

FOR UPHOLSTERY YOU WILL FIND THE FOLLOWING TOOLS USEFUL:

<u>General Hardware</u>	<u>Health & Safety</u>
Wooden or Rubber Headed Mallet	Protective goggles
Scissors – ideally one very sharp pair for cutting top cover & another pair for cutting other fabrics	Dust mask
Stanley knife - please protect the blade	Gloves – 1 pair light weight i.e. silver cleaning or leather, 1 pair latex/rubber
Pliers – pointed nose	Apron
Punch – flat both ends	Magnet – for picking up spilt tacks!
Chalk – different colours are useful	Plasters!
Tape measure – 1½m and / or 3m – soft plastic/fabric not steel –	
<u>CONSUMABLES</u>	
Glue - pva, copydex	
Chalk	

TOOLS SPECIFIC TO UPHOLSTERY

Small headed hammer (preferably magnetic) - NB – not claw type	<u>PLEASE KEEP ALL SHARP POINTS PROTECTED WITH CORKS</u>
Fork Tack Lifter or ripping chisel	Spring needle - curved needle with flattened edge
Spade Lifter – only needed for removing Staples	5" x 15g Curved Needle
Webb stretcher – Beech preferred	3" x 19g Curved Slipping Needle
Thread snips	12" Bayonet Double ended needle (one eye two points)
	Regulator – 12" x g (sharp steel needle shape)
	Upholstery Skewers
	Strong Pins - heavier than dress making Fine pins for top cover