

2020 McGregor Summer Students' Materials List

Class **Signature Trim techniques**

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We provide this list of materials as a guide only for you to bring to the Retreat. Your Tutor has compiled this list so you can embrace the class and skills being taught.

Please bring the following

5 mtrs- 14 guage (extra firm) cotton covered millinery wire.

5 mtrs- 19 guage (standard firm) cotton covered millinery wire.

50g- 22 guage, 18 inch florist wire- in your chosen colour

3-5 mtrs-6 inch pleated crinoline- in your chosen colours.

1 mtr- 6 inch coarse crinoline- no drawstring

1-2 mtrs-12 inch Merry Widow veilling (white)-please bring a design master, florist spray, if you intend to tint the veiling, in your chosen colour.

1-2 mtrs silk abaca- in your chosen colours.

Flower making tools- Beginners set or master set. *Please note- these are a little pricey, but absolutely essential and a worthwhile investment.

Souldering iron-also essential, as the flower making tools, are attached to this.

Foam block and sand bag- also essential, for flower making.

Thin cardboard scraps from cereal boxes or similar.

Taylors awl.

Small bottle pva.

UHU glue-multi purpose solvent free.

Loctite super glue (available from 'Bunnings'.

Paint brush-1x the tiniest you can find, 1x 2 inch or larger.

Tulle roll- in your chosen, corresponding colours.

Metal hair combs- pack of 3.

Stamens.

Ostrich quills- 2-3.

Alice headbands (halo crown)- 2-3.

Pre blocked hat shapes- eg. cocktail, pillbox or similar.

Polystyrene head.

wooden base for poly head to sit on.

Long nose pliers.

All the essentials found in a sewing kit

Approximate material cost - \$300-\$400 is the estimated material cost. Please note you may already have some items in your art wares collection. Sometimes a tutor or the McGregor Retreats may be able to buy items in bulk to get the best price and we would then seek reimbursement from you. This will be communicated if required.

If you have a question that is specifically about the materials – please contact your tutor brettmilliner@gmail.com

Day ONE

12 JANURARY

“working with silk abaca-forming floral trims for headwear”:
-preparing, cutting, forming and assembling

DAY TWO

working with crinoline-forming trims for headwear
cutting, manipulating, sewing and wiring

DAY THREE

Birdcage veil- preparing, cutting and sewing
Twirling ostrich quills

DAY FOUR

establishing individual designs via newly acquired skills from the previous days

DAY FIVE

same as day four

DAY SIX

same as day five

DAY SEVEN

tying up loose-ends, Q&A time & clean room/pack up

Bring a Coffee mug –regular black tea and coffee, full cream milk and sugar **are** supplied by the School. **should you require decaf, herbal teas, other milk types or artificial sweeteners please bring your own supplies. We will have 'tea rooms' set up around campus with small fridges that you can keep your own supplies in.*

N.B. It is advisable to mark your equipment for easy identification.

Workshop runs 8.30am to 4.00pm with a light lunch provided at 12noon **only** on the weekend days. You must provide your own lunch Monday to Friday. Please note allergies will be catered for as best we can but depending on the level of dietary/allergy needed to be catered for this may incur a surcharge.

HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES AND MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEETS.

If you bring any hazardous substance to the McGregor School, please ensure that you obtain a MSDS (Material Safety Data Sheet) from the supplier or obtain one from the manufacturer of this substance. To do this, either ask the supplier from whom you purchase the hazardous substance or read the contact details on the hazardous substance and contact the manufacturer and ask for a MSDS. Once you have obtained the MSDS, bring it with you to the school, and hand in a copy to the McGregor School office, or the Tutor.

Hazardous substance can be: e.g. solvents, acids, some paint and glues, chemicals, fixatives, fluxes and solders.

If you are unsure, the Supplier and or manufacturer should be able to inform you if the substance is classed as hazardous.

WORKPLACE HEALTH AND SAFETY – IMPORTANT!!

As the McGregor Schools are the responsibility of the University of Southern Queensland all provisions of the Workplace Health and Safety Act and Regulations must be followed.

The Compliance Code for the Management of Hazardous Substances requires that

- A Register of all Hazardous Substances to be brought onto the Campus or used at the Winter School is to be completed by each Tutor before the commencement of the School and supplied to the McGregor Schools Office.
- A copy of each MSDS must be provided in each room or area that the hazardous substance is to be used
- All students must be informed of the MSDS before the Hazardous substance is used and students must be instructed to read the MSDS

Please enclose Material Safety Data Sheets for any hazardous substances you will be supplying for the class - e.g. dyes, paints, chemicals, etc

End (MATERIALS LIST AND DAILY ROUTINE)