



CURTAIN MAKING CLASSES

The aim of this course is to give you the confidence and skills to be able to make beautiful curtains for your own home.

COURSE PROGRAMME

We will start by discussing various curtain styles, decorative hardware, pelmets and blinds.

You will then learn how to join linings, interlinings, plain and patterned fabrics.

I will help you make a sample lined curtain with pencil pleat heading. This will ensure that you thoroughly understand curtain making methods and the traditional hand stitching techniques.

You will learn how to design and plan a window treatment, including accurate measuring, suitable hardware and estimation of fabric quantities for both plain and patterned fabric.

We will discuss how to calculate hand headings - triple pleats (French pleats), goblet and cartridge pleats, before I teach you how to make a sample interlined curtain with these headings.

Finally I will show you how to hang and dress your curtains to make your windows look stunning!

COURSE DATES AND FEES

The cost of this course will be £300.00 per person and will include all materials. You will be required to bring your own scissors (large and small), notebook and pencil, and calculator.

The classes will be held over a period of 6 weeks every Saturday from 11.30 to 3.30 in my workroom at 289 Castle Road, Salisbury where free off road car parking is available. Lunch will be provided.

Contact me for the date of the next course or have any queries please call me on 07931 582357.

Specialist curtain making equipment and soft furnishing materials can be purchased during the course.

Please dress for comfort – you will be standing much of the time!