

What is it?

Grids Girls is a year long program that teaches 12 different creative grids rulers with 12 accompanying patterns. Each class will focus on 1 ruler and pattern. The classes are primarily stand alone, meaning you do not need to complete the previous project to participate in the next one. My favorite part of using rulers in quilting is the fact that they make my quilts look like I am perfect at piecing. The rulers do the hard work for you.

What if I have to miss a class?

Part of the Grids Girls course is 2 make up classes, 1 in the spring and 1 in the summer. These classes will be on Sunday afternoons, held at the shop. At the make up class, you can bring projects from classes missed or projects you might need a refresher on.

Do the rulers come with the price of the class?

No, the rulers are not apart of the class fee. The rulers are to be purchased separately. Prairie Point is offering a 10% discount on the creative grid ruler for each class date it is assigned to.

Can I pick my own patterns?

No, every pattern is picked and vetted for the class to make sure you get a good understanding of how the ruler works. My goal for the class is for you to feel confident with each ruler enough to take on projects using it on your own.

If I sign up for the daytime and can't make it, can I come to the evening class? Or vice versa.

Yes, you can absolutely class hop to accommodate your schedule. Just give me a little notice to ensure there is enough table spaces.

Why is the class so expensive?

While the price is high - it actually is a really great value. Your \$210 broken down over 12 class + 2 makeup classes is only \$15 per class. That's half the price of a standard class at Prairie Point.

Will I use the rulers ever again?

I sure hope so! At each class I provide a list of companion patterns for the ruler. It's not exhaustive, but it is a good start. If you enjoy Grids Girls 1 there is also another year long course, Grids Girls 2, where I take what was taught in Grids 1 and expand on it.

Will I complete every project?

I like to think so! You will not complete most projects in the 3 hour class timeframe. Most will require outside of class time. The projects progress in size, starting small with table runners and table toppers then get a little larger as class continues to lap or throw sized quilts. There is, however, room for modification. If you love a project and want to enlarge it you have the freedom to do so. Same as you have the freedom to make a project smaller. You also have the freedom to put a project in time out or abandon it completely. I will not hold it against you!

What's the best part of the class?

While learning the rulers is the point of the class, the best part might be the community of quilters you will gain while spending a year together working on a hobby we all love. A close second of mine is watching everyone grow more confident in their quilting skills. Whether that be consistent piecing skills, fabric selections, or conquering a challenge block/project. It brings me great joy to be apart of everyone's quilting journey.