

COURSE SYLLABUS

Introduction to Textiles: Inspired by *Making Her Mark*, (18+) 5 Week

Instructor: Kelley Aitken

Thursday, March 21 - April 18, 2 - 5 pm

Class 1: **Stitch Meditations**

- Using a variety of patterned and varied weights of fabric pieces, students will create stitched fabric collages

Class 2: **Printing on Fabric**

- Cutting a small lino block for repeat printing on fabric, students will learn how to print on fabric
- Gallery visit to the *Making Her Mark* exhibition

Class 3: **Soft Sculpture from Printed Fabric**

Class 4: **Washi and Konnyaku**

- Students will create sewn collages or tapestry using Japanese paper

Class 5: **Sun Dye and Acid Dye on Cloth**

MATERIALS LIST

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Items in **bold** are required for the first class.

- A **thimble** to first class.
- Extra needles if necessary
- Other supplies to be discussed for later weeks

All material sizes are approximate. Please retain your receipts in case exchanges or returns are needed. On your first day of class, your instructor may recommend additional optional materials. Our Instructors will do their best to accommodate alternative materials whenever possible.

Suggested retailers for purchasing your art materials:

Aboveground Art Supplies (discount code: AGOSTUDENT10), DeSerres, Gwartzman's, Michaels, or your local art supply store.