

--- *Machine Quilting* ---

Domestic Sewing Machine

Supply List

Sewing machine - in good working order, cleaned and oiled (don't forget your foot pedal and power cord)

- **free-motion foot** (or –feet, if you have a variety)
- **Machine extension table** (I like my Sew-Steady®) You'll enjoy the process much more if you have a flat surface, big enough to comfortably place both of your moving hands around the needle
- **Bobbins** with color of your choice for the back. **Bring also empty bobbins)**
- **machine needles** → Topstitch or Quilting, Metallic (In general: the bigger the #/# the thicker and sturdier the needle: 75 or 80 for fine and soft fabric/batting, 90 or sometimes even up to 100 for multiple fabric/fused layers/batting)
- **variety of threads** for your fabrics (and you're welcome to **my OPEN thread bar**; there are big differences how they behave in your machine or type of quilting and you're welcome to try everything)
- If your machine has a **knee lift** - bring it! This is the time to use it!

Normal sewing supplies (scissors, seam ripper, basting needle, etc.)

Safety pins

Gloves → my preferred brand is Machingers® (available in most quilting stores \$ 9)

Marking tools: bring whatever you already have so we can try them all and talk about their individual benefits
I'll bring my all types I've used so far

Fabric

prepare a sandwich about 16"x 16" with

- **plain fabric on one side** - pick a fabric you can see your stitches (I don't recommend batiks, - the tight weave is tough)
- Batting, not puffy (I'll also have some Warm&White®)
- **Fabric with a big print as the backing.** Pick a print that would be good for follow-the-line practice (like leaves, flowers, shapes...)
- bring 1 smaller sandwich for "doodles" and test runs. Feel free to use different batting to see how different they behave

Paper, pencil, eraser, note pad and paper for doodles & sketches

Bring a quilt you'd like to talk about how to quilt it

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Let's have a fun day of playing with thread!

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