

Introduction to Machine Piecing

Summary

Students will begin to learn how to use the rotary cutter, cutting mat, and ruler to make quilt blocks. In this class the students will make a 4-patch quilt block. Students will also write a paper on their first memories of a quilt.

Time Frame

1 class periods of 90 minutes each

Group Size

Large Groups

Materials

Rotary cutters, cutting mats, rulers of various sizes, samples of 4-patch block, quilts with 4-patch blocks, 1/4" presser foot, iron, ironing board.

Background for Teachers

Teacher needs to know how to use a rotary cutter and mat to make a quilt block. Teacher also needs to know how to make a 4-patch block.

Student Prior Knowledge

No prior knowlegde is needed.

Intended Learning Outcomes

Students will make a 4-patch block. They will understand how to sew a 1/4" seam. Students will also write a paper on their first memories of a quilt.

Instructional Procedures

This lesson plan is on the attachment.

Assessment Plan

Students will be evaluated on the accuracy of the 6" finished 4-patch block.

Bibliography

Start Quilting with Alex Anderson by Alex Anderson. Page 24. Quick Classic Quilts by Marsha McCloskey. Pages 46 - 48. Favorite Quilts by Nancy Smith and Lynda Milligan. Pages 32-37.

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