

## Supplies for Intro to Improv Piecing

### **Fabric:**

We will be using scraps in this class. I suggest focusing on a color theme or story to help you focus in choosing what scraps to bring to class.

Examples: Christmas fabric, autumn fabric prints & fall colors, primary colors and kids prints, pastels, black/white & red, or 2 or 3 of your favorite colors

bring both solids and prints if you have them

scraps do not need to be precisely cut- irregular shapes & sizes are fine  
square and rectangle shaped scraps and strips work best

square scraps can range in size from approx. 1 ½" - 5" square

rectangle scraps should be 1 ½" - 3 ½" wide in a variety of lengths

bring at least 10-12 strips- width can be approx. 1" - 3 ½" and length can vary

scraps should be pressed flat & ready to sew

### **Supplies & Equipment:**

Sewing machine

Machine needle for piecing

Piecing thread to coordinate with your fabrics

Straight stitch foot

Straight stitch throat plate (optional)

¼" foot

Sharp fabric scissors

Rotary Cutter

Square Ruler – 6" or larger (whatever you have)

Pins

Small ironing pad & iron to have at your workspace (optional)

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