



Quaint Quillmanship: The Art of Feather Penmanship

Instructor:

Professor Quilliam Featherbottom

Location:

York

Course Type:

Traditional Skills

Cost:

£65.00

Learning Objectives

- Master the basics of quill preparation and maintenance
- Learn the elegant art of calligraphy using traditional feather quills
- Understand the historical significance of quill writing in British history
- Create personalized stationery with hand-inked designs
- Develop enhanced focus and patience through meticulous penmanship

Provided Materials

- Handcrafted feather quills
- Ink well with various ink colors
- Calligraphy practice sheets
- Personalized parchment stationery set
- Quill maintenance kit

Skills Developed

Calligraphy

Historical Skills

Artistic Expression

Focus

Craftsmanship

Course Description

In the heart of York, step into a world where words flow with the graceful elegance of an era long past in our class, "Quaint Quillmanship: The Art of Feather Penmanship." Led by the illustrious Professor Quilliam Featherbottom, this delightful course invites you to master the ancient art of writing with feather quills. Students will begin their journey by learning how to select and prepare their quills, ensuring they are perfectly poised for the inky adventures ahead. Professor Featherbottom will guide you through the delicate dance of quill maintenance and ink dipping, setting the stage for artistic expression. Dive into the world of calligraphy as you learn to create flowing letters and intricate designs. The historical context will unfold as you explore the significance of quill penmanship in British history, from illuminating manuscripts to drafting love letters. With personalized parchment stationery, each participant will craft unique hand-inked creations, perfect for heartfelt correspondence or framing as works of art. Through this whimsical yet educational journey, you will cultivate not only the skill of beautiful writing but also the virtues of focus and patience. Discover the joy of slowing down in a fast-paced world, and leave with a personalized quillmanship kit that allows you to continue your feathered foray into the art of words.