

STITCH A STAR - TODAY!

6 Hour Class - All Levels

This is an introductory class to designing your own stars, which are then pieced using paper foundations. Gail will demonstrate drafting techniques in the morning, and we will design a star as a group, which can later be distributed among the class for stitching. The pattern, "Tutti-Frutti," will be provided, which includes directions for paper foundation piecing. Students will learn how to create their own freezer paper foundations, how to measure and cut adequately sized pieces of fabric, and how to easily stitch the design.



Tutti-Frutti

The list below includes the minimum fabric requirements. I highly suggest that you bring a larger selection of fabrics to enable more creative freedom and the ability to develop a larger design. As with all quilting projects, choosing good quality fabrics will ensure easier sewing and a more successful finished product. Choose 100% cottons and pre-wash them before class. See you in class!

Pattern Fee: \$8.00

- 1 yd. background fabric
- ½ yard outer border fabric
- 1/8 yard inner border fabric
- 1/3 yard total flying geese border fabric (may be more than one fabric)
- 1/4 yard focal fabric or 8 individual motifs measuring 4" x 6"
- 1/4 yard dark fabric for star points
- 1/8 yard medium for star center
- 1/4 yard binding fabric
- 1 yard backing fabric (including sleeve)

- Mechanical Pencil
- Freezer Paper (waxy on one side)
- Fabric and Paper Scissors
- Neutral Color Thread
- Sewing machine
- Basic sewing supplies
- Rotary cutting equipment

A limited number of fabric kits will be available for purchase in class.

Classroom Needs:

The classroom with function best if there is one iron for every 2-3 students. Classroom must be equipped with six foot tables with no more than two students to a table. Be certain that there are enough electrical outlets and extension cords to provide power to each sewing machine and iron.

If you have any questions, please e-mail me at: gail@hawksaloft.org