

Multiple Resists for Irresistible Hats & Bags; creative adventures in 3-D seamless Felt

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The 'Good Hair-Day' Hat; made in one piece using multiple resist techniques

Extend the concept of 3-D seamless felting and discover the potential of using multiple resists in handmade felt. Create unique bags and hats and learn about moulding techniques for lasting forms that can be displayed and worn in many ways (even inside out!). Incorporate 'up'-cycled knitwear and novelty fibres. The possibilities are endless, the results are striking. Expect to be surprised by what can be achieved.



Reversible Shoulder-bag, merino wool and pre-loved



The Sleeve Hat, incorporating knitwear segments



Reversible 'DillyBag', wool and knitwear segments

Ability: some felting experience will be expected

Length: minimum of two days

Requirements: a list of what to bring will be provided.

Students will bring most materials and fibres needed.

Materials fee: approx. \$5.00 per student, for additional materials provided (including class notes)

Maximum number of students: 12

Physical set-up: tables, chairs, access to running water



The Hat that thought it was a Beret