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Class Information: Sewing Made Simple Adult Beginner Series

Level 1

The perfect class to begin your sewing adventure. With a small class size and two instructors, you'll receive plenty of hands-on support as we guide you through your sewing machine and the basic skills needed to begin your sewing journey. We will be using School of Sewing by Shea Anderson as a learning resource throughout the series. Each class you will take a home guided project to help reinforce the skills learned that day. All items purchased at Cotton Gin will receive a class discount.

Class Information:

- Date and Time:
Friday, August 21st, September 11th, & September 25th 5:30pm - 8:30 pm
Saturday, October 3rd, October 17th, & November 7th 5:30pm - 8:30pm
- Sessions for the class: 3
- Skill Level: Beginner
- Minimum and maximum of students for class: 3-6
- Instructor name and contact information:
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Class Specific Supplies purchased at Cotton Gin will receive a 15% discount: (we strongly encourage you to purchase your supplies one week prior to arrival for class)

Class1: Learn your sewing machine, basic stitches, fabrics and interfacing - the true foundations of sewing.

Class 2: Build on those skills by exploring sewing notions, fabric cuts, cutting techniques, and zippers.

Class 3: Bring it all together as we introduce patterns and learn how to calculate project sizes.

Class 1: Pillowcase

- Pattern: School of Sewing by Shea Anderson ISBN: 978-1-940655-024
- Fabric: Quilting Cotton or Flannel - $\frac{7}{8}$ yard main fabric, $\frac{3}{8}$ yard cuff fabric
- Hardware: Presser Feet - All Purpose, Zipper, Button hole, quarter inch
- Notions: Universal 80/12 needles, bobbins, coordinating thread, fabric scissors, fabric snips, clear acrylic ruler (6" x 24" preferred), seam ripper, rotary cutter, cutting mat, seam guide (magnet or tape), pins, pin cushion, fabric marking pens/pencils

Class 2: Zipper Pouch

- Fabric: 1 cotton fat quarter - exterior, 1 cotton fat quarter - lining
- Interfacing: $\frac{1}{2}$ yard SF101 or fusible fleece
- Hardware: Zipper presser foot
- Notions: 9" polyester zipper

Class 3: Lined Drawstring Bag

- Fabric: 3 fat quarters, $\frac{1}{8}$ yard drawstring fabric or 2 yards grosgrain ribbon or twill tape
- Interfacing: $\frac{1}{2}$ yard fusible fleece, 1 yard SF 101
- Hardware: Buttonhole presser foot
- Notions: fabric marking pen, large safety pin or bodkin

Class Guidelines:

You will be sharing our classroom space with others. When you join our Cotton Gin community, please plan accordingly and respect the following guidelines:

CLASS FEES:

- ❖ Class fees must be paid at the time of registration. Your spot in a class will only be secured once you have paid.
- ❖ Classes typically hold up to 8 students, with a minimum of 2-4 to be held.
- ❖ There are NO REFUNDS. Store credit will be given if the course is canceled or for an unforeseen family emergency.

CLASS SUPPLIES:

- ❖ A cutting station and ironing boards are provided to be shared by all participants. When a large amount of cutting or ironing is needed, please plan to do it at your table or home.
- ❖ If noted in the class supply list, a limited number of kits will be available. We encourage you to purchase your kits early and fabric before class day.

- ❖ Basic sewing supplies are required for all classes. A supply list of material and tools required for each class is available.
- ❖ If you don't have one in working order, you may rent our Husqvarna Viking Emerald for \$25 per class + required bobbin pack purchase.

CLASS ETIQUETTE:

- ❖ Classes will start on time; please arrive 10-15 minutes early to set up for class.
- ❖ All your supplies should fit on and under your single table (24" x 40").
- ❖ All bags & rollers should fit under your table or be returned to your car.
- ❖ **No eating or drinking in class please.** Water in a spill-proof container is OK.
- ❖ Avoid perfume or strong scents (for our friends with allergies).
- ❖ For safety reasons, participants should be 16 or older unless otherwise noted.

We look forward to being part of your creative journey!