

✦ Quilt Beginnings ✦

Tuffet
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Monday, February 3, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., and February 24, 10 a.m.- 4 p.m.

Project description: This beautiful 18" Tuffet will add beauty and interest to any décor. The class is designed to give you experience with foundation piecing and constructing an upholstered piece of furniture.

Tuffet Kit, Pattern, Tools, and Sewing Supplies are available at Quilt Beginnings.

Pattern purchase is required for this class.

Tuffet Source, FABRIC Foundation Pattern, Pieced 18" Tuffet.

NOT the fusible fabric pattern.

Fabrics

You need $\frac{1}{4}$ yard of 8 fabrics for the Tuffet cover, a 6-inch square of fabric for the covered button, and a fat quarter for the underside of Miss Tuffet.

Tools and Sewing supplies

1. 18" Tuffet Pattern and Original (not fusible) Fabric Piecing Foundation
2. 18" Tuffet Kit (Includes button, batting, foam, cording, tee-nuts, round plywood base, bottom cover, and bun feet.) (Class 2) **ORDER FROM QUILT BEGINNINGS**
3. Add-A-Quarter PLUS ruler (12-inch)
4. 12-inch Upholstery Needle (Class 2)
5. Chenille needle for cording (*not a regular sewing needle*) (Class 2)
6. Hammer and Staple gun (Class 2)
7. Rotary cutter with a NEW blade, ruler, and mat.
8. Sewing machine (zigzag capability), foot pedal, power cord.
9. NEW 12/80 JEANS needle in your sewing machine
10. Bobbins wound
11. 50-weight thread for piecing the tuffet cover (Aurifil is my favorite)
12. Heavy weight thread to apply cording
13. Sharpie marker (Class 2)
14. Sharp 5" embroidery-type or craft scissors (QB has a wonderful pair of Gingers)
15. Straight Pins
16. Awl
17. Seam ripper
18. Small iron and pressing surface (You'll be pressing a lot; it's convenient to set up next to your machine.)

BE PREPARED

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Preparation Before Class

1. Purchase the pattern, fabrics, supplies, and tools BEFORE the day of class. Order your tuffet kit.
QB staff will help you.
2. Read through the instructions before class to get an idea of the process.
3. Gently press the foundation piece and cut out the wedge pieces on the outside lines BEFORE class. You may use your rotary cutter and ruler.
4. Iron your fabrics. Use Best Press to remove wrinkles/creases. Crisp fabric is best.
5. Cut 64, 2-inch strips: You will cut 8, 2-inch x 20-21-inch strips from each of the eight coordinated fabrics that you chose for Miss Tuffet. If you are using a Jelly Roll, your strips are 2 1/2". That's fine—you do not need them to trim to 2".
6. Wind at least three bobbins with neutral thread to go with your fabrics.
7. Bring a snack, lunch, and drink with lid for yourself if desired.
You may bring something tasty to share if you would like.

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