

Silver Jewellery Workshops

Design Technology Education



Introduction

My name is Rebecca Stevenson - BA Hons Jewellery and Object. I am a qualified Design Technology Teacher with seven years teaching experience predominantly at Ripon Grammar School.

I am currently offering silver jewellery workshops to local schools. Students do not need any prior experience and I can tailor each workshop to the age and ability of your students. I can provide high quality and alternative Design Technology provision to broaden the experiences of your students. Silver workshops would provide the opportunity to learn new skills, increase understanding of materials and processes and create an incredible piece of silver jewellery that students can be proud of.

Students

All workshops could include essential skills of measuring, marking, filing, texturing and soldering. For more advanced students basic stone setting could be included and more complex types of jewellery could be used to increase difficulty.

I can offer silver jewellery workshops from age 11 upwards with increasing complexity and challenge.

I am also able to review the exam board specification for KS4 and KS5 qualifications to support the delivery of theory content within the workshops.

Depending on your schools needs, I can offer individual, shorter workshops or half/whole day sessions. The number of students in each session would need to be discussed to ensure health and safety and management of materials and equipment.



Staff

For the last 2 years, I have offered staff workshops at Ripon Grammar School. These were open to all and attracted a range of staff. The first series was in the form of a 'ring in a day' however many of the staff stayed on to produce much more ambitious projects such as stone setting, bracelets and spinner rings.

"From the design process to the finished product, I learned new skills and ended up with a beautiful bracelet that I wear everyday!"

I am happy to discuss the possibility of staff workshops and I can tailor these to your school's needs.

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"The jewellery workshops were the highlight of my week - having the chance to be creative and learn new skills like soldering and gem setting with Rebecca's expert guidance, in a relaxed and friendly environment - totally recommended!"

"I had so much fun making it. Mrs Stevenson taught us the techniques with patience (by the bucket load) and humour, resulting in an enjoyable and sociable hour after school each week."

"A great opportunity and project for them. I was gifted it as a Mothers Day present - very treasured."
Parent of a past student.

Equipment and Costs

Jewellery workshops require specialist equipment. I am happy to use the facilities within your school, however I can also provide any extra equipment required for the workshops requested. I will also provide advice as to where to source equipment and materials should your students wish to explore the use of silver further.

The price of my workshops are competitive and would depend on the type required and number of students. The number of students and therefore the amount of silver needed would need to be known in advance of the session and covered in the cost of the workshops.



Contact Details

Please use the contact details below to discuss your individual requirements. I look forward to hearing from you.

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References available upon request.

Qualification certificates available upon request.