

Eco Dyeing Workshop for Beginners with Birgit Moffatt

17/4/2021 10am-4pm

Description

Eco Dyeing (also called leaf print or eco print) is a direct contact dye method drawing out pigments from leaves into fabric. In this full day workshop you will learn about how to successfully eco dye on protein fibres (silk and wool). We will go for a short walk around the studio to collect some plant material, which we will then use to create our eco bundles. Let's get wild!

You will learn

- about plants and fabrics
- equipment
- iron mordant
- different bundle techniques

Included in the workshop fee are merino and silk fabrics to explore and experiment with and one silk scarf to eco dye and a handout with mordant recipes, dye plants, tips, sources etc.

Tools and materials for the workshop are provided; a 'what to bring list' will be sent out closer to the workshop.

Where: Ōtaki Gorge
 Kāpiti

Cost: \$ 130 (bring your own lunch) refreshments provided

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