

Permaculture Design Certificate

Would you like to redesign your Life, Work, Community in just 6 months?
Permaculture living for our Everyday Lives and everything else!
Low Carbon! Regenerative! Holistic! Sustainable! Ecological!



“Be the change you want to see in the World”. Gandhi

Who is this course for?

If you are interested in green issues, concerned about the future and want to make a positive difference, living in a way that regenerates rather than degenerates then this programme is for you. Perhaps you are concerned with a possible or probable societal collapse or care about biodiversity?

Whether you are an expert or beginner we guarantee this course will be enjoyable, inspirational and potentially life changing or your money back!

This 6 month Permaculture Design Certificate will be deeply inspiring and supportive with inspirational visits to give a grounding in designing regenerative systems. Our focus will centre on our own lives, homes, relationships and gardens whilst exploring how we can align even more with Earth-replenishing practices. Becoming happier and healthier feeds into our communities, work and the bigger world. We have a huge amount of expertise in our team and wider supportive community to enable this to happen.

Summary

1. BUD April 11/12/13 Spring weekend (Introduction will form part of it)
Deep Delicious Dive into Permaculture Design, the tools, theory and History. How Permaculture Design [ie learning from Nature can solve human problems while caring for the Earth, People and using resources well.
2. LEAF May 9/10/11 Early Summer weekend
Ecological thinking with our built environment. Our Homes, eco audits, water and energy systems.
3. FLOWER June 6/7 /8 Summer Weekend
The Land. Our Gardens. Possibly the most comprehensive permaculture guide to Growing Food that exists. Be-ing Nature. Rewilding. How to start from where you are.
4. FRUIT July 11/12/13 Midsummer weekend
Social Permaculture. Relationships. communication, Finance, Transport, and more. Cutting edge weekend which will be gentle, fun and possibly the key to a hopeful future.
No August dates.
5. HARVEST & SEED Sept 12/13/14th
Applying Permaculture Design Skills
 - Bonus extras. Plus evening Zooms between July and September. Details on
 - The Teaching Team Details on page 9
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Overview

Course Information

You will learn how to observe keenly the natural systems and think like an ecosystem. Immerse yourself in Permaculture theory, participate in practicals, visit inspiring Places and People and design ecological solutions to a variety of problems including at least one food growing project. By the end of the course you will be able to apply Permaculture Design to any issues.

You will learn about Permaculture Principles, Ethics and Patterns. See how they can be applied to your life, land and work! The programme will include practical, hands-on sessions, foraging and many other fun activities that all explore this inspirational and empowering design system. Learn nature-inspired solutions. Your life will never be the same again

What?: Internationally recognised certified course in Permaculture Design facilitated by qualified and experienced practitioners. Certified by The Permaculture Association Britain. Sustainable, regenerative, holistic living where we look at everyday life through the lens of Earth Care, People Care and Future Care.

When?: 5 weekends from April to September. Friday evenings 6pm -9pm. Saturdays and Sundays 10am -6pm. Classroom, on-site learning, practicals, site visits meeting permacultural projects and people.

Bonus optional extras

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Where?: Hosted by the East Kent Permaculture Learning Centre at Abbey Physic Community Garden in Faversham, a Permaculture LAND Demonstration site since 2013. And inspiring locations around East Kent.

Who?: This course is for you if you're interested in exploring a future where we live in harmony with natural systems and can help regenerate ourselves, the Land and have healthier relationships. The course is facilitated by qualified and experienced Permaculture Educators Jo Barker with Helen Smith and Meg Watson plus special



expert guests. Participants are also encouraged to share any relevant knowledge or skills. We will be on this journey together.

Benefits include

- Empowering thinking and resources in the face of uncertain times
- Increased knowledge of ecological living in every area of your life.
- Opportunity to look at your life, work and community through a Permaculture lens.
- Learning practical skills such as growing food, and communicating differently.

Includes:

Experienced and award-winning expertise from in-house Facilitators and Guest Tutors

Wonderful venue

Trips to inspirational people and places

Membership of the Permaculture Association

A back copy of the Permaculture Magazine

Practical projects

Applicable to your own Life, Home and Project whatever the scale

Vegan organic lunches and refreshments

Handouts

A fantastic grounding in Permaculture theory and Design

Access to a Permaculture Library and Abbey Physic Community Gardens



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More information including the great trips we are planning here:

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