

Pillow Making Basics

SUPPLY LIST

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Dates: Friday, August 23rd | 10A-1P



Project description: Learn how easy it is to stitch a pillow cover with professional finishes. Using a 14” pillow insert you will make a tailored pillow cover with piping and a zipper. Directions will call for fat quarters for the front, back and cording. But if you have a quilt or appliqué square or an embroidery pattern you want to show off, bring it as long as it’s at least 15” square for the front. You can also pick different fabrics for the front/back/piping- up to you. Let your creativity flow!

Fabric Requirements:

- 3 fat quarters total (or equivalent yardage) for the front (1), back (1) and piping (1).
- 2 yds of 6/32” cording.
- 1 - 14” pillow form.
- 12” or 14” zipper to match fabric selected for back.
- 1 yd Pellon SF101 fusible interfacing. Do not purchase double sided interfacing.

Sewing supplies:

- Sewing machine, cord, foot control, extension table, basic sewing foot (not a 1/4” foot), cording foot or zipper foot. 5mm, 7mm, or 9mm throat plate. Do not use a single hole on this project.
- Pins, clips, thread snips, fabric marker or chalk.
- Coordinating thread. Wind one bobbin matching top thread.
- Ruler, cutting mat, rotary cutter (we do have some to share in class)
- Fresh regular needle in your machine
- Take home directions will be supplied in class. Bring a pen to take notes.

Preparations prior to class: Gather all your supplies and be ready to be creative and have some fun. No Homework! Please be familiar with your sewing machine.