

Summer and Wedding Flowers

Location	Offsite
Course Type	Adult
Department	Horticulture
Start Date	Thursday 14th May 2026
Duration	Part-time, 6 Weeks
Time	10:00:00 - 12:00:00
Fee	£ 54.00 You may be eligible for support with your tuition fees - please visit the college website - funding and finance page for further information
Course Code	XPQ-CYXZ-1222

Course Overview

This introductory floristry course is designed for anyone interested in creating stunning floral displays for weddings and special occasions. With a focus on elegance and creativity, you will learn how to design arrangements that bring beauty and atmosphere to memorable events.

A range of flowers and decorative items will be required. A detailed list will be provided each week.

This course will be held at St John's Centre, St John's Rd, Old Trafford, Stretford, Manchester M16 7GX

Course Requirements

No prior experience is required-just bring your enthusiasm and curiosity to explore this beautiful subject.

What You Will Learn

By the end of this course, you will have the skills to design and assemble a variety of wedding and event floral arrangements, including:

- Bridal bouquet - techniques for crafting elegant, hand-tied bouquets.
- Top table arrangement - creating impactful displays for the wedding party's table.
- Centrepiece wedding table arrangement - designing balanced and eye-catching centrepieces.
- Pew ends - adding floral accents to ceremony seating for a cohesive look.

You will gain confidence in working with different flowers, foliage, and accessories, while developing an eye for design that suits both traditional and contemporary wedding styles.

Assessment

This is an essentially practical course with no formal assessment. Students will receive constructive verbal feedback and will be encouraged to keep a photographic record of their work.

Progression

Art and design courses - Textiles, Ceramics

Arts and Craft course - Painting, Drawing (watercolours and acrylic)

Career Options

Completing a Summer and Wedding Flowers course can open doors to entry-level opportunities in floristry, event styling, and creative business ventures. While it won't make you a fully qualified florist on its own, it provides a strong foundation for practical skills that can be developed into a career.

- Florist Assistant / Trainee Florist
- Wedding & Event Floristry
- Freelance Floral Designer
- Retail Floristry / Flower Shop Business
- Event Styling & Venue Decoration
- Wholesale & Supply Roles
- Creative Side Hustles

Mandatory Units

There are no mandatory units

Contact Details

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