

# Hand-Piecing Class



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## Class Description

This class will focus on hand-piecing techniques and tips for a great take-along project when you have to be away from your sewing machine.

## Project

The project will create an Octagon Star hand pieced block.

## Duration

Half day class

## Skills learned in class

- Preparing a travel case of hand-piecing essentials
- Fabric preparation and cutting using templates
- Marking for hand-piecing
- Techniques for joining pieces

## Supply list

- Hand sewing needle # 10 or #11 sharps
- Pin cushion
- 50 weight thread (light grey or matching fabric)
- Needle threader
- Extra thin pins (Karen Kay Buckley's smallest preferred)
- Octagon Star block template set (available at Red Hen Stitch Shop) or
  - 1 - 8 1/2 x 11" piece of acetate sheet of plastic
  - Fine point Sharpie or other permanent marker
  - Scissors for cutting plastic
- Pencil
- White or yellow Gelly Roll pen by Sukura
- Fabric scissors small and large
- Fabric
  - Four different fabrics one, fat quarter of each color
- Optional: thimble

