERY TASTER DAY

DROP-IN SEAT CHAIR

One day workshop 9.30am to 5pm
£145 per person, including chair and materials



This friendly and industrious one-day workshop is designed to introduce students to traditional upholstery skills while reupholstering an antique or vintage chair which they can take home at the end of the day.

Students will be given an antique or vintage drop-in seat style chair. The task is to build up the seat pad using traditional materials such as hair, hessian and calico, finishing it with their own top fabric.

As all the chairs we source are antique, we cannot guarantee a particular style, however they mostly tend to be from the Edwardian period. They can be polished to a high sheen, painted, waxed or even gilded when you get home. They make pretty and useful chairs for bedrooms, bathrooms.. wherever you please.

What is provided

- A vintage or antique drop-in seat chair, and all upholstery sundries required. Students are welcome to bring their own chair, if they have one suitable for the day. Do send us a photo before you arrive and make sure it

is stripped and sturdy. Please note that we are unable to offer a discount to those using their own chair.

- Hand tools for use on the day.
- Tea, coffee and a full biscuit tin.

What to bring

- You will need to bring your own **top fabric** to cover your seat pad with. 1m of upholstery weight fabric will be more than sufficient. Avoid anything too bulky, such as chenille, velvet or a faux leather. If in doubt, bring a choice and our tutors will be happy to advise you.
- Bring a **packed lunch**, or you can pop five mins up the road to the village shop. We have a small fridge, microwave and kettle.

How to get here

We are based in rural workrooms about three miles from Bradford on Avon in Wiltshire. Our address is:

Traditional Upholstery School, Unit 2, Holt Holdings Business Park, East Lane, Holt, Trowbridge Wiltshire BA14 6QU

East Lane is a very small lane just off the B3107 between Melksham and Holt. The signpost is to Broughton Gifford. We are about 300 yards along the lane on the left. Drive through the main gate and park on the left against the wall. As other businesses use the site please try not to block any gateways.

Get in touch

If you get lost do call on 07505 651030 and we'll try to direct you safely. See you soon!

