



Beginner's Blossom - Hand Appliqué

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Beginner

Wednesday, 8:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Meeting Room 106

#53502 - Appliqué

This flower block is perfect for first-timers learning needle-turn appliqué. Needle-turn appliqué is a method in which the point of the needle is used to turn under the raw edges of the fabric. Students will learn the four basic elements of this technique, the inside and outside of both points and curves. Students will also learn to make a 1/4" bias strip, freezer paper templates, and a laminate overlay (a placement guide used in many appliqué projects). Audra has specific tips and tricks to help make points sharp and curves smooth... taking the fear out of needle-turn appliqué.

Member: \$56

Retail: \$70

Supplies:

Please bring the following items to class:

- (1) 12" square - light background
- (1) 5/8" X 8" strip - dark green fabric for the flower stem
- (2-4) scraps - purple, gold, orange, and a medium shade of green (you can also choose your own color combination for the flower)

Note: The largest piece you will need is for the flower petals and an 8" square will be plenty.

- Fine-tipped black permanent marker
- Mechanical pencil
- Basting thread or a fabric glue stick
- Clover bias maker #6 (makes the 1/4" strip)
- Small, sharp pair of scissors for trimming and clipping
- Fabric and paper scissors
- Needles (sharps and appliqué)
- Threads to match appliqué fabrics
- Pins (regular or appliqué)
- Erasable markers (light and dark)

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