

Bridge Lessons in Autumn 2026

Revise your ACOL

These lessons are suitable for those who have done 3 terms of lessons, those who want to revise their ACOL and players who have learned Bridge elsewhere, or with a different bidding system.

- They cost **£8 per lesson** and **you are only charged for the ones you attend**
- There is no need to register and **you don't need a partner**
- It is **OK to come to just the topics that interest you**
- The lessons are on **Wednesday mornings from 10:00 – 12:00**

Before each lesson you will receive a straightforward handout, containing the essentials of the topic. The lesson starts with a brief introduction, then 4 boards where everyone plays the same and we can discuss them a little. After that another 10-12 boards, all illustrating the topic are circulated around the room.

To receive the handouts, e-mail Sue Osborne: sueosborne28@gmail.com

DATE	TOPIC
Sept 30th	The ACOL No Trump Bids Showing a point range of 12-22
Oct 7th	Stayman and Transfers
Oct 14th	Planning Declarer Play in No Trumps Entries, Unblocking, Finessing and Ducking
Oct 21st	How the Defence Talk to Each Other Leads, Signals, Discards
Oct 28th	Bidding after opponents open Overcalls, Take out doubles, Negative Doubles
Nov 4th	Planning Declarer Play in a Suit Contract Establishing long suits and when to clear trumps
Nov 11th	Opening Strong Hands 2♣ and 2NT What do they mean? How should partner respond?
Nov 18th	How good is our fit? Losing Trick Count
Nov 25th	Weak Twos What should partner and defenders do?
Dec 2nd	Slam bidding. What do we need? Blackwood and introduction to cue bids
Dec 9th	Leads Choosing a lead against NT and suit contracts
Dec 16th	Pre-empt Whether partner should bid and how to defend against them