

Little bags workshop. Materials and equipment list

Materials:

One charm pack or 16 assorted 5 inch squares of craft cotton fabric.

Half a metre of lining fabric (cotton in a toning print works well)

41cm zip if you are making the zipped bag

Polyester quilt wadding 50 cm X 110 cm approx. (You can buy this on the day)

Cotton sewing thread

Hand quilting thread

A sheet of sandpaper to use as a non slip mat when marking fabric is useful, but optional.

Tacking thread

Equipment:

Hand sewing kit: needles, scissors, thimble, pins

Chalk pencil or erasable marker

Pencil and sharpener

Ruler with quarter inch markings or a quilters quarter rule

You will be given instructions and diagrams to take home, enabling you to make other bags in a variety of sizes. The bag is hand sewn, but we will have a sewing machine available for stitching the zip if you would like to use it.

To save time on the day, you can draw quarter of an inch seam allowance lines on the back of each of your fabric squares, on all four edges, before you come to the workshop. Use a light pencil line or a fabric marking pencil. Make sure the lines do not show on the front of the fabric. If your seam lines are marked when you arrive, you can get started with stitching much sooner. If you prefer to mark your seam lines at the workshop, that is fine, you are welcome to do that.

If you have any questions about the workshop, or about these requirements, e mail me at sarah.eharris@btinternet.com, or telephone the shop on 01275 876000