



Ye Olde Dragon-Charmer's Blacksmithing Workshop

Instructor:

Sir Anvil McFireheart

Location:

Edinburgh

Course Type:

Traditional Skills

Cost:

£95.00

Learning Objectives

- Learn the basics of traditional blacksmithing techniques
- Understand the importance of safety gear and practices in a forge
- Create a simple dragon-themed metalwork project
- Explore the history of blacksmithing in medieval Scotland
- Develop basic skills in metal bending and shaping

Provided Materials

- Forging apron
- Safety goggles
- Metal rods
- Tongs and hammers
- Dragon-shaped templates

Skills Developed

Blacksmithing

Metalwork

Historical Skills

Craftsmanship

Safety Practices

Course Description

Dive into the fiery heart of a forge and unleash your inner medieval craftsman with 'Ye Olde Dragon-Charmer's Blacksmithing Workshop'! Under the expert guidance of Sir Anvil McFireheart, a master blacksmith and renowned dragon enthusiast, you'll step back in time to explore the ancient art of blacksmithing with a whimsical twist. Located in the historic city of Edinburgh, this workshop offers a unique blend of practical skill-building and imaginative play. Over the course of the day, you'll don a sturdy forging apron and safety goggles before entering the legendary forge. Learn about the essential tools of a blacksmith's trade, and grasp the safety practices that have kept countless crafters safe throughout history. With the gentle crackle of the forge as your soundtrack, Sir Anvil will guide you through the creation of your very own dragon-themed metalwork. Choose from a variety of dragon-shaped templates to forge a piece that's uniquely yours. As you hammer and shape your creation, you'll delve into the rich history of blacksmithing, discovering stories of Scottish smiths who shaped the tools, weapons, and tales of old. By the end of the workshop, you'll not only take home a beautiful metal dragon but also a newfound appreciation for the art of blacksmithing and its place in history and culture. Come ready to learn, laugh, and craft your way into the annals of dragon-charmer legend!

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