



Woodturning Tuition

Tuition is provided from my well equipped workshop which includes two lathes, dedicated tools for use by the student, dust extraction and all necessary PPE (Personal Protective Equipment). Courses are typically run for two students. Training can be tailored to suit your individual wishes if there is something in particular that you'd like to try your hand at.

Standard Courses for 2025

Half Day Woodturning Taster designed to whet your appetite. Includes: workshop health and safety essentials, lathe introduction, introduction to spindle and bowl (faceplate) turning, a simple take home project.

Full Day Introduction to Woodturning Includes: workshop health and safety, lathe introduction, sharpening and use of spindle turning tools, a simple spindle take home project, sharpening and use of bowl turning tools, a simple bowl to take home.

Full Day Spindle Turning Foundation Includes: workshop health and safety, lathe introduction, sharpening and use of spindle turning tools, a simple spindle take home project. Copy turning techniques to make a matching pair of spindles

Full Day Bowl Turning Foundation Includes: workshop health and safety, lathe introduction, sharpening and use of bowl turning tools. During the day you'll turn a side grained and an end grained bowl.

Full Day Box Turning Introduction Includes: stock selection and design considerations. During the day you will turn a cross grained box.

Full Day Box Turning Foundation Includes: stock selection and design considerations. During the day you will turn a cross grained box followed by a more complex end grain box ***Prior experience essential***

Full Day Bowl Turning Improvers Course. Intended for the more experience turner who wishes to improve technique and form.



Training Costs

£150 for a full day 7.5 hours including light lunch

£160 for two persons on the half day Woodturning Taster Course 4 hours

Training can be provided in your own workshop at a rate of £22 per hour with return mileage charged at a rate of £0.45/mile.

Personalised vouchers can be purchased to present as gifts, they are prepaid in full and are valid for a period of 12 months from date of issue.

Note prices may be subject to change but will be confirmed prior to confirming the booking.