Kraslava Craft Center



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Kraslava Craft Center was opened in 2021. There are **seven craft workshops** where everyone can get to know about ancient trades, as well as try to make a whistler from clay, work in the woodworking workshop, feel the color of yarn in the weaving workshop, try making glass mosaic souvenirs in the glass decor workshop creat a leather accessory with own hand, attend a lecture at an aroma workshop and taste the products of local homemakers in the culinary heritage workshop.

Kraslava Craft Center offers:

- visits to the Craft center (free of charge);
- tours with demonstrations: approximately 30 minutes in each workshop;
- excursions with master classes: approximately 1 h in each workshop;
- the opportunity to buy local handicrafts.

In Kraslava Craft Center there are:



















1 Ceramics workshop

with Olga and Valdis Pauliņi (+371 26869346).

In this workshop maximum number of participants is 40. Visitors get to know the craft and get involved in making a ceramic souvenir under the guidance of potters.

2 Woodworking workshop

with Aivars Andžāns (+371 27062780). In this workshop maximum number of participants is 20. Visitors get to know about the basics of woodworking and get involved in making a wooden souvenir under the guidance of woodworker.

3 Weaving workshop

with Aina Guba (+371 29255396). In this workshop maximum number of participants is 12. Visitors get to know about the craft and make a woven or braided souvenir under the guidance of weaver.

The visit to the workshops must be booked in advance!

4 Glass decor workshop

with Elvīra Škutāne (+371 28368537). In this workshop maximum number of participants is 20. Visitors learn how to make stained glass in the Tiffany technique and create a glass mosaic souvenir under the guidance of master. www.kraslavasvitrazas.lv

5 Aroma workshop

with Marina Belajeva (+371 28104159). In this workshop maximum number of participants is 20. Visitors get acquainted with the variety of aromatic raw materials and the use of herbs, oils and perfumes. Lecturer offers practical master classes or lectures about preparation of an aromatic product.

6 Leather Jewelry Workshop

with Ludmila Morozova (+371 28284191). In this workshop maximum number of participants is 9. Visitors learn about the process of creating leather jewelry and master the basics of the craft. Under the guidance of craftmaster, participants also create a leather jewelry souvenir.

Price: 10 EUR/per person

Latgale culinary heritage workshop

(+37126395176) can host up to 40 people. Visitors enjoy the culinary heritage of Kraslava region, or products of local home producers (smoked goods, bread, Kraslava cucumbers, cheese, tea).

Price: for groups (from 10 people) – 10 EUR/per person

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Tours with demonstrations: (~30 min.)

for families and individual visitors (up to 6 people): by agreement; for groups (from 7 people): 2.50 EUR/pers.

Excursions with master classes: (~1 h)

for families and individual visitors (up to 6 people): by agreement; for groups (from 7 people): 5,00 EUR/pers.