



Accredited Africa Training Institute for Capacity Development

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COURSE BROCHURE

Cuttlebone Casting Jewellery Making Workshop Training

Manufacturing, Engineering and Technology / Fabrication and Extraction

Unit Standard 110392 · NQF Level 2 · 2 Credits · 1 Day

COURSE OVERVIEW

This workshop provides participants with the foundational skills to create unique jewellery pieces using the ancient technique of cuttlebone casting. Learners will gain hands-on experience in preparing cuttlebone moulds, melting and pouring metal, and finishing cast pieces. By the end of the course, participants will be able to produce a finished jewellery item ready for sale or personal use.

Category	Manufacturing, Engineering and Technology
Subfield	Fabrication and Extraction
Unit Standard	110392
Accreditation	SAQA Accredited · NQF Level 2 · 2 Credits
Duration	1 day
Training Method	Online, On-Campus, In-House
Certificate	Issued via AATICD LMS – verifiable online

LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Demonstrate the correct preparation of cuttlebone for casting, including cutting, carving, and venting.
- Apply safe melting and pouring techniques for non-ferrous metals such as silver or brass.
- Evaluate the quality of a cast piece and identify common defects.
- Implement finishing techniques including filing, sanding, and polishing to achieve a professional appearance.
- Design a simple jewellery item suitable for cuttlebone casting, considering the limitations of the medium.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- This course is ideal for jewellery enthusiasts, small business owners in the craft sector, and hobbyists seeking to expand their skills into metal casting.
- No prior metalworking experience is required.

COURSE OUTLINE

Day 1: Cuttlebone Casting Fundamentals

- Introduction to cuttlebone casting: history and applications
- Safety in the jewellery workshop: PPE, ventilation, and tool use
- Selecting and preparing cuttlebone: cutting, flattening, and carving
- Designing and carving a mould cavity
- Melting and pouring pewter: temperature control and technique
- Demoulding, cleaning, and basic finishing (filing, sanding)
- Polishing and patina application
- Troubleshooting common casting defects

ASSESSMENT & CERTIFICATION

Delegates are assessed through exercises and a final test. A mark of **50% or above** earns an **AATICD Certificate of Completion**, issued digitally with a unique verification code. This course carries **2 NQF credits** at **NQF Level 2**.

PRICING (PER DELEGATE, EX-VAT)

Delegates	Training Method	Price per Delegate	Total
1	Online	R 12,800.00	R 12,800.00
1	In-House	R 16,600.00	R 16,600.00
1	On-Campus (Pretoria)	R 19,200.00	R 19,200.00

UPCOMING SESSIONS

Start	End	Method	Venue
03 Aug 2026	03 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Pretoria, South Africa
03 Aug 2026	03 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Lagos, Nigeria
04 Aug 2026	04 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Johannesburg, South Africa
05 Aug 2026	05 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Mauritius
06 Aug 2026	06 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Cape Town, South Africa
07 Aug 2026	07 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Dubai, UAE
10 Aug 2026	10 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Abu Dhabi, UAE
11 Aug 2026	11 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Mauritius

Contact us if no suitable date is listed – on-demand sessions can be arranged for groups.

HOW TO GET A QUOTE OR APPLY

1. **Get an instant quotation online:** visit www.aaticd.co.za, open the page for this course (Unit Standard 110392) and click **Get A Quote / Apply**. Select your training method and number of delegates – your quotation is generated immediately and emailed to you with the course brochure attached.
2. **Apply by email:** send the course title, your preferred training method (Online, In-House or On-Campus Pretoria), the number of delegates and your preferred dates to apply@aaticd.co.za – our team will reply with a formal quotation.
3. **Apply by phone or WhatsApp:** call **+27 12 004 8389** or WhatsApp **+27 65 077 6310** and we will prepare your quotation and reserve your seats.
4. **Confirm your booking:** accept the quotation and settle the invoice. As soon as payment is confirmed your delegates are enrolled and receive their AATICD LMS login details by email, along with joining instructions for their chosen training method.

Group discounts apply automatically – the more delegates you enrol, the lower the price per delegate. No payment is required to request a quotation.

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