

Studio Carly Mul.....with a passion for fabric, color and design

Freestyle Color Collage Class

This class is an advanced class for color collage. Students will learn not only how to make lines in color, but also how to connect them by blending fabrics. It's a way to learn how to work with colors using the collage technique. The class is very open and unrestricted as there is no specific pattern or design to follow. The flow of the colors will create a pattern.

During the class, students will work on their layout. No sewing machine is needed. I will guide every student in person and offer instructions how to finish at home.

The result is an abstract art quilt. This is meant to be a wall-hanging on its own, or become part of a wall-hanging.

Needed for class

(1) As you will need many, many fabrics for this kind of collage and only a certain amount can be brought to class, select a colorway first that matches your stash. Select EITHER warm or cool colorway.

Warm: mix of browns, yellows, oranges, corals, pinks, reds, red purples.

Cool: mix of blacks, greys, blues, greens, teals and aquas, blue purple.

Bring in your colorway of choice AT LEAST 150 scraps. These scraps can be anywhere between .5 and 5" and in any style of fabric, with the exception of solids. Solids will not work. You can mix batiks, reproduction, modern, traditional fabric in any random value. The more variety the better: don't try to match colors in advance. Don't bring a charmpack, as you will have way too many fabrics in the same style. Bring big and small scale prints, multicolored and blender fabrics, really anything with, if possible, all colors of your colorway represented.

(2) Sharp small scissors. Karen K Buckley no 5 (the blue one) is great for this class, but others may work as well. These scissors will be used to cut your scraps in even smaller pieces.

(3–optional) A small bag for your trash will come in handy.

Material kit

I will provide a material kit that includes one yard of Lite Steam a Seam 2 and Pattern ease.

I want to make sure everyone has the correct fusible as others won't work. Pattern ease will become your workspace and stays in the final wall-hanging.

Kit price is \$15.

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