Course title:

Trash to treasure: Quirky clutch bags

Date: 16 March 2013

Time: 10am - 4pm

Number of Sessions: 1

Fee - full: £40

Fee – concession: £22

Tutor: Rachel Grevatte

Summary Description: Discover how to re-use and recycle papers and fabrics to make your own creations and distinctive gifts that will wow your family and friends.

Detailed Description: Participants will look at the examples and the techniques used to make the clutch bags. They will also look at current trends in magazines for inspiration. They will then be shown several simple techniques for making their own. The partcipants will then be helped to design and make a template, then select and assemble their materials to make their own bag. Partcipants are encouraged to bring along any recycled materials they would like to include in their bag, e.g. buttons, fabrics, ribbons, other decorative items.

Objectives/Outcomes: To learn techniques for turning recycled fabrics and other materials into original and quirky clutch bags.

To practice simple hand sewing skills and develop new ways of using materials

To have made at least one bag with a handle if required.

