

Textiles Workshops

with
Philippa Day



Edward, age 8



Kelsey, age 13



Isabel, age 13

Learn to make a calico bag
with your own textile artwork!



Harriet, age 12



Kate, age 10

Come and explore texture and colour,
unleash creativity and learn new skills with
a professional textile designer-maker

philippa day
handmade in england

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Courses are primarily aimed at children aged between 9 and 15. However, I can tailor courses to suit any age (over 9 years old) - even grown ups!

What happens on the day?

After an introduction and settling in to the workshop for the day, Philippa chats with the students about topics they can use for a theme for their bag.

She demonstrates the techniques the students will use throughout the day, which include initial sketches for design, choosing appropriate fabrics and trimmings and applying the fabrics to the bag.

The students are then 'let loose' to choose their fabrics and start to work on their bags! Philippa closely supervises and helps the students, along with an assistant. The students will be given a briefing on how to safely use an iron to work with the textiles.

Once the students have chosen their theme, Philippa asks them to give her two or three 'title words' for their piece and then free-hand machine-embroiders these words onto a panel which the students can attach to their bag. This is a great way to personalise their work even more!

"Thank you Philippa! :-)"

Workshop dates:

Friday 17th July - The Fallen Knight Hotel, Ashby

Friday 24th July - The Fallen Knight Hotel, Ashby

for more information, have a look at:

www.philippaday.co.uk

How long does the workshop last?

The workshop starts at 10am and finishes at 4.30pm, including a lunch break of 45 minutes. Lunch can be provided for an extra £5, or you're welcome to bring your own lunch.

"I really enjoyed making the bag and was pleased with it."

How much does it cost?

The cost per student is £35, which includes materials. Workshops run with a minimum of 4 students and a maximum of 7.

"It was really fun and I would love to do it again."

How do I book a workshop place?

Contact Philippa on 01283 763450 or 07951 760721 to book your place.

Alternatively, you can e-mail Philippa at hello@philippaday.co.uk