

The details

All workshops cost £30 per session per person.

A minimum of 2 people per class, with a maximum of 8

Duration of 3 hours or thereabouts—morning or afternoon.

I have a flexible diary—if you are interested in coming for a workshop, please get in touch. If you have a particular date in mind and it's free in my diary, then I'm happy to teach you! That easy!

Some materials are included in the price of the workshops, but I will let you know more about individual workshops and what equipment you might need to bring (if any) upon enquiry.

The most important things to bring are a joyful spirit and a willingness to pitch in and enjoy yourself! - oh, yes and room for cake!

You could always drop by just to shop! I have for sale: spinning & felting fibres, hand spun yarns, patterns, needles, hooks, buttons, hand made garments, accessories and homeware - cushions, rugs, wraps & throws!

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Events so far this year where you can find me on tour!

- Dornoch Fibre Fest - March
- St Abbs Wool Festival in Eyemouth - 8th April & 4th November,
- Stocksfield Gathering - 20th May
- Highland Wool, Dingwall - 27th May
- Woolfest, Cumbria - 23rd/24th June
- British Wool Show, Thirsk - 8th/9th July
- Broughton Gathering - 19th August
- Yarndale in Skipton - 23rd/24th September
- Alnmouth Wool Fair - September
- Kendal Wool Gathering - end October to name but a few..!
- St Abbs Friday Market 1st & 3rd Fridays of the month, between Easter & Christmas

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Jennie Howes, fibre fanatic!

I've been a woolly worker almost all of my life, starting with sewing, knitting and crocheting, my repertoire growing over the years to include design & pattern writing, spinning, dyeing, weaving and felting—if it's wool, I can do something with it!

During these workshops you will be able to try your hand at lots of different wool crafts with taster sessions suitable for newcomers and more intense, focused sessions for those with experience. All sessions are tailored to suit your skill level.

So, what can you sign up to do with me? In no particular order—they are all my favourites when I'm doing them—

- **Knitting** — at least 8 different classes lined up, from the easy, usual suspects to more adventurous woolly fun! More information on enquiry!
- **Crocheting** — 4 classes—beginners; make a shawl; make a basket; increase your repertoire of stitches & make some mittens. In all classes we will work on pattern and chart reading.
- **Spinning** — 3 classes—beginners, improvers, introduction to art yarn spinning
- **Dyeing** — using a microwave oven and Procion MX dyes for fast and easy results! 4 classes—wild dyeing; purposeful dyeing for a particular project; dyeing fibres for spinning or felting; dyeing to knit Fair Isle
- **Felting** — an introduction to wet felting techniques including fibre choice & preparation, then we make a 3D vessel or some house shoes!
- **Big knitting, crocheting & weaving** - in these sessions, make something funky and fast—a cushion cover, sofa throw or rug in an afternoon.

