

Color Wheel Footstool Class

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Using my original design, pattern booklet and template, as well as kit which I have sourced and put together myself. Intermediate to advanced skill level.

Sheila will provide on day 1: Complete kit which includes a template, instruction booklet, wood base which is pre-drilled and T-nuts installed to attach the feet, foam, and tufting cord. She will also provide for use in the 2nd class, all tools necessary to construct the footstools: electric staplers, 12" tufting needles and glue to be shared between teams of 2 students. Lab Fee of \$55.00 paid to Sheila.

Day 1: Students will learn foundation piecing to construct 8 panels. The panels will be sewn together to complete an upholstery piece for their footstool. The students will sign up for either the morning section or afternoon section of the Day 2 class when they will construct their Color Wheel Footstool.

Day 2: The students will be divided into a morning section of 10 and an afternoon section of 10 to complete the construction of their footstools. Students will work with a class room partner to step-by-step cover their footstool, staple, tuft the top button, attach felt to the bottom and apply their feet. At the end of class students will go home with a completed project.

Prior to class: A template will be mailed to you. Trace the template onto the muslin. You will need 8 panels traced, when you come to class. Use a regular ball point pen, the marking will be permanent and should not wash or iron away. Please don't use a "Sharpie" style pen as these leave a very dark line. Come to class with your strips cut. Information about the feet and buttons will also be included.

Supply List: For Prior to class:

1 ½ yd, good quality muslin (not too stretchy)

Ruler for tracing lines accurately.

Ball point pen.

Supply List: For the Day 1 class:

56 (or more for variety) strips, 2" or 2 ½" width (both work perfectly), 18"-20" length.

- (A jelly roll can work perfectly if it has a lot of variety.)
- If using your stash, please pre-cut your strips to 2" (minimum) x 20"

Matching color thread, or if scrappy fabrics are used, a neutral.

Basic sewing supplies: Pins, thread snips, shears, seam ripper, sewing machine and manual.

Supply List: For the Day 2 class:

Your FINISHED upholstery piece.

1 hi-loft batting, crib size or larger.

½ yd craft felt, color to coordinate with your fabrics, or black.

1 large (at least 2") decorative button. We will talk about this in the first class.

1 flat plain button for the bottom.

4 feet. These can be handmade or purchased.

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