

GRAMPIANS TEXTURE

Monday 21 - Thursday 24 March 2022

9 am – 4 pm

The venue for your workshop will be advised in February 2022.

All workshops are held in Halls Gap. Morning tea and lunch are provided in your class-room.

Organic Forms in Felt

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Materials list

- Name tag
- Coffee mug
- Images or sketches of natural forms or textures to use as inspiration for your projects, keeping in mind these will be translated into 3D forms.
- 600g short fibre, strong wool tops or carded batts (not needed pre-felt). This should be 22micron – 30micron and can be Merino, Corriedale, Finn or blends of these. Various colours of your choice, though natural colours work best. Include some black and some white. Also include 100g of finer merino wool (approx. 19micron) in colours of your choice. Fibre Arts Shed (previously Feltfine) have a good range of Finn wool in natural colours as well as dyed Corriedale. Clare has offered to take orders for you to pick up at Halls Gap. You can place orders at <https://www.fibreartshed.com.au/collections/pam-hovels-workshops>
- A variety of open-weave fabric scraps such as tissue silk, paj silk, cotton gauze plus yarns and other fibres such as silk, soy, flax, wool neps etc or found objects to include as embellishments (all optional and only small quantities required). Be guided by your observations/inspiration.
- Tape measure
- Notebook & pen for taking notes.
- Several large sheets (approx A2) of paper and pencil and eraser to use in the initial design phase of your project.
- Marker pen
- Sharp scissors (large and small if you have them)
- Bubble wrap, two pieces 1m x 1m plus extra old bubble wrap to cut up and use as stuffing
- Pure liquid soap concentrate (e.g.grated olive oil soap dissolved in hot water) and sprinkling bottle (1 litre plastic milk bottle with very small holes drilled in the lid works well) or whatever works for you.
- Cake of pure soap
- One small piece of nylon netting approx .5m x 1m
- Any fulling tools you may have, a wooden spoon is very useful
- Two or three old towels
- Bucket & Rubber gloves