



Do you  
struggle  
with  
old  
handwriting?

### THEN HELP IS AT HAND AT THIS NEW SECRETARY-HAND WORKSHOP

Four two-hour Saturday morning sessions for those wishing to refresh their skills, but also suitable for complete beginners. Our aims will be:

1. To Study 'C16th & C17th Secretary Hand' letter formation.
2. To Create participants' own reference list of 'difficult' letters.
3. To Read early modern documents, including wills and parish documents.
4. To Transcribe these documents and discuss the conventions of transcription.
5. To Find Out how to gain access to these documents.
6. Help with participants' own 'knotty documents' at the end of each session – but Latin translations are not included.

DATES: Saturdays 21 January, 18 February, 17 March, 21 April.

TIMES: 10.30am - 12.30pm.

PLACE: In Aylesbury, exact meeting place to be decided by numbers who sign up.

COST: £20 for the four meetings, which will include mid-morning refreshments.

**TO JOIN**, OR FOR MORE DETAILS,

write to 'Handwriting Workshop', BAS Library, County Museum, Church Street, Aylesbury HP20 2QP or eMail [bucksas@buckscc.gov.uk](mailto:bucksas@buckscc.gov.uk)

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