



Flower Farm Sampler

Pattern Book: Flower Farm Sampler by Shelley Cavanna

Sewing Machine in good working condition. If you have not used your machine in the last 6 months, please test your machine before coming to class that it runs well and you are able to wind a bobbin.

¼" presser foot

6" x 24" or similar long ruler to cut fabric

6 ½" square ruler with diagonal

(Optional - Creative Grids 4 in 1 triangle ruler)

Rotary Cutter with new blade

Rotary Mat

Favorite piecing thread – preference is Aurifil

Thread Snips

Seam Ripper

Pins – sharp and fine (Clover silk pins are my favorite)

Fabric marker – chalk wipes away easily, frixion pens can also be used as all marking is on the wrong side of the fabric and color fades away with heat.

Sewing machine needles – Microtex 75/11 or Quilting 75/11 or 80/12

Washable glue pen - Sewline Glue Pen (same one used for paper piecing)

For optimal outcomes, starch and press your fabric before cutting. Products such as Acorn Easy Press Fabric treatment or Ellen's Best Press or Flatter can be used. Please use the scentless product in the classroom.

Fabric – Whether you have a stash or not, there are many options to make a stunning quilt.

Background Fabric – 4.5 m - which ever option you choose you will need 4.5 meters of background fabric, and yes this amount allows for oopsies.

Additional fabrics - 0.75 m of 6 additional fabrics that read light, medium light, medium, medium dark and dark, add a mixture of different sized prints. Most blocks in the book use 5 fabrics plus background but a few do use an additional one.

The options listed below will be discussed in the first class. If you have a selection of fabrics you would like to use, bring them to the first class and they can be used as a jumping off point that you can augment if needed.

Option #1 - If you are choosing to use your stash, the success to a stash buster quilt is to have similar background and a variety of fabric that work well together. Background fabrics can be a variety of similar color and tone. You will need the equivalent of about 4.5m

Option #2 – Pick your favorites from your stash and augment with additional fabric.

Option #3 - Don't have a stash, you can also purchase the fabric as listed above