

Contemporary Hawaiian Appliqué by Machine

3 hour class

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Love the look of the Hawaiian Appliqué quilt, but you LIKE to do things on the sewing machine? This is the class for you. We will take a traditional Hawaiian design and using some quick techniques, speed the process of creating this lovely Plumeria design. We will “update” all steps of construction, cutting, basting, appliqué, and even fabric choices. Contemporary finishing ideas and settings will be discussed. Come and join in the fun. Aloha!

Supplies for an 18” single block

- One fat quarter appliqué fabric (for appliqué design)
- One fat quarter of background fabric (for background)
- 18” square of freezer paper
- Pencil
- Straight pins
- Machine needles- Size 10 or 12, sharp point. I like machine embroidery or topstitch needles.
- An EMPTY bobbin
- Paper scissors with pointed tips
- Fabric scissors, these need to be VERY sharp, able to cut up to the points for the small detail cuts
- Thread-
 - One color to contrast fabrics
 - One FULL large spool to match appliqué fabric-light weight or embroidery thread works very well-good quality very important!!
- Newsprint paper for stabilizer for appliqué-you need a piece that is 18” square, you can use smaller pieces to equal this amount (this is the cheap, thin kind of paper you give kids to scribble on. I use it because it is inexpensive and tears away easily).
- Sewing machine-needs to have straight stitch ***and*** satin stitch (zig-zag) capabilities. An open-toe foot is very helpful, though not mandatory. Free motion quilting capability is helpful too, though the quilting can be done without it. Also bring your free-motion quilting foot if you have one.
- Extension cord, power strip
- Irons will be necessary, refer to workshop location to see if they will be provided for you.