

QUILT IN A WEEK

5 DAY COURSE: Monday 24th – Friday 28th July 2017

3 DAY COURSE: Monday 24th – Wednesday 26th July 2017

10am – 4pm

FEE: £275 (5 Days) FEE: £165 (3 Days)

including lunch and refreshments



TUTOR: Mary McIntosh

The aim of this 5 day Summer School course is to produce a lap sized patchwork quilt starting on Monday morning with a pile of crisp new fabrics and leaving on Friday afternoon with a completed quilt. During the week we will cover all the basics of patchwork and quilting including accurate cutting and piecing; quilt assembly; quilting and binding.

There will be two different quilt designs available. The course will be suitable for beginners, or those with a little knowledge of sewing, to make a quilt with quite a simple design plus there will be a more challenging option for more experienced quilters. But of course each quilt will be as unique as the maker.

The 3 day Summer School course (Monday – Wednesday) will make a smaller version of either the beginner or intermediate quilt designs as above.

Materials Required:

- Sewing machine in good working order
- ¼" patchwork foot
- Walking foot
- Cutting mat, rotary cutter and ruler
- Usual sewing kit: pins, scissors, hand sewing needles
- Fabrics (information attached for each quilt design)

If you wish to discuss your fabric choices before the summer school please contact me via email: maryelmcintosh@googlemail.com or telephone 01787 371992

I will bring some additional supplies of fabric, wadding and threads which will be available to purchase if required.

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Beginners/Easy Quilt requirements



To make a 54" x 42" lap quilt

Charm pack of forty 5" squares – these are usually two squares of twenty different fabrics from a range of fabrics. Medium colours. Turquoises and greys on quilt shown above.

OR Four Fat Quarters of four different medium fabrics to cut into 5" squares



Background fabric including borders: 1.5 metres - plain or near plain light fabric (white on picture above)

Small squares and binding fabric: 0.6 metres. Dark plain or near plain fabric (black on quilt shown above)

Backing fabric: 1.5 metres - a patterned fabric is more forgiving than a plain one for beginners

Wadding: 1 metre x 1.5 metres – low loft cotton, polyester or cotton/poly mix (Mary will have some to sell at £12 per metre).

Cotton threads: a neutral grey or beige for piecing. A thread to match your background fabric for quilting

Sewing machine: with ¼" patchwork foot and quilting walking foot

Usual **sewing kit:** pins, needles, scissors, safety pins

Optional: 505 spray

Cutting mat, ruler and rotary cutter (there will be some for general class use)

Intermediate Octogon Quilt requirements. Same Quilt – two versions



To make a 62" x 62" square OR 75" x 57" rectangular lap quilt

Octagons and binding: 0.25 metres (Thin Quarters) of six fabrics in one colourway e.g. 6 different blue fabrics with a variety of size of print plus 0.25 metres of six fabrics in a second colourway e.g. greys

Squares: 0.25 metres of four fabrics of the same colour e.g. four different white fabrics

Borders: 1 metre (could be the same as one of your light fabrics)

Backing: 3.25 metres OR 1.65 of an extra wide OR a flat single sheet - a patterned fabric is more forgiving than a plain one for beginners

Wadding: 1.6 metres – low loft cotton, polyester or cotton/poly mix (Mary will have some to sell at £12 per metre)

Cotton threads: a neutral grey or beige for piecing. A thread to match your background fabric for quilting

Sewing machine: with ¼" patchwork foot and quilting walking foot

Usual **sewing kit:** pins, needles, scissors, safety pins

Optional: 505 spray

Cutting mat, ruler and rotary cutter (there will be some for general class use)

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