

# RIVERKNITS

## Sock Knitting Workshop

in association with



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<b>Location</b>	Lower Drayton Farmhouse Lower Drayton Farm Penkridge Staffordshire ST19 5RE
<b>Date</b>	Saturday 6th October
<b>Time</b>	0930 - 1700
<b>Cost</b>	£70.00 per student, inclusive of materials, lunch and refreshments

## Learning Objectives

Students will be shown the skills necessary to tackle the majority of sock knitting patterns. They will come away with 2 mini knitted socks, one worked toe-up, and one worked cuff-down.

### Specific techniques that will be taught during the workshop:

<b>Toe-up sock knitting</b>	How to seamlessly cast on at the toe	Judy's Magical Cast On
	How to work a short row heel	German Short Rows
	How to create a stretchy bind off	Jeny's Surprisingly Stretchy Bind Off
<b>Cuff-down sock knitting</b>	How to start a stretchy cuff top	German Twisted Cast On
	How to work a heel flap and gusset	
	How to seamlessly graft the toe	Kitchener Stitch
<b>Both socks</b>	How to knit in the round	Magic Loop

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## Materials

Students will be provided with:

- All necessary equipment (knitting needles, darning needles, embroidery scissors) for the duration of the workshop. Attendees may bring their own equipment if they prefer.
- A mini skein to be used to make mini socks to take away at the end of the day.
- A photo tutorial booklet to take away at the end of the day.

## Required Skills

Students must be able to knit and purl, count rows and stitches, work basic increases and decreases, being able to work in the round (any method) is preferred.

## Class Size

8 - 10 students.

## Additional Info

Students will have the opportunity to purchase RiverKnits sock yarn and Addi sock needles at the workshop, but there is no obligation.