

Sunflower Mini-Quilt

Date(s)	Time

You need:

Fabrics: Choose fabrics that have VARIATION of color, not absolute solids

Background: 1 ½ yards for 5 sunflowers; 1 ¼ yards for 3 sunflowers Sunflower petals: 3 yellow fabrics 1/8 of each, light to dark values

Sunflower centers: 1/8 yard of brown

Leaves: 2 green fabrics: 1/4 yard of each from light to dark values

Steam-a-Seam 2: 1 yard

Thread for piecing: Mettler All-purpose polyester #9161 in medium grey and a full bobbin

Thread for top stitching/ thread painting: Various shades of yellow and green. Variegated threads

work very well.

Invisible monofilament thread (I use this to outline the sunflower petals and leaves before quilting the background.

Teflon Applique Sheet

Light weight stabilizer when thread painting the pedals and leaves

Wax paper to keep sunflowers separated for transporting

Also, bring the following:

Sewing machine in top running condition* Presser Feet: all-purpose foot, applique foot

Needles: 80/12 sharp

Cutting tools: Sharp scissor both large and small, rotary cutter (we have mats)

Seam Ripper

Marking tools: fine permanent pen or pencil Few plastic baggies for applique pieces

You should know how to wind a bobbin, thread your machine and be familiar with the operation. Thank you for coming to class prepared

Supplies available at Close to Home
*Your machine should be lint free, lubricated and have a new needle
Our Service Department can assist with machine issues

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