



Specialty Barista Course

Additional Information

This programme is run by Well Grounded, a social enterprise that provides free coffee training to unemployed people in Bristol and London, with the goal of supporting them into jobs in coffee. The training covers technical barista skills, sensory and brewing development, soft skills, CV writing, a work placement, work progression support and a support in finding a job upon successful completion.

Key Dates

- **7-week training programme** will begin on **30th January 2024**
 - 2 weeks of intensive coffee training (3 days per week), training days run from 09:30-15:30
 - 5 weeks of work placement, with 1 day weekly training in academy (3 days total)

We are also running one day Introduction to Coffee sessions beforehand for people to sample our training and gain basic Barista skills

1. ~~09:30 – 15:00, Friday 17th November 2023 (Completed)~~
2. ~~09:30 – 15:00, Friday 8th December 2023 (Completed)~~
3. **09:00 - 13:30, Friday 19th January 2024**

Location of training:

- Wogan Coffee Roasters

Travel and food:

- Lunch included
- Travel cost to and from training and work placement included

7-week course details:

- Develop advanced Barista and customer service skills
- Achieve industry-specific qualifications
- Gain a solid foundation to further career in the coffee industry across multiple roles
- Develop sensory and brewing skills
- Gain knowledge about roasting and green coffee
- Use various coffee equipment



- Engage in a work placement and work readiness programme
- Mentoring and troubleshooting whilst on work placement
- Develop a Barista focused CV
- Run a pop up cafe as a celebration event

7-week course work placement details:

- Work placement for 5 weeks part-time (two days per week, 6 hours each shift) on the week starting 12th February.
- Work placement locations and timings will vary and will be confirmed closer to the date

Accreditations:

- Specialty Coffee Association - Foundation Barista Skills
- Level 2 Certificate in Customer Service
- Level 2 Certificate in Food Safety

What to wear:

- Dress comfortably without exposed torso, hair below shoulder length tied back
- Wear closed toed footwear for safety

How much does it cost?

- If you are over 18, have the right to work in the UK, are a resident of Bristol or neighboring areas, unemployed, not in education or training, have conversational and written English comprehension skills and are actively looking for work, it's free.

How to apply

- Apply directly here; <https://forms.gle/sRUBnMJCcZmK1Fky9>
- Or contact us via email at info@wellgroundedjobs.co.uk

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