



Quilting 101: Make Your First Quilt

Instructor: Linda Heatherley

Skill Level: Beginner

CLASS Description - This two-part class introduces the fundamentals of piecing and quilting through the creation of a four-patch baby quilt. This is a simply pattern that will be provided with the class instruction.

In Session One, students will learn how to rotary cut fabric and construct the quilt top, with guidance on fabric and thread selection, proper use of rotary rulers and mats, and achieving an accurate quarter-inch seam allowance. Session Two will focus on layering the quilt top with batting and backing, followed by machine quilting and machine binding to complete the project. By the end of the class, students will have learned the full quilting process from cutting to a finished, bound quilt.

CLASS PREP: All fabrics should be pressed and starched before class.

All supplies are available at Sew Special Quilt shop with 15% discount!

Supply List:

- Sewing machine (cleaned, oiled, and fitted with a new needle)
- Matching thread and wound bobbin
- Rotary cutter
- Large rotary cutting mat (24" x 36")
- Two rotary rulers:
- One 24" ruler
- One 12" or 12½" ruler
- Small iron and ironing mat (optional)
- Starch or Best Press
- Small safety pins for basting quilt layers
- Basic quilting supplies, including:
- Scissors
- Pins
- Seam ripper
- Quarter-inch foot for your machine

Fabric Requirements

- Four half-yard cuts of fabric for the quilt top
- 1½ yards of fabric for backing and binding
- Batting: one piece measuring 40" x 40"

There are NO REFUNDS for class cancellations. Store credit will be given for classes cancelled 72 hours before the start of class. **Store Credit cannot be given on No Shows.**

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