



# Saskatchewan Stitches Conference

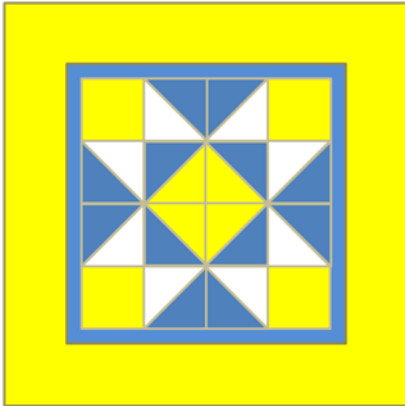
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## SUPPLY LIST

### Quilting Basics Class

Instructor: Bonny Voice



Light

Medium

Dark

### Fabric selection

Choose good quality, 100% cotton fabric. If possible, prewash and bring to class pressed.

You need to choose 3 fabrics- 1 **each** of a light, medium and dark value fabric. I recommend that you start by choosing a patterned fabric that you like. The patterned fabric will be the medium fabric. Make sure that it has some value (lightness and darkness) differentiation to make the other 2 fabric selections easier. Choose a light colour in the patterned fabric for a guide to use to select the light fabric. Choose a dark colour in the patterned fabric for a guide to use to select the dark fabric. If you are unsure about purchasing your fabric, Wendy and her staff are very experienced in helping with fabric selection.

Please have fabric purchased prior to class.

#### Yardage requirements:

Medium fabric: .8 m  
Light fabric: .2 m  
Dark fabric: .6 m  
Backing fabric: .8 m

### Batting

You need a 31" square piece of batting. Choose a batting suitable for machine quilting. There are many types of batting and it can be confusing. The batting is not required until the 2nd day of class. I will be discussing selection of batting on the first day and it can be purchased at the conference. If you want to come to class with your batting already purchased I recommend that you purchase the batting at a quilt shop where the staff is knowledgeable.

## Other supplies

- Sewing machine in good working condition, with manual. Please be familiar with the use of your machine prior to class. If you have an extended work table for your machine, bring it along
  - Machine needles
    - For piecing: size 10/70 denim needle **or** size 75 quilting needle
    - For machine quilting: size 90 quilting needle
  - Optional: 1/4" quilting foot, dual feed attachment, single hole needle plate, stitch in the ditch foot
  - Basic sewing supplies, including a seam ripper, tape measure(60" is ok). If you are purchasing a tape measure, purchase a 120" quilting tape measure
  - Hand sewing needles. Self threading needles are useful
  - Temporary fabric marking device. Some options are chalks, water soluble pens
  - 3 zip loc baggies
  - 45 mm rotary cutter. There are many types available. Purchase one that is comfortable in your hand and easy to use. Olfa and Fiskars are both good brands. Extra blade(s) a good idea
  - Cutting mat. Minimum size recommended is 11" x 17". Look for one that is green coloured and self healing
  - Omnigrad rulers. You require a 6 1/2" square up ruler **and** a 6" x 12" ruler. Recommended, but not required: 12 1/2" square up ruler
  - Thread for piecing quilt. You need good quality, 50 weight, 100% cotton thread, in a neutral colour. I usually piece with light or medium gray thread- whichever works best overall with my fabric. Genziana thread will be available for purchase at the conference.
  - Thread for machine quilting. To be discussed in class. Bring any threads from home that seem to blend with the fabrics. Can be purchased at conference
  - Straight pins. I use fine pins that won't damage the fabric.
  - 1" or 1 1/2" safety pins for pinning the quilt **or** temporary adhesive spray such as 505
  - 1" or wider masking tape
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- ✓ **Optional: your own chair and/or cushion to sit on, light**
  - ✓ **Please put your name on all your supplies.**
  - ✓ **If you do not have access to any listed supplies please phone or email your order to us ahead of time to ensure your supplies will be waiting for you when you arrive at the conference at our on-site store**