

Heirloom Sewing Blouse

Supply list:

1. Pre-cut pattern for the top/blouse. If you have questions about the pattern, email me at josph@mcdougalsewing.com or text me a picture at 832-745-3469. Have the pattern already cut out of the fabric BEFORE class. 100% Cotton, 100% linen, or cotton linen blend fabric only.
 1. We will not be using the facings. Instead, we'll be using binding strips for the neckline, so make sure you have enough fabric to cut 1' wide bias strips long enough for the neckline + 4". You can also use 1" prepackaged Bias tape the color of the fabric, it's easier.
 2. You'll also need some extra scraps of fabric to test sew our heirloom techniques with your machine.
2. Stitch in the Ditch stabilizer for decorative stitching- We sell this at McDougal's.
3. One piece of insertion lace the length of your top + 4". Insertion lace has a border on each side of the lace. We have some for sale at McDougal's or Buttons and Bows usually carries it also.
4. One winged needle, any size- we have at McDougal's
5. One 2.0 or 2.5 Twin needle – we have at McDougal's.
6. One pack of Quilt needles size 75/11 or 80/12. – We have at McDougal's.
7. One spool of Cotton, silk, or Poly thread to match your fabric. We have at McDougal's
8. Have 2 Bobbins pre-wound with your upper thread before class.
9. Specialty Pressure feet needed for class: (Let me know if you want to purchase the day of class for a 15% class discount and I'll hold them for you.)
 1. ¼" foot
 2. Seam guide or edge guide foot for top stitching. The guide blade on the foot should be on the right side of the foot.
 3. Pin tuck foot. I prefer a 3 or 5 groove Pin Tuck foot.
 4. Bias binding foot that is adjustable if possible.
 5. If you have a Candle-wicking foot for some decorative stitching, bring it. You don't have to have it for class, but you can see what it does during class.
10. Basic sewing supplies*, machine in good working order, all pressure feet that came with your machine, the machine manual if you have it, and cord and foot pedal. If you have your own little iron and iron mat, please bring it along with some press cloths to use on light fabric when pressing.
11. *Basic sewing supplies- small scissors for thread cutting, fabric cutting scissors. Sharp straight pins, marker that will disappear from fabric, straight ruler to create lines, pin cushion, seam ripper and any other tools you like to use in your sewing.
12. I may be emailing any other suggestions I may have the closer to class. If you have any questions, please let me know so I can share them with everyone.