

APPLIQUE' SEW DAYS

1st Session: Friday, April 2nd

- Discussion and examples of patterns
- Discussion on fabric choices
- Methods for placing the designs
Demo for prepping applique' pieces for **HAND** sewn needle turn using the creasing method.
- Needles, thread and stitching.

We will begin working on one block with most of the angles, points and curves represented.

2nd Session:

- Review and questions from the previous session.
- Demo of the starch turn preparation method by Karen K. Buckley for **HAND** sewn applique'.
- More discussion and help for hand stitching.

We will begin working on another single block that coordinates with the previous block for the starch method.

3rd Session:

Overview of fusible methods and techniques. Sewing machine methods only.

- Examples of types of fusible products
- Discussion for useful tools and supplies
- Discussion and examples of the options for edge finishing your applique' using the sewing machine.
- Discussion about threads and thread/needle compatibility.

This class can be hands on if those participating want to bring their sewing machines. We can start a block that can coordinate with the previous 2 blocks. This block will be a machine constructed one.

It can also be just lecture/demo if desired.

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