

FUSION OF FELTS WITH STITCH

5 DAY COURSE: Monday 22nd— Friday 26th July 2019

10am – 4pm

FEE: £275

including lunch and refreshments



TUTOR: PAULINE VERRINDER

Focus for this workshop will be on stitch, but the fundamental cloth we will be stitching will be Felt in its many forms. Nuno Felt, Hand Made Felt, Modelling Felt, Embellished Felt, Commercial Felt, and more, all worked and decorated with hand stitch and free machine embroidery.

Other materials will be utilised in the mix, to create a rich fusion of cloth and stitch with Felt predominating.

A charge of £18.00 will be made to cover materials – this includes fibres, felts, paints, mixed media and hard to find fabrics.

Please don't hesitate to contact Pauline on pollyverr@aol.com if you have any queries.

Materials list overleaf

Requirements List: Choose materials to your chosen colour scheme

Theme: THE NATURAL ENVIRONMENT

Notebook and pen

Apron and rubber gloves

Large piece of clean plastic to cover your table for messy techniques

J Cloth or similar to keep table clean

Pkt. cheap baby wipes or similar

*Sewing machine, cleaned, oiled & with tools **NEEDS TO BE PAT TESTED IF OVER 1 YEAR OLD***

*An Embellisher Machine (only if you have one) **NEEDS TO BE PAT TESTED IF OVER 1 YEAR***

***OLD** OR Hand Embellisher Tools (only if you have). Please do not go and purchase these as we will share when needed. It is just one technique we will be covering.*

*Extension lead—**NEEDS TO BE PAT TESTED—COLLEGE HAS SOME AVAILABLE.***

Basic sewing kit to include, pins, needles, large and embroidery scissors

8/10" wooden embroidery hoop

Paper Scissors

Pair of Wire Cutters (if you already have)

A Sketchbook or paper suitable for working with wet media. An old sketchbook is fine.

Pencils for drawing or pen if you prefer

A Plant Spray Bottle or similar

Piece of Bubble Wrap (small bubbles) – approx. half metre

Soap – if you have a particular soap you like to use for Felt Making. OR, I WILL PROVIDE

A Felting net or approx. half metre of cheap Tutu Net.

An old towel

A Small Selection of Merino Coloured Wool Fibres (only if you have some)

ONLY IF YOU HAVE: OLD coloured and patterned scarves, cotton or sheer organza.

Machine and hand embroidery threads to your chosen colour scheme

Pieces of PLAIN COLOURED fabric (at least A3) – plain coloured cotton, organza, velvet, felt etc. All fabrics to be coloured, either hand or commercially dyed.

I have chosen 'The Natural Environment' as an easily sourced inspiration. Please bring along a few images on this theme – anything that inspires you.

I WILL PROVIDE SOME FABRIC, FIBRES, FELT AND MIXED MEDIA MATERIALS, AND PAINTS ETC., WHICH WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE MATERIALS FEE—A charge of £18.00 will be made to cover materials.

