



Modern Patchwork and Quilting Classes

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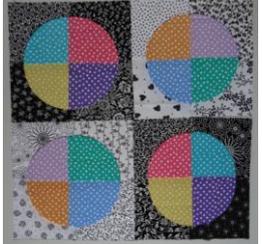
Each class will be held in my studio in Manor Road, Martlesham Heath from 9.30 to 4.30. Classes are £25 which includes tea and biscuits, but please bring your own packed lunch and sewing machine.

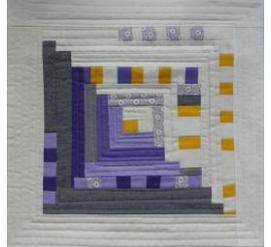
Classes are small and friendly with a maximum of 6 people.

Once you have signed up for a class, a list of requirements will be sent to you.

The Evening sewing group is from 6.30 to 9.30pm and costs £5 per session.

If you would like to do a particular project but are not able to come on the advertised day, please contact me so that we can make alternative arrangements.

<p>Wednesday 06/01/16</p>	<p><u>Circular Fun</u> After cutting the fabric using the Sizzix cutter you will learn how to sew curved seams. Four blocks together make a pleasing design and in a frame look very professional!</p>	
<p>Thursday 07/01/16 6.30-9.30pm</p>	<p><u>Evening Sewing Group</u> Come and sew with like-minded people, finish a project or start something new.</p>	
<p>Wednesday 13/01/16</p>	<p><u>Beginners Quilting – Week 1</u> Starting with the basics of how to use a rotary cutter and ruler we will gradually learn all the techniques needed to make a table runner including piecing, quilting and binding. These skills can then be applied to any other quilting project.</p>	
<p>Thursday 14/01/16 6.30-9.30pm</p>	<p><u>Evening Sewing Group</u> Come and sew with like-minded people, finish a project or start something new.</p>	
<p>Friday 15/01/16</p>	<p><u>Heart Cushion</u> What could be more delightful in a bedroom than this lovely cushion sewn with love and hearts?</p>	
<p>Wednesday 20/01/16</p>	<p><u>Advanced Bargello</u> Using the same techniques that we used in the first bargello class, we will make a slightly more complex design. The finished size is 35" x 44". If you haven't tried bargello before then you can still come along and do the simpler design to get the hang of it.</p>	
<p>Thursday 21/01/16 6.30-9.30pm</p>	<p><u>Evening Sewing Group</u> Come and sew with like-minded people, finish a project or start something new.</p>	
<p>Saturday 23/01/16</p>	<p><u>Heart Table Runner</u> Just in time for Valentines Day, this charming table runner would look good for any romantic meal. It could also be made slightly larger for a bed runner.</p>	

<p>Wednesday 27/01/16</p>	<p><u>Beginners Quilting – Week 2</u> Building on the skills learnt in week 1, we will continue to piece this delightful table runner.</p>	
<p>Thursday 28/01/16 6.30-9.30pm</p>	<p><u>Evening Sewing Group</u> Come and sew with like-minded people, finish a project or start something new.</p>	
<p>Friday 29/01/16</p>	<p><u>Liberated Log Cabin</u> Moving on from the traditional log cabin block, this design allows more creative input to come up with a unique block which could be turned into a table mat or cushion. Or just use it as inspiration for a large project.</p>	
<p>Wednesday 03/02/16</p>	<p><u>Beginners Quilting – Week 3</u> Building on the skills learnt in previous weeks, we will start to quilt this delightful table runner.</p>	
<p>Thursday 04/02/16 6.30-9.30pm</p>	<p><u>Evening Sewing Group</u> Come and sew with like-minded people, finish a project or start something new.</p>	
<p>Wednesday 10/02/16</p>	<p><u>Zipped Pouch</u> A very useful pouch with 3 zipped pockets and 4 open pockets – great for sewing supplies, make-up or just organising your things!</p>	
<p>Thursday 11/02/16 6.30-9.30pm</p>	<p><u>Evening Sewing Group</u> Come and sew with like-minded people, finish a project or start something new.</p>	
<p>Saturday 13/02/16</p>	<p><u>Quirky Chickens</u> Using either appliqué or piecing, come and hatch some chickens to use in a cushion or a small wallhanging ready for Easter.</p>	
<p>Wednesday 24/02/16</p>	<p><u>Beginners Quilting – Week 4</u> Continuing to build on the skills learnt in previous weeks, we will continue to quilt the table runner and then bind it before talking about what to make next!</p>	
<p>Thursday 25/02/16 6.30-9.30pm</p>	<p><u>Evening Sewing Group</u> Come and sew with like-minded people, finish a project or start something new.</p>	
<p>Friday 26/02/16</p>	<p><u>Easter Chicks</u> These cute chicks are made from a log cabin design square for their wings and hide a secret pocket for a crème egg!</p>	

<p>Wednesday 02/03/16</p>	<p><u>Material Maze!</u> A great way to use up scraps! By adding a neutral colour, the multi-colours all blend together to make a lovely wallhanging which could also be put into a frame.</p>	
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<p>Monday 07/03/16 To Friday 11/03/16 £120</p>	<p><u>Quilt In A Week</u> Using a pre-cut jelly roll plus some plain fabric we will be able to piece a small quilt-top and start the quilting by the end of the week. If you would prefer to bring your own project to work on you would be most welcome to do so.</p>	
<p>Saturday 12/03/16</p>	<p><u>Quilted Mug Rugs</u> When is a coaster not a coaster? When its a mug rug! We will use a variety of techniques to make a mini-quilt for your mug. Bring a mug and make it match!</p>	
<p>Wednesday 16/03/16</p>	<p><u>Circle of Triangles Cushion</u> This design is made up of a block called Flying Geese, 16 of them all in bright colours arranged in a regular pattern. This would be a great design to use in a child or teenager's room.</p>	
<p>Thursday 17/03/16 6.30-9.30pm</p>	<p><u>Evening Sewing Group</u> Come and sew with like-minded people, finish a project or start something new.</p>	
<p>Friday 18/03/16</p>	<p><u>Beginners Chevron Cushion</u> A very good project for beginners! At the end of the class you will go home with a completed cushion cover.</p>	
<p>Wednesday 23/03/16</p>	<p><u>Free Motion Quilting</u> Set yourself free from your walking foot and learn how to do cursive quilting designs! We will start very simply and before trying other designs, then its just practice, practice, practice to become an expert!</p>	
<p>Thursday 24/03/16 6.30-9.30pm</p>	<p><u>Evening Sewing Group</u> Come and sew with like-minded people, finish a project or start something new.</p>	

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