



# ACL AUTUMN COURSES

(September - December)



Open Age's **Adult Community Learning (ACL)** programme offers a range of courses that must be booked in advance and require a commitment of 5–10 weeks, depending on the course. These classes differ from standard Open Age drop-in sessions.

### To take part, you must be able to meet the following conditions:

- Completion of an enrolment form, including valid ID (e.g. Passport or Driving Licence)
- Providing your National Insurance number
- A commitment to attend all sessions for the full duration of the course

### Course Limits

- You may attend only one art class. Please provide a 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> choice when booking.
- For IT courses, you may book a maximum of 2 courses per term.

### ACL Costs

Courses cost £3 per session. They are priced differently from other Open Age activities because they are funded by the Government through the Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea. If you meet the eligibility criteria, you may be able to attend for free.

### Term Dates

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> September - Friday 4<sup>th</sup> December

Half Term (no classes): 26<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup> October (*check with your tutor if your course has a half term*)

### Enquiries & Booking

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact:

✉ [ACLbookings@openage.org.uk](mailto:ACLbookings@openage.org.uk)

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Venue details are listed on the final page. If you need any support regarding your course, please get in touch with us or speak to a member of staff.

# Courses at Second Half Centre (North Kensington)

TIME	COURSE TITLE	No. OF WEEKS	LOCATION
<b>MONDAY</b>			
10:00 - 12:00	IT - How to Use Maps <i>*starts 14<sup>th</sup> September</i>	5 weeks	Second Half Centre
12:00 - 14:30	IT - Travel Smart: Book Flights, Trains, Stays & Activities <i>*starts 14<sup>th</sup> September</i>	5 weeks	Second Half Centre
15:00 - 17:00	IT - Creating Greeting Cards Using A.I. <i>*starts 14<sup>th</sup> September</i>	5 weeks	Second Half Centre
15:00 - 17:00	IT - Scam Awareness <i>*starts 14<sup>th</sup> September</i>	5 weeks	Second Half Centre
<b>TUESDAY</b>			
10:00 - 12:00	IT - Computer for Beginners (Windows 11) <i>*starts 22<sup>nd</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Second Half Centre
10:00 - 12:00	Spanish for Absolute Beginners <i>*starts 22<sup>nd</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Second Half Centre
13:00 - 15:00	IT - Budgeting Using Excel <i>*starts 22<sup>nd</sup> September</i>	5 weeks	Second Half Centre
13:00 - 15:00	IT - Introduction to Android Devices <i>*starts 3<sup>rd</sup> November</i>	5 weeks	Second Half Centre
14:30 - 16:30	Introduction to Leather & Cork Crafting <i>*£5 contribution towards materials, non-refundable</i> <i>*starts 22<sup>nd</sup> September</i>	5 weeks	Second Half Centre
14:30 - 16:30	Introduction to Leather & Cork Crafting <i>*£5 contribution towards materials, non-refundable</i> <i>*starts 3<sup>rd</sup> November</i>	5 weeks	Second Half Centre
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>			
10:00 - 12:00	IT - Using the NHS & GP Apps <i>*starts 23<sup>rd</sup> September</i>	5 weeks	Second Half Centre
10:00 - 12:00	IT - Using the Cloud (Storage) <i>*starts 4<sup>th</sup> November</i>	5 weeks	Second Half Centre
12:15 - 14:15	IT - Men's Space: Men's IT Group <i>*starts 23<sup>rd</sup> September</i>	5 weeks	Second Half Centre
12:15 - 14:15	IT - Men's Space: Men's IT Group <i>*starts 4<sup>th</sup> November</i>	5 weeks	Second Half Centre
13:30 - 15:30	Meditation & Mindfulness <i>*starts 23<sup>rd</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Second Half Centre
14:30 - 16:30	Poetry <i>*starts 23<sup>rd</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Second Half Centre

THURSDAY			
10:00 - 12:00	IT - Getting Started with Your iPad/iPhone <i>*starts 17<sup>th</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Second Half Centre
10:00 - 12:00	Crochet & Knitting: Create Your Own Accessory <i>*Purse, Bag, Scarf or Hat</i> <i>*starts 24<sup>th</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Second Half Centre
10:15 - 12:15	Mosaics <i>*starts 24<sup>th</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Second Half Centre
15:00 - 17:00	Chinese Calligraphy <i>*starts 24<sup>th</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Second Half Centre
15:00 - 17:00	Spanish Beginners 1 <i>*must have a minimum of 120 hours of tuition</i> <i>*starts 24<sup>th</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Second Half Centre
FRIDAY			
10:00 - 12:00	Spanish Beginners 3 <i>*must have a minimum of 160 hours of tuition</i> <i>*starts 25<sup>th</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Second Half Centre
10:00 - 12:00	IT - Further Skills Using Computers (Windows 11) <i>*starts 25<sup>th</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Second Half Centre
12:15 - 14:15	IT - Introduction to A.I. <i>*starts 25<sup>th</sup> September</i>	5 weeks	Second Half Centre
12:15 - 14:15	IT - How to Use WhatsApp <i>*starts 6<sup>th</sup> November</i>	5 weeks	Second Half Centre
12:15 - 14:15	IT - How to Use Social Media <i>*YouTube, Instagram &amp; Facebook</i> <i>*starts 6<sup>th</sup> November</i>	5 weeks	Second Half Centre
12:30 - 14:30	Spanish for Beginners <i>*must have a minimum of 60 hours of tuition</i> <i>*starts 25<sup>th</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Second Half Centre
15:00 - 17:00	Spanish Beginners 2 <i>*must have a minimum of 140 hours of tuition</i> <i>*starts 25<sup>th</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Second Half Centre

## Courses at New Horizons (Chelsea)

TIME	COURSE TITLE	No. OF WEEKS	LOCATION
MONDAY			
9:45 - 11:45	Watercolours (All Levels) <i>*starts 21<sup>st</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	New Horizons
10:00 - 12:00	IT - Computer for Beginners (Windows 11) <i>*starts 21<sup>st</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	New Horizons
12:00 - 14:00	Watercolours (All Levels) <i>*starts 21<sup>st</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Ixworth Place
12:30 - 14:30	IT - Travel Smart: Book Flights, Trains, Stays & Activities <i>*starts 21<sup>st</sup> September</i>	5 weeks	New Horizons



12:30 - 14:30	IT - How to Use Maps on Your Phone <i>*starts 2<sup>nd</sup> November</i>	5 weeks	New Horizons
12:30 - 14:30	IT - Scam Awareness <i>*starts 2<sup>nd</sup> November</i>	5 weeks	New Horizons
14:15 - 16:15	Watercolours (All Levels) <i>*starts 21<sup>st</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Ixworth Place
<b>TUESDAY</b>			
10:00 - 12:00	Introduction to Leather & Cork Crafting <i>*£5 contribution towards materials, non-refundable</i> <i>*starts 22<sup>nd</sup> September</i>	5 weeks	New Horizons
10:00 - 12:00	Introduction to Leather & Cork Crafting <i>*£5 contribution towards materials, non-refundable</i> <i>*starts 3<sup>rd</sup> November</i>	5 weeks	New Horizons
10:30 - 12:30	Creative Writing <i>*starts 22<sup>nd</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Response Community
14:30 - 16:30	Creative Writing <i>*starts 22<sup>nd</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	New Horizons
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>			
10:00 - 12:00	Sketching at Holland Park <i>*starts 23<sup>rd</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Holland Park
10:00 - 12:00	Mosaics <i>*starts 23<sup>rd</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	New Horizons
<b>THURSDAY</b>			
14:30 - 16:30	Life Stories <i>*starts 24<sup>th</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	New Horizons
<b>FRIDAY</b>			
10:00 - 12:00	IT - Getting Started with Your iPad/iPhone <i>*starts 18<sup>th</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	New Horizons
10:15 - 12:15	Drawing at the V&A Museum <i>*starts 25<sup>th</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	V&A Museum
12:00 - 14:00	Creative Writing <i>*starts 25<sup>th</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	New Horizons
12:00 - 14:00	Theatre Fun and Games <i>starts 25<sup>th</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Ixworth Place
12:15 - 14:15	Drawing at the V&A Museum <i>*starts 25<sup>th</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	V&A Museum
13:00 - 15:00	IT - Introduction to A.I. <i>*starts 18<sup>th</sup> September</i>	5 weeks	New Horizons
13:00 - 15:00	IT - How to Use WhatsApp <i>*starts 6<sup>th</sup> November</i>	5 weeks	New Horizons
13:00 - 15:00	IT - How to Use Social Media <i>*YouTube, Instagram &amp; Facebook</i> <i>*starts 6<sup>th</sup> November</i>	5 weeks	New Horizons
14:30 - 16:30	Watercolours (All Levels) <i>*starts 25<sup>th</sup> September</i>	10 weeks	Ixworth Place

# Courses Online

WEDNESDAY			
16:00 - 17:45	Meditation & Mindfulness	<i>*starts 23<sup>rd</sup> September</i>	10 weeks
			Online

## Venue Addresses

### Centres:

- **Second Half Centre:** St Charles Health and Wellbeing, Exmoor Street, London W10 6DZ  
**Closest Station:** Ladbroke Grove  
**Buses:** 7, 23, 52, 70, 228, 295, 316, 452
- **New Horizons Centre:** Guinness Trust Estate, Cadogan Street, London SW3 2PF  
**Closest Station:** Sloane Square/South Kensington  
**Buses:** 19, 22, 137, 452, C1 to Sloane Street; buses 11, 211, 319 to King's Road (stop nearest to Draycott Avenue); bus 360 to Sloane Avenue and Draycott Terrace

### External:

- **Ixworth Place Community Centre:** 2 Kimbolton Row, London SW3 6RQ  
**Closest Stations:** South Kensington/Sloane Square  
**Buses:** 14, 49, 345 (Onslow Square) or 360 (Fulham Road)
- **Holland Park:** Ilchester Place, London W8 6LU  
**Closest Stations:** Holland Park/High Street Kensington  
**Buses:** 31, 94, 148, 228 (Holland Park Stop HA) or 9, 27, 28, 49, C1 (The Design Museum)
- **Response Community Projects:** 300 Old Brompton Road, London SW5 9JF  
**Closest Stations:** West Brompton/Earl's Court  
**Buses:** 74, 328, 430
- **Victoria & Albert Museum:** Exhibition Road, London SW7 (use side entrance)  
**Closest Station:** South Kensington/Gloucester Road  
**Buses:** 14, 74, 360, 414, C1

