



ColourBugs & Curves

Instructor: Linda Sullivan of Colourwerx
Full Day Workshop



Workshop Descriptive: Two techniques in one class! First, Linda will guide you through her liberating and fancy free slash 'n sew technique while making cute colour bugs blocks – no ¼” seams to follow and no rules.

Next, she'll guide you through sewing perfect curves with her handy tips and tricks - you're guaranteed to conquer your fear of sewing curves with no tears. Both techniques come together in one class while making this cute ladybug quilt!

MATERIALS NEEDED:

Pattern : ColourBug (CW118) By Colourwerx (available on their website)

• Fabric Requirements (for the 42” x 60” quilt:)

- Background Fabrics: choose (2) fabrics - 1-1/4 yards each
- ColourBugs (ladybugs): choose (4) fabrics - 1/4 yard each
- ColourBug Body & Head - Choose black - 1/4 yard
- Leaves: Choose 3-4 greens - 1/4 yard each
- Stems & Binding: 3/4 yard
- Template Plastic or Heavy Cardboard to make the Curve & L Template Shapes



You will also need these other sewing items to complete this project:

- Sewing Machine in good working condition - please bring your manual, cord, foot pedal and presser feet
- Basic Sewing Supplies such as: straight pins, scissors, marking pencil or pen; seam ripper, etc...
- 100% Cotton 50 weight Neutral Color Thread for Piecing (Aurifil or Superior Masterpiece preferred)

Before Class --

Please prepare the following before class:

- Repeat the below and cut at least (2) colour bugs + background fabrics from your fabrics prior to class:
 - For (1) ColourBug Block, cut the following:
 - Wings & Antenna: (2) 5” x 6-1/4” rectangles & (2) 1-1/2” x 5” strips
 - Body & Head: (1) 2” x 5” strip & (1) 2” x 6-1/4” strip
 - Background:
 - (2) 3” x 3” squares
 - (1) 4” x 4” square
 - (2) 1-1/2” x 9-1/2” strips
 - (2) 2” x 5” strips
 - (2) 5-1/2” x 6-1/2” rectangles
 - (2) 1-1/2” x 11-1/2” strips
- (repeat the above cuts X the # of colour bugs)

-- We will cut fabrics for leaves and backgrounds in class.

-- Also, copy or xerox the (2) template shapes and trace them onto heavy cardboard or template plastic and cut out.

PLEASE BRING ALL OF YOUR EXTRA FABRIC TO CLASS.

Please feel free to email Linda for further information or questions at colourwerx@yahoo.com. Thank you!