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Supply List

Eco Printing on Silk Scarf

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Eco Printing on Silk Scarf.

Eco printing is a contemporary printing method where plant materials are rolled and bundled in cloth. Heat is applied and pigments from plants are extracted and transferred to cloth.

We will be creating a unique silk scarf.

Supplies; \$15.00 kit fee includes silk scarf (which will be pre mordant) and mordant chemicals. (scarf is about 11" x 76")

NOTE; YOU CAN NOT PICK ANY PLANTS AT THE ABBEY

1- A stick about 6" long and around 2" in diameter. Can have bark on it but should be fairly straight or a piece of copper pipe. I have never used a piece of wooden dowel but some people do use them.

2-Leaves such as 1- Oak

2-Rose leaves either from florist or your rose bush.

3-Maple leaves

4-Onion skins

5- Eucalyptus leaves. Get them fresh from the florist and they must be soaked in water 24 hrs before(class) using.

It is okay if leaves are pressed in a book and dry out a bit. We will soak to soften before rolling. I have used leaves that were harvested the fall of the previous year and had great success with them. I choose leaves that were common,

easy to find, and would produce good results for a 1 day class. You may bring other leaves if you wish but do include some from my list. Flower petals often only give yellow when processed with heat but you may try some.

3-String or white crotchet cotton to the bundles up with. Part of the design on scarf will include string marks and may want fine lines or heavy lines.

4- Small bucket to soak scarf and leaves in.

5- Plastic to cover table and paper towel

6- Disposable gloves

7- While scarf is steaming I will show you hand stitches to add to finished project so bring some embroidery thread and a piece of cloth to practice on.



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- ✓ **Please put your name on all your supplies.**
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