

## **Supply List for Japanese Boro Bag**

**Friday, August 9, 2019      2:00 to 5:00 PM**

**Instructor Mary Sara Fields      \$35.00**

**Sashiko Sewing Machine (if you have one) or any Sewing Machine**

**Standard presser foot for either machine**

**Quilting guide bar**

**New needles size 18 for Sashiko, size 80/12 for sewing machine**

**The Essential Tote pattern**

**Glue stick and Fabric marking pen**

**½ yard of foundation fabric (this will be completely covered by Boro patches)**

**1/3 yard of fabric for lower exterior purse (a heavier fabric like denim or canvas)**

**1 yard of fabric for lining, handles and pockets**

**3 yards of Pellon Shape-Flex**

**1 yard of Pellon Craft-Fuse**

**8 to 20 scraps of fabric for Boro patches to cover (2) 16 x 22 inch sides**

**30 wt thread for Sashiko machine for Sashiko quilt stitching**

**40 or 50 wt thread for sewing machine for quilt stitching**

**50 wt polyester thread for bag construction**

**Rotary cutter and ruler**

**Point turner/pusher**

**Large scissors & Thread snip scissors**

**Straight pins**

**Magnetic purse snap**

**Note:**

**Traditional Boro quilting/stitching uses a Sashiko stitch to place RAW EDGE patches of fabric onto a garment or blanket that needs to be repaired.**

**This class will cover a foundation fabric with RAW EDGE patches in a pleasing pattern and then top stitch them down with either a Sashiko machine or a regular sewing machine.**

**If you bring a Sashiko machine, the instructor will provide a regular sewing machine for you to construct the bag. The Sashiko machine will be used to sew down the Boro patches onto the foundation fabric.**

**If you do not have a Sashiko machine, you will use normal straight stitches to sew down the Boro patches onto the foundation fabric. OR if your sewing machine has a hand look quilt stitch, that stitch can be used to sew down the Boro patches onto the foundation fabric. If the hand look stitch is used, you will need to bring a spool of invisible thread for the top and a 40 or 50 weight thread for the bobbin, and a size 80 metallic needle for the invisible thread.**

**If you have any questions, please call Mary Sara at Cathey's 797-7177**