



Conquer your Fear of Sewing Curves with the Whirligig Block

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Full Day Workshop



Workshop Descriptive: Conquer your fear of sewing curves while making this contemporary twist on the traditional Drunkard's Path Block! Linda will guide you through her eazy-peazy piecing technique of sewing curves with no tears! With just a little practice and few tip and tricks from Linda - you'll be on your way to sewing beautiful curves with no puckers - guaranteed!

Materials List:

- "Whirligig" Pattern by Colourwerx (CW-117)

Fabric Requirements:

1. For (1) 16" finished block: (8) Fat Quarters , or for the 48" x 64" quilt: (8) 2/3 yard cuts

Note on Fabric Selection: It's important to choose fabrics that are in high contrast to one another in order to see the swirling Whirligig circle effect. For example you could choose: (2) black, (2) white, (2) pastels and (2) saturated fabrics - see the sample quilt to the right - all fabrics are in high value and contrast.

2. (1) Spool of Neutral Colour 100% Cotton 50wt Thread (or similar brand) for Piecing
3. 24" Straight Rotary Ruler and Rotary Cutter
4. 9-1/2" Square Ruler or Larger

You will also need these other sewing items to complete this project:

1. Sewing Machine in good working condition - please bring your manual, cord, presser foot & feet
2. Basic Sewing Supplies such as: straight pins (long glasshead pins work best), scissors, marking pencil or pen; seam ripper, etc...

Before Class:

1. Trace onto heavy cardboard or template plastic Template Shapes A, B, C & D from the pattern. Cut out .
2. Cut from each of the (8) fabrics: (1) 10" x 10" square for a total (8) squares.

