

Sew Your Eyes Workshop Requirements

No kit necessary, 2 day workshop.

Students need to bring:

A4 colour photograph of the eyes they wish to stitch (human, animal, fish or bird).

A couple of sheets of tracing paper.

A black fine-line, fibre-tipped pen.

An A4 sized piece of canvas.

Snippets of appropriately coloured fabric, including netting & transparent fabrics.

Reels of appropriately coloured thread (any type excepting embroidery thread).

Inktense coloured pencils/blocks if they want to paint background (which is also canvas (A3 size)).

Paintbrushes.

Various pieces of backing fabric (a layered fabric background creates an interesting visual effect).

Edging can either be done with bias binding (need a ruler and chalk marker) or hand-made ragged cord (much easier with Bernina # 12 foot, but can also be done with darning/ embroidery foot).

Sewing machine with extension table (must be able to disengage feed-dogs).

Universal foot, darning/embroidery foot.

Sharp, pointed scissors.

Usual sewing paraphernalia (pins, tape measure etc).

An extra packet of fabric pieces to put into a public rummage is always wonderful.