

3 KITTENS needle arts

YARN CLASS SCHEDULE

Winter / Spring 2020

Beginning Classes

Beginning Knitting with Jane, MaryAnn or Elizabeth

Begin your knitting journey with this fashionable cowl or a pair of fingerless mitts designed to introduce you to the basics of knitting. You will learn how to cast on, the knit stitch, the purl stitch, and how to bind off. You will also learn how to make simple buttonholes.

Session 1

Sundays

February 16, 23, March 8

10am-noon

Session 2

TBD

Class Fee: \$75

Level 1

Learn to Knit Cowl Kit (includes yarn, pattern, and how-to booklet) – included in class fee
Knitting Needles – purchased separately at the first class



Beginning Crochet with Shelley

Relax and learn to crochet with confidence while you make this fun, fashionable cowl! You will learn how to do single crochet, double crochet and half-double crochet. Finally, learn how to sew your strips together to create your cowl.

TBD

Class Fee: \$71.00

Level 1

Beginning Crochet Kit (includes how to booklet, pattern, crochet hook and more) – included in class fee

Yarn: 3 skeins worsted weight yarn (price dependent on yarn choice) – purchased separately at 3 Kittens



Intro to Weaving with Connie Latendresse

Learn to weave a simple scarf in this introductory weaving workshop. You will learn the basics of weaving on a rigid heddle loom, including warping your loom, being introduced to the terminology, and beginning to weave the scarf. The second class will be devoted to taking the scarf off the loom and discussing washing and blocking your finished pieces. Students who rent their looms from 3 Kittens may keep the loom for up to two weeks following the class in order to make another project if they desire.



TBD – Spring 2020

Class Fee: \$45

Level 1

Yarn: Malabrigo *Rios* (100% merino SW wool; 210 yards) **AND** Berroco Vintage (50% acrylic, 40% SW wool, 10% nylon; 217 yards) – 1 skeins of each purchased separately at 3 Kittens

Loom: 3 Kittens has Cricket looms for students to rent for \$20 – students may keep them for up to two weeks after the last class; if you then purchases a loom, you can apply the \$20 rental fee towards the purchase.

Knitting Refresher with Elizabeth

Have you forgotten how to knit? If you've learned the basics of knitting, but you just can't remember how to start, this is a perfect class for you. We'll review the basics (cast on, knit, purl, bind off, gauge) and help you get your first project started. Choose between three free patterns from Tin Can Knits' *Simple Collection*: Oat (cowl), Wheat (scarf) or Barley (hat).

Day: TBD

Date: TBD

Time: TBD

Class Fee: \$25

Level 1+

Yarn: worsted weight – 220-400 yards, depending on project chosen

Needles: US 8/4mm 16" circular **and for Barley only** US 6/4mm 16" circular

Homework: Download & print your pattern at [Tin Can Knits](http://TinCanKnits.com)



Studios

Studios allow you the opportunity to work on your own projects with an expert instructor nearby to answer your questions and provide support and guidance. Each session is two hours and costs \$15. Level 2-4.

Knitting Studios

Sundays with Jane

1st & 3rd Sunday of each month

1-3pm

Tuesdays with Jane

Every Tuesday

6-8pm

Thursdays with Mary Ann

1st & 3rd Thursday of each month

10am-noon

Saturdays with Elizabeth

2nd & 4th Saturday of each month

8-10am

Knit & Crochet Studios

Wednesdays with Shelley

2nd & 4th Wednesday of each month

1-3pm



Tool Box Classes

Tool Box classes are designed to give you the technical tools you need to complete your projects with confidence. Most Tool Box classes are only 1-hour long, making them an easy quick learning experience for you. Tool Box classes can be lecture/demo, hands on, or a combination of both.

Coming Soon!

Project Classes

Project classes allow you work on a project with expert instruction. Each class will incorporate different skills that you will be taught. Project classes are generally between two and five sessions long, and each session is 2-hours.

All Day UFO Workshop (knit) with Elizabeth

Do you have some UFOs (Un-Finished Objects) that you would like to finish up - or decide whether it's even worth it? This all-day workshop will get you on the right track. Bring as many UFOs as you like. Elizabeth - and your fellow workshop participants - will help you decide whether to continue with each project or ditch it. And Elizabeth will help you figure out where you're at in the project and how to get going again. Make sure to bring one project that you know you are going to continue working on so you have something to knit on while Elizabeth works her way around to all participants. A one-hour lunch break, including lunch at Mendoberri, is included.



Saturday

Mar 7

10am-3pm

Class Fee: \$50.00

All Levels

Yarn: Bring your yarn!

Pattern: Bring your pattern!

Needles: Bring your needles!

Notions: Knit kit

Homework: Please use the link above to visit our website for homework

Montana Mountain Cowl (knit) with Jane

Have fun knitting this mosaic cowl by Andrea Mowry. You will have to work with one color per row - no stranding required. Use a color-changing yarn for a lot of "wow" factor. Practice your chart reading skills or follow the written instructions - your choice!

Session 1

Saturdays

Jan 11, 18, Feb 8

1-3pm

Session 2

Wednesdays

Jan 22, 29, Feb 19

6-8pm



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Class Fee: \$45.00

Level 3

Yarn: Fingering weight – 350 yards MC, 360 yards CC. We used 3K Yarns Abstract (90% SW BFL wool/10% nylon; 400 yards) and Uneek Fingering (100% SW merino wool; 435 yards)

Needles: US 5/3.75mm 16" circular or size needed to obtain gauge

Notions: Knit kit, including US F/3.75mm crochet hook, stitch marker

Homework: Please use the link above to visit our website for homework

Basic Socks (knit) with Jane

Learn basic sock techniques including using double-pointed needles (dpns), knitting in the round, reading a pattern, decreasing and picking up stitches.

Skills taught in this class:

- How to knit circularly on double pointed needles
- How to turn a heel
- How to Kitchener stitch the toes



Wednesdays

Feb 26, March 4, 11, 25

6-8pm

Class Fee: \$55.00

Level 3

Yarn: 100 grams fingering weight yarn and 1 spool Reinforcing Thread

Needles: US 2/2.75mm double pointed needles (5") *or size to obtain gauge*

Notions: Knit kit, including st markers

Homework: Please use the link above to visit our website for homework

Elemental Hat Fusion (knit) with Elizabeth

Choose from 5 fabric-bending short row hats by Woolly Wormhead for this class. The hats are knit flat and seamed together at the end. The results are fabulous!

Skills taught in this class:

- German Short Rows
- Kitchener Stitch with garter stitch



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Session 1

Tuesdays

Feb 11, 18, Mar 3

6-8pm

Session 2

Thursdays

February 20, 27, Mar 12

4-6pm

Class Fee: \$45.00

Level 3+

Yarn: DK weight yarn - 105-213 yards Color A; 31-158 yards Color B

Needles: US 3-4 / 3.25-3.5mm *or size to obtain given gauge*

Notions: Knit kit, including locking st markers and waste yarn

Homework: Please use the link above to visit our website for homework

Soundtrack (knit) with Elizabeth

Join us to make this fun 2-color slip-stitch top. Worked in the round from the bottom up as one piece until you divide for the front and back, this top has impact without being difficult.

Skills taught in this class:

- Short row shaping
- Slip stitch colorwork (just one color per round)
- 3-needle bind off



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Tuesdays

March 10, 17, 31, Apr 14

1-3pm

Class Fee: \$55.00

Level 3

Yarn: Worsted weight yarn - 425-855 yards Color A; 360-760 yards Color B. We used Knitted Wit *Worsted* (100% sw merino wool; 200 yards/skein)

Needles: US 7/4.5mm 32" circular **and** US 8/5mm 32" circular *or size to obtain gauge*

Notions: Knit kit, including locking st markers

Homework: Please use the link above to visit our website for homework

Coming Soon!

We're always looking for new classes! If you have something you're particularly interested in learning, please send an email to 3kittens@3kittensneedlearts.com.

Knit-A-Longs and Crochet-A-Longs

Knit-A-Longs and Crochet-A-Longs are social knitting/crocheting times where the participants all work on the same or similar projects. There is no instruction, so technically, Knit/Crochet-A-Longs are not really classes; however, there is a staff host that can provide some guidance. Knit/Crochet-A-Longs run approximately 6-10 weeks depending on the project.

Coming Soon!

National Instructor Workshops

We love to have national instructors come to 3 Kittens, both in the store and at our Cloud 9 Knitting Retreat during the summer. These workshops are a great way to learn with some of the brightest minds in knitting and crochet.



Join us for our summer knitting retreat with
Patty Lyons and Ann Weaver!

July 10-12, 2020

[Click here for more information](#)

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: How do I register?

Registration is easy – stop in to register in person or call us at 651-457-4969 or go to our website at www.3kittensneedlearts.com.

Q: What should I bring to class?

Bring any tools you might need – scissors, tape measure, tapestry needle, paper, pencil, stitch markers or stitch holders, etc. We call this your “knit kit” or your “crochet kit”. And, bring your enthusiasm!

Q: Can I get help between classes?

We are always here to help you! Your instructor will let you know what hours she typically works in the store and if she teaches any of our studio classes. Plus, our staff is very knowledgeable and is willing to help! If you need more than just a little help, we can always set up a private coaching session (\$25/hour) with your regular instructor.

Q: What is homework/pre-work?

Pre-work or homework is simply something that you need to do prior to the first class. Generally, it will involve knitting gauge swatches or knitting samples to work on in class; however, sometimes it includes watching videos or doing some reading before class begins. Please make sure to do all pre-work/homework in order to make sure your learning experience and that of the other students is the best it can be!

Q: What do the Skill Levels mean in the class descriptions?

We use a system of Skill Levels to help inform students about what things they should know before taking a class – prerequisite skills, if you will. To find a detailed description of our Skill Levels, please visit our [website](#).