

Sewlicious Crafts

Orphan Block Tote Bag

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An easy to sew tote bag that makes great use of orphan blocks.

Location: StitchSpace , 13752 Ventura Blvd, Sherman Oaks, CA 91423

April 21, 2024, 10am-2pm

Parking on street, metered, restroom available, please bring a snack or lunch, no food within walking distance.

Questions call Alyssa 310-600-3243

StitchSpace is allowing us to use their space free of charge. Fabric and notions inside the store are for sale only. Please bring all required items with you including your sewing machine and notions. Please be considerate of the space.

Supply List

- 1 orphan block that is larger than 17" x 17". Add sashing to your orphan block to make it larger or combine orphan blocks.
- 1 piece of fabric for the back of your tote , 17" x 17". You may use another orphan block for the back of your tote if you wish.
- 2 pieces of lining fabric, each 17" x 17" (these are for inside the bag).
- Extra scraps if you would like to make an inside pocket.
- 2 pieces of batting each 17" x 17".

- 52” nylon strapping, 1- 1 ½ “ width. If you like your straps longer then get extra nylon. Each strap needs to be at least 26 each long.

NOTES

We will be quilting our orphan blocks and our backing in class. The finished squares will be cut to 15” x 15”. These squares will be used to assemble the tote bag. Straight line quilting that is quick and easy is the preferred method.

Please DO NOT create your orphan block in class. We will not have time for that. Please come to class with your orphan block already in existence.