

Supply List

Creative Sewing Machine Fundamentals

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Thank you for enrolling in Creative Sewing Machine Basics!

You only need to bring a pair of scissors to class on the first day. For the rest of the session, please bring the following basic sewing supplies to class with you:

BASIC SEWING TOOLS AND SUPPLIES

- Basic pair of 8" fabric shears
- Sewing pins (all metal or glass head pins, avoid pins with plastic heads)
- Seam gauge
- Seam ripper
- A box or bin to hold your sewing supplies. Any box will do! Some people use an art storage box, bin, or toolbox from the hardware store because they have both large compartments (for scissors) and small compartments (for pins and needles).

Optional tools and supplies:

- Small, sharp scissors for snipping threads
- Flexible tape measure

You will need fabric to make the tote bag on the *second day of class*, but I will talk about the fabrics and how much you need on the first day of class so you can ask any questions about purchasing these fabrics at that time.

FABRIC REQUIRED TO MAKE THE TOTE

Use a medium-weight 100% cotton woven fabric that is 44" – 45" wide for the tote. These cotton fabrics are printed with colorful designs and are often used for quilting. Look at any big-name fabrics or craft store in the quilting section or any local quilt or fabric store. You can find some cotton woven quilting fabrics on sale for \$3-\$5 per yard, or you can purchase designer printed fabric for \$15-\$20.

- Main fabric (the outside of the tote that shows when you use it): ½ yard or two pre-cut "fat quarters" of fabric
- Lining fabric (the inside of the tote that shows when you open it up): ½ yard or two pre-cut "fat quarters" of fabric
- Handles: ¼ yard or one pre-cut "fat quarter" of fabric

Please Note: Classes and workshops may be canceled if enrollment minimums are not reached. You will be notified by telephone at least 3 days prior to the scheduled start date should cancellation become necessary.