

Portrait in Cloth NaomiBelle Rozell

Maiwa Loft: Above the Net Loft, Granville Is. Vancouver BC

Nov 18 - 19, 2019 Mon, Tue, 10am - 4pm

STUDENT SUPPLY LIST

The Maiwa Studios are well stocked work spaces, dedicated to all aspects of textile work. For this workshop Maiwa will supply a selection of fabrics, roving, fabric paints and pens, brushes, etc.

The instructor has asked that the students bring the following:

- Your portrait in cloth may be a self-portrait, or that of a loved one or imaginary. Keep this in mind when choosing your supplies. Finished size is approx. 12" head to toe.
- Favourite scissors – for cutting fabric and threads
- Notebook, pen and pencil and any other favourite writing implement(s) that you might like for journaling
- Assortment of needles for regular hand sewing and embroidery
- Sewing thread - off white for stitching the body of your portrait in cloth
- Sewing threads – assorted colours in small amounts – suggest black, blue, red and anything else you might have in your stash.
- Assorted favourite beads, buttons, sequins, charms etc. that you might like to use as embellishments. Could be a small amulet or piece of jewelry that has meaning to you and reflects who you or your subject are.
- Small amounts of assorted embroidery threads. Some will be provided for your use, but you may have some colours that you are particularly fond of. Think eye colour in case you decide to embroider your face on your image.
- Small amounts of scraps of fabric for embellishment and for clothing your portrait. While there will be some provided for your use, you might consider something that you have with sentimental, or emotional value that is personal to you. Maybe something from an old piece of clothing or something left over from a previous dye class project that may speak to you.
- Approx. 25-50 meters (you will use more or less depending on hair length) of DK or worsted weight yarn in any fibre and colour you choose for hair. You might match your own hair colour or use a fantasy colour. Your choice.
- Crochet hook, 4 mm for making hair wig with above yarn. This is optional as hair can be applied in other ways but this method will be taught.

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