



CLASS REQUIREMENTS

Class: Quilty Couture

Dates: Saturday April 13 – Sunday April 14, 2019

Times: 9am – 5pm

Tutor: Jessica Wheelahan

You must bring along the following:

A simple outer garment pattern. (ie no lining, buttons etc, and designed for wovens not knits). Tessuti (Sydney, Melbourne and online) have jacket designs which are perfect for this project, visit their website.

Be sure to purchase the physical pattern and not the download as putting the pattern together from print outs can be fiddly. Before class decide on size and cut out the pattern, make sure you understand the construction requirements.

Your favourite collection of precious woven fabrics - enough to create the garment plus about 20% extra. It is better if fabrics are lightweight, eg silk, satin and kimono fabric are perfect for this.

Co-ordinating plain colours and black and white. Back any lightweight fabrics with iron-on interfacing before class.

You can contact Jess via email before class to ensure that the fabrics will be suitable for the project. Because everyone has a different idea and a different stash Jess is happy to work with individual concepts.

Black shirting or thin poplin for the foundation piecing (amount as stipulated on pattern plus 20% extra)

Heavy duty sewing machine needles, full bobbin and ample co-ordinating thread

Sharp scissors, rotary cutter, chalk marker, measuring tape, pins

Square acrylic templates in a variety of sizes and cutting mat

If you need any more information please email Jessica at Wheelahancreative@hotmail.com

Materials OR kit supplied by tutor: NIL

REQUIREMENTS TO COMPLETE THE PROJECT (at home):

□ Depending on desired finish binding for seams (not strictly necessary) Once units required to sew the garment together are pieced, you may decide to have the garment made by a dressmaker.

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.

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