

### D7 Working with Stone

<b>Project Summary</b>	This project was designed to engage people practically with stone and lime. It comprised of a comprehensive series of linked modules exploring briefly geological origins, understanding stone in the landscape, buildings, making use of NSC's national building stone reference collection, but concentrated on basic skills in stone with a particular emphasis on conservation – dry stone walling/ masonry/ stone conservation and repair/carving and sculpting/use of lime, sourcing and matching	
<b>Lead Organisation</b>	Walls for the Future	
<b>Partners</b>	Walls for the Future	
<b>Location</b>	Middleton	
<b>Duration of project</b>	April 2015 – March 2017 Yrs 2-3	
<b>Total cost of project</b>	£3,408.00	
<b>Volunteer time In-kind time</b>	£608.00	
<b>Outputs</b>	Original target •	Achieved •
<b>Headlines/added value</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No. of training sessions delivered - 8</li> <li>• No. of participants - 79</li> </ul>	
<b>Outcomes</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• D1 The perpetuation of <i>traditional crafts</i> necessary for the maintenance of the landscape</li> <li>• D2 Opportunities for <i>local people to develop skills</i> to enable them to engage with their local landscape and its conservation, and benefit from personal development and improved employment prospects</li> <li>• D3 Increased <i>knowledge</i></li> </ul>	
<b>Lessons Learnt</b>	This project was reliant on one organisation within the partnership as the lead and connections with the other partners were reliant on this lead organisation.	
<b>Any recommendations going forward</b>	When the lead organisation could not deliver the project alternative providers needed to be sourced. Consideration needs to be given to the capacity of organisations. Building relationships with delivery partners to ensure those connections are not lost if the lead organisation is no longer available.	