



CLASS REQUIREMENTS

Class: Interchange Appliqué

Dates: Thursday April 5 – Friday April 6, 2018

Times: 10am – 5pm

Tutor: Gillian Travis

Note: During this two-day class, students may make a quilt that is probably maximum A2 size, several place mats, a larger table runner or a cushion.

Design Work: If students wish to arrive prepared it may be useful to come with some ideas. Students can bring some images from the internet, or an actual item, eg mug, piece of fruit, toy – something that has a simple shape. The tutor will however have some patterns, and together student and tutor will design our images in the class.

You must bring along the following:

- Glue stick
- Paper scissors, small
- Pencil
- Sketch book or notebook (this is only to glue the design work in)
- Fabric scissors, both small and large (4 inch embroidery scissors are best)
- 0.5m fusible web (transfer adhesive) Gillian prefers Bondaweb or Vliesofix
- Rotary cutter, board, and ruler
- Thread: either cotton or polyester, shiny or matt in a similar colour to the fabric chosen

Fabric

- Batik fabric or similar weight cotton fabric: Gillian likes to use this type of fabric as it is closely woven, does not fray and is available in lovely bright colours. Make sure the fabric is of contrasting colours and not too patterned
- A charm pack (or two) is useful

Backing

- Backing fabric, eg lightweight white or cream cotton, (the size of this will depend on what students choose to make)
 - 505 temporary adhesive spray (available from Punch with Judy <https://www.punchwithjudy.com.au/shop/505-spray-and-fix.html>)
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- Gridded Vilene: The white fabric and 505 is not necessary if gridded Vilene is used (also available from Punch with Judy) and Gillian will have a supply of gridded Vilene in class

To complete

- Fabric for the back of the quilt/wall hanging
- Wadding

If you need any more information please email Gillian at Gillian@gilliantravis.co.uk

Sewing machines will be provided by sponsor companies so you don't need to bring your own. A technical assistant from that company will be available to assist any students who are unfamiliar with that machine. **If you prefer to bring your own sewing machine**, you may, but please ensure it is well maintained and that you bring the instruction manual, tools and accessories, and your machine must be capable of free machining and zig-zag, plus bring **darning foot, walking foot, and if at all possible an edge stitching foot.**

Suggestions: Please make sure you label everything with your name.

- We also recommend bringing a cushion in case your chair doesn't suit your height
- A water bottle helps you stay hydrated
- Don't forget to bring your glasses