

BEADING BASICS & BEYOND

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View photos at: www.marystori.com - click on workshops - samplers are shown in half-day classes "Unique Beading Tricks" & "The Bright Side"

This class features live video projection allowing every student a front row seat!!

SUPPLY LIST:

* An 8" or 10" wooden embroidery hoop and muslin to fit hoop. An inexpensive hoop will do if you want to keep your sampler in the hoop permanently as a reference. Or, substitute an 11" pvc quilting frame if you already own one....not necessary to purchase for class.

* 1 - 14" x 6" rectangular mock "quilt". Please bind using the double fold method, with mitered corners. Hand sew the binding to the backing using a blind or appliqué stitch (rather than machine stitching) to make the beading easier to accomplish. The binding on the top should measure no less than 3/8" wide - measured from seam line to folded edge. You don't need to make an actual quilt....a "hot pad" type will do. Minimal machine quilting to hold the layers together is sufficient. A solid, light-colored fabric (like muslin) for both the body of quilt and binding will be easier to work with during this learning process. **** This item can be purchased in class for \$6.00 if you'd rather not make one.**

* needles - a #10, or #11 size, quilting between (or the smallest size YOU can thread) and a #10 or #11 appliqué needle (also known as Sharps or Straw Needles.)

* small ruler - 6" long x 1" wide is adequate

* 3 straight pins

* small shallow dish for beads - avoid plastic if possible

* small scissors that is sharp to the point or thread clips

* pencil or fine-line permanent pen to write notes on your samplers

* Ott light and extension cord - *This is optional....you may end up dragging it with you only to find it's not possible to plug in due to the room set-up. (I always request nice bright classrooms....and when we are lucky....they are available!)

Supply fee: A \$10.00 supply fee payable to instructor in class is required for the purchase of a kit containing all the necessary beads, embellishment items, and beading thread. If you wish to purchase a 'mock quilt' (instead of making one yourself), the kit fee is \$16.00.

Instructor will also offer for purchase: additional beads and beading thread, her favorite quilting between, PVC frames, and autographed copies of her books.