

Tuckerizing Calathea with Anne

In this class, we will put on our detective hats and learn how to “tuckerizing” a non-Studio 180 pattern. We will cover how to determine which Studio 180 tools to use, what size to make each unit and how much fabric the project will need. Then we will review how to use each of the tools needed to make the project. Once you uncover how easy it is to “tuckerize” patterns, you will discover more ways to use your Studio 180 tools with almost every quilt project you undertake.

This class is perfect for students who feel comfortable using most of the Studio 180 tools required. We will cover 2 tools per class after the first class. Fabric requirements will be discussed during the first class.

Please bring the following to class:

FIRST CLASS ONLY:

- **Calathea quilt pattern by Lifting Limits Quilting and Wild Plum Lane**
- Instructions that came with each of the required tools (downloadable from the Studio 180 website)
- A copy of the **Studio 180 Design Unit Guide**, found in the Assorted Downloads section of the Free Downloads page of the Studio 180 website.
- Pen & paper for calculating and note-taking
- Permanent marker for drawing on a sheet protector
- Calculator (the calculator in your phone is fine)
- **NO Sewing machines or basic sewing supplies for the first class**

Subsequent Classes:

- Sewing Machine and manual (machine should be in good working order, with proper tension and even stitch) with a 1/4” foot or seam guid
- Rotary Cutter - 45mm with a new blade (As a safety precaution during class, all rotary cutters must be closed when not in use)
- Quilters pins or wonder clips
- Straight-edge ruler
- Thread - Aurifil 50 weight cotton thread is recommended
- Bobbins - wind at least 2 bobbins prior to class

Required items for class:

- **Calathea quilt pattern by Lifting Limits Quilting and Wild Plum Lane**
- Deb Tucker's Studio 180 tools, including the instructions that came with each tool:
 - Corner Pop I **AND** Corner Pop II
 - Corner Beam **AND** Square Squared (regular or large)
 - Tucker Trimmer I or III **AND** Wing Clipper I
- True Grip, Invisagrip and Ruler stickers (optional)

Fabric requirements and cutting:

We will determine fabric requirements during the first class. **Please DO NOT follow the original pattern's fabric requirements and cutting chart.** The same number of fabrics will be used, just in slightly different amounts.

You will receive a 20% discount for items needed for this class and 10% discount on the day of this class. If you have questions about the supplies, please stop by or call the store (412) 767-5500. **If you need to reserve a classroom sewing machine, please do so at least 24 hours in advance so we can have one setup in time for class.**

CANCELLATION POLICY: If you cannot attend class, you may cancel up to one week before. You will receive a store credit towards a future class. Within one week of the class, there are no refunds.

