

Stitch and Enrich

On this course we will create a small textured cloth by combining a bonded background, hand stitch and the use of the embellishing machine.

Inspiration

Any photographs, drawings, images of natural forms such as rocks or minerals. Jean will provide some inspiration.

Student Requirements

You may wish to bring fabrics and threads in a specific colour scheme.

¼ metre easy to stitch into, soft background fabric, easy to stitch into (not calico) in a colour of your choice.

A variety of fabric scraps to include matt and shiny, lace and synthetic velvet.

A selection of sympathetic threads from fine to chunky.

¼ metre of Bondaweb and baking parchment.

Embroidery frame if you use one.

Silk or wool tops, if you have them, but don't buy especially.

Sheer polyester scarf if you have one.

Basic sewing equipment, including a large, sharp eyed sewing needle.

*Jean can provide background fabric and some fibres and assorted yarns at a cost not to exceed £4. She will also bring one embellishing machine for class use.

Class needs

Irons and Ironing Boards

Demonstration Table

Flip chart and pens if possible

Display table

Extension leads if necessary