

Ikebana Class

2nd Fridays 2nd & 4th Saturdays

2:00 PM - 4:00 PM PT

Tuition: \$40.00/class (includes flowers)

Instructor: Tomoko Tsuji

This class will be held in-person at the Oakland Asian Cultural Center. Masks are encouraged and appreciated while inside the OACC Facility.

Capacity is limited; please contact Tomoko san to sign up for a class at tomoko351@gmail.com or 510-654-6908.

Ikebana, the Japanese art of flower arrangement, dates back over 550 years and is still practiced in modern-day Japan. Ikebana pays attention to the overall line and form of all plant material used and emphasizes minimalism and asymmetry. No previous knowledge of Ikebana is required.

Students must bring their own:

- 1) <u>Container</u> a wide (9-16") and shallow (3-4") dish or bowl, preferably with a flat bottom (suiban)
- 2) <u>Garden scissors</u> or <u>pruning shears</u> (hasami)
- 3) Flower frog (kenzan 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ " or bigger) available to borrow or purchase in class for \sim \$30
- 4) Small bucket to take flowers home (optional)

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