

**Stitch up a  
Happy Holiday  
with  
Catherine  
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**Registration Opens**

August 3, 2010

**Course Starts**

November 3, 2010

**Course Length**

4 Weeks



**Course  
Description  
and Supply  
List**

## Course Description

Join me in this fun and festive Sewing on Paper class as we learn the basics of machine and hand stitching on paper and complete 4 fun decorative Holiday projects that can be tailored to meet any holiday. In this class we will incorporate new and old papers, glitter, lace, ribbon, vintage buttons and more to create a beautiful banner, stamped and collaged cards, one of a kind gift tags, and unique and one of a kind Christmas tree decorations.

Techniques you will use in *Stitch up a Happy Holiday*:

Learn how to make a banner that you can easily customize for any occasion, create beautiful shimmery stamped images using watercolor paints and Glimmer Mist and then collage into holiday cards or collages, create a beautiful set of holiday tags using scraps of papers and vintage cards and more.

- Use hand-stitching stitching templates
- Collage and paper layering techniques
- Hand stitching on paper
- Tips for sewing on paper with your sewing machine
- Layering papers and adding embellishments
- Making vintage fabric paper
- Creating shimmery effects and painting on stamped images

My classes include slideshows, handouts, sample projects and technique variations, student art galleries, discussion forums and informational links.



## Suggested Supplies:

- 8½ x 11" chipboard
- Holiday patterned papers
- White, cream or Kraft cardstock
- 3" chipboard letters
- Glitter
- Holiday image stamps suitable for painting
- Vintage photographs
- Vintage Paper Items: Playing cards, tags, coupons etc.
- Glimmer Mist or Radiant Rain Shimmer Spray
- Hand Stitching Templates (Bazzill, Timeless Touches)
- Piercing Mat, Paper Piercer
- Sewing Machine
- Cotton Perle threads that coordinate with patterned paper
- Ribbon
- Muslin Fabric or pre-packaged Fabric for Printing
- White or Cream office Tags (between 3 ¼" and 4 ¼" )
- Hole Punch or crop-o-dile
- Rubber Stamps
- Black or Brown Staz-On Ink
- Paper trimmer
- Watercolor paints (or markers I will not include instruction for that in this class)

Feel free to use supplies you have on hand and make substitutions to match your personal style for all of these projects!