

# INTRODUCTION to SOGETSU IKEBANA WORKSHOP

**Dates:** please refer to:  
**Time:** 9.30AM to 12.30PM  
**Where:** 4Ever Blue Studio, Mezzanine Level,  
Unit 3, 11 Forge Close, Sumner Park 4074  
**Cost:** \$80.00 per person including morning tea/coffee and a tasty snack

(Group Bookings, min 4 max 6 participants can be arranged for another day/time of your choice)

*Anytime, anywhere by anyone*

You can place Sogetsu Ikebana at your door,  
in your living room or on your kitchen table.  
Sogetsu Ikebana enhances any hotel lobby or banquet room,  
shop windows and huge public spaces.  
It will suit any kind of space,  
Japanese or Western and enrich its atmosphere.

(quote by our Sogetsu H/O)



This Workshop will provide you with a short introduction to Ikebana, including general history, different schools of Ikebana, principles and styles of arrangements used in Sogetsu. I will be demonstrating a Moribana (flat container) arrangement, pointing out the most important techniques and principals.

You will then be given time to make your own freestyle Ikebana inspired arrangement using the provided materials (ceramic container with Kenzan and seasonal fresh floral material).

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Thereafter I will demonstrate a Nageire (tall vase) arrangement, showcasing special techniques used, which you can easily adapt to making your own arrangements at home using your own vases/vessels, ceramics or glass. You are encouraged to bring your favourite vase from home (can be glass) and some flowers, branches or interesting leaves to experiment with in class.

You will be taking home an Ikebana style ceramic container with your self-made freestyle arrangement.



**Please note:** Public dates for this class require at least 2 guests to run. In the unlikely event that we don't reach this number, we'll cancel the class; in this case we'll inform you and allow you to get a refund or reschedule, so please watch your email/SMS at least one day prior to the class.

## IMPORTANT:

*Please bring sharp secateurs and a cardboard box/plastic bucket to transport your arrangement home in.*

To secure your spot (various dates available) please click on the ticket stripe link below:

For further information please contact Nicole on [nicole@4everblue.com.au](mailto:nicole@4everblue.com.au) or on 0402 860 749