

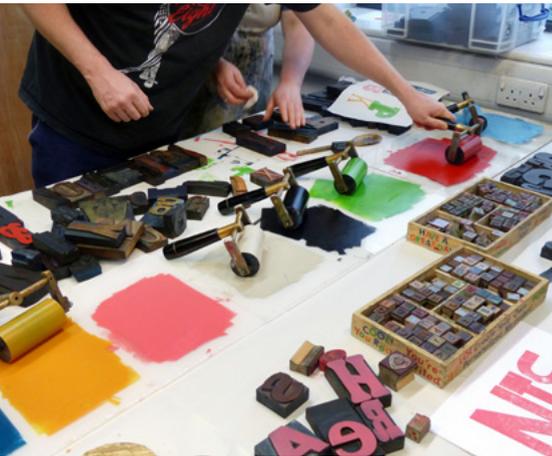
# Ouseburn

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The Ouseburn Valley is the creative heart of Newcastle upon Tyne. The busy Ouseburn Open Studios event, over the last weekend in November, sees venues open their doors, offering a rare chance to explore the working world of artists and designer-makers in their studios and workshops.

Expect a huge variety of affordable and original work to buy, from paintings, ceramics, sculpture, drawings, jewellery, furniture, prints, glass, textiles and much more to suit everyone's taste at a range of prices for original Christmas presents to lifelong treasures.

As well as meeting the makers you can commission unique and bespoke items as well as buy direct. Discover design and making processes, enjoy live music, delicious food, a festive atmosphere, demonstrations and workshops with a different experience at each venue.

Not all venues or makers have card facilities, so bringing cash is strongly recommended. Some participatory workshops may have a small charge attached; check online and contact venues directly to book.

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## Dates for 2020

Spring Open Studios  
Sat 28 & Sun 29 March

## The Venues

**1. Biscuit Tin Studios**  
Warwick Street, NE2 1BB  
[www.biscuittinartists.studio](http://www.biscuittinartists.studio)

Biscuit Tin Studios are filled with a motley collection of artists, print makers, ceramicists, street artists, designers, makers and musicians. Restless with creativity, it has escaped the attention of gentrifiers to firmly remain a place of work and production.

**2. The Biscuit Factory**  
Stoddart Street, NE2 1AN  
[www.thebiscuitfactory.com](http://www.thebiscuitfactory.com)

The Biscuit Factory is stepping into Christmas this Open Studios weekend with a programme of workshops and pop ups guaranteed to bring festive flair to your home and a hint of seasonal sparkle. From bauble painting to weaving, not to mention delicious winter warmers from the gallery's independent café - there's plenty to see, experience and indulge in over both days.

**3. B.Box Studios**  
Stoddart Street, NE2 1AN  
[www.thebiscuitfactory.com](http://www.thebiscuitfactory.com)

B.Box Studios is the latest addition to the Biscuit Family, housing an eclectic mix of creatives ranging from painters to interior designers. Pop down and have a look at the newest creative hub in the heart of Newcastle's cultural quarter.

**4. Northern Print**  
Stepney Bank, NE1 2NP  
[www.northernprint.org.uk](http://www.northernprint.org.uk)

A warm welcome is guaranteed: view the latest gallery exhibition, meet with our studio artists who will be demonstrating their printmaking processes, try your

hand at making your own masterpiece and shop our stunning range of original prints and colourful gifts.

**5. 36 Lime Street**  
36 Lime Street, NE1 2PQ  
[www.36limestreet.co.uk](http://www.36limestreet.co.uk)

Explore five floors in our beautiful listed building in the heart of the Ouseburn. Visit over 30 creative professionals showing and selling work of exceptional quality. Exhibition, raffle with prints as tickets, café, demos and workshops.

**6. Jim Edwards Studio Gallery**  
59 Lime Street, NE1 2PQ  
[www.jimwardspaintings.com](http://www.jimwardspaintings.com)

Jim works from his studio in the heart of the Ouseburn. By combining his studio with a gallery he has created a unique space to paint in, whilst showcasing his latest paintings, limited edition prints and greetings cards.

**7. Kiln Ouseburn**  
4 Hume St, NE6 1LN  
[www.kiln.cafe](http://www.kiln.cafe)

This year Kiln is opening its doors to you and your little monsters to get hands on in our pottery studio. Come and get to grips with clay, get your hands dirty, and play!

**8. Mushroom Works**  
St. Lawrence Road, NE6 1AR  
[www.mushroomworks.com](http://www.mushroomworks.com)  
Preview: Fri 22 November 6pm - 8pm

Mushroom Works will once again open its doors and invite visitors to chat to our friendly artists and designers in their studios. This year we have five new studios for you to explore and see more of the creative process first hand.

## Getting Here

Venues are situated around the Ouseburn Valley and are accessible via Manors or Byker Metro, buses stopping at St Dominic's Church on New Bridge Street or the bottom of Shields Road, as well as the Q3 bus on City Road and Walker Road. Use the map on our website to plan your routes over the weekend.

## Accessibility

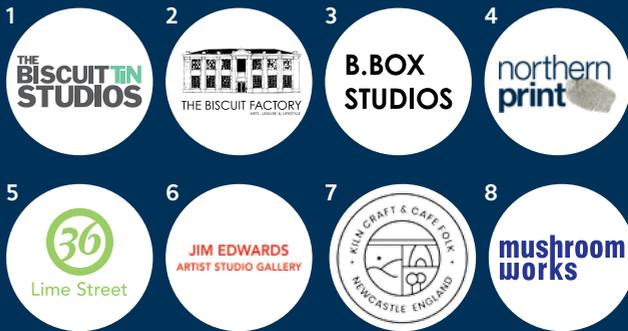
Some venues are fully accessible but some of the older buildings have steps. Please check online before you visit.



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- B. The Tanners
- C. Arch 2
- D. The Cluny
- E. The Cumberland Arms
- F. The Free Trade



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