

## Sew from the Heart Student Supply List

Class Name: **Learn To Quilt - Machine Quilting Basics #9987**  
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Class Date: **Wednesday, June 24th** Time: **10am - 2pm**

The key to a successful machine quilting is in the preparation! In this class we will focus on basting your quilt top, how to stitch-in-the-ditch (SID) and how to do straight-line machine quilting.

NOTE - most of this class is lecture/demo. There will be time in the last hour of class for hands-on practice of SID and straight-line quilting, but this is optional. If you do not wish to bring your machine, please bring pencil, notebook, and your favorite machine quilting book (listed below). If you want hands-on practice, please bring the following:

### Supplies Needed:

- Book: **Heirloom Machine Quilting** by Harriet Hargrave  
-OR- **Guide to Machine Quilting** by Diane Gaudynski (REQUIRED)
- Sewing machine\* in good working order for the SID and straight-line quilting exercises
- Basic Sewing Kit (required even if borrowing a machine)
- **TWO** pieced 9-patch blocks. Any size will work, but 9 ½" or 12 ½" is best. The blocks will be used for practice quilting, so any scraps from your stash may be used to make the blocks. For more about making a 9-patch block, see the book **Learn to Quilt with Alex Anderson**.
- Backing: two scraps of fabric that are 2" larger than your 9-patch block. If you make a 9 ½" x 9 ½" block, then the backing for each block should be 11 ½" x 11 ½" square.
- Batting: ½ yard Warm and Natural 100% cotton. Two scraps of batting will work as long as each scrap is 2" larger than the 9-patch block. Please, NO polyester batting.
- Walking foot for your machine make and model (REQUIRED)
- Quilting/seam guide for the walking foot (that long funny L-shaped thingy)
- Extra bobbin case (if you have one, but don't purchase one for this class)
- Machine quilting thread –100% cotton in contrasting color to muslin fabric so stitching will show (REQUIRED)
- YLI Invisible Thread or Superior Mono Poly Invisible thread and a **thread net** (a thread net is required for any invisible thread).
- Quilting Needles 90/14 for quilting thread, 75/11 invisible thread (REQUIRED)
- Marking pencils or chalk that will show on the practice 9-patches.
- Machine quilting gloves
- Pen or pencil and notebook

Basic Sewing Supplies:  Yes  No

*This includes the following items: Thread, good quality fabric scissors, small scissors or thread nips, straight pins, 6" seam gauge or ruler, seam ripper, fabric marker, assorted machine needles, pen and paper for notes, any other items you commonly use. Please call us with any questions.*

**Machine Requirements:** *\*Your machine should be in good working order. Please come with knowledge of operation suitable for the class content. Sew from the Heart is happy to provide one of our classroom machines for your use. Please reserve your machine at registration and plan to arrive 15-20 minutes early ahead of class to give us time to get you set up and help you become familiar with the loaner machine.*

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