

Patchwork Collage~ Freddy Moran Style

This is a BIG, BOLD project! The more colorful the fabrics, the happier your collage.

For the background, sew ^{4-6 fat quarter} ~~four to six~~ 1/2 yard cuts of black & white fabric together. Make the background a bit larger than the finished collage will be. (You will save time, if you come to class with the background already pieced together.)

LARGE SCALE FLOWERS - MEDIUM FLOWERS
Bring lots and lots of scraps, prints, solids or geometrics – don't be timid about the fabrics – 'Bold is Beautiful' and red is a neutral! You will need lots of variety in fabric and a change in the scale of the prints. You can create anything: an all over design, a still life, or perhaps buildings. **The images will be glued on the Background -**

Please bring:

Sewing machine -

Medium cutting mat

6" x 12" ruler

Medium rotary cutter

Sharp scissors

Pins

Glue sticks (3 or 4, any brand suitable for fabric) **must be washable**

Design wall (65" x 65" or larger if you plan to make a larger collage)

Freezer paper

Notes from talking with Freddy about her supply list & the class:

Ideally, prepare your background of random black and white fabrics sewn together in medium/large random blocks IN ADVANCE of class Friday. If you do that, you then do not need to bring your sewing machine to class and can get started right away.

If you are super fast in class and have time to make two collages, you can make the 2nd background at home Friday night for day 2 of class Saturday

Also bring roughly a fat quarter of neutral flannel to use as a temporary background in testing out placement of your collage elements.

Lauren.