



The venue for your workshop will be advised in February 2024.

Workshops are held in Halls Gap and Pomonal.

Your workshop fee includes tea and coffee, morning tea and lunch provided in your classroom.

BOOKS AND BOXES

Tutor: Avril Mukula

Saturday 16 - Thursday 21 March 2024

9 am – 4 pm

Material list

- Name tag
- Coffee mug
- Cutting mat
- Metal ruler, or metal straight edge to cut against
- Cutting tools: scalpel, snap-off blade, stanley knife – whatever you like to use (plus replacement blades). A kitchen butter knife or boot knife. Scissors.
- Bonefolder
- Awl
- Notepad and pencil
- Glue brushes (eg 30mm flat brush or bookbinders glue brush for larger areas, 10mm brush for details, paste brush), plastic containers for glue, resting glue brush while using, for water, mixing paint or ink if using
- Waste paper for glueing out (butchers paper, old magazines)
- Chux, paper towels
- Baking paper
- Apron if you like to wear one. A hand towel is also useful.
- Needles (bookbinding needles or straw no.1 are good) and linen thread
- An offcut of foam core board or similar (useful when making sewing holes to absorb tip of awl)
- Adhesive: glue sticks, pH neutral acid-free PVA, double sided tape, masking tape (the blue one is good), paste. Plastic spoons or chopsticks are handy for mixing paste and PVA.
- Dividers are useful
- Weights and pressing boards if possible
- Anything you might like to use to make marks on paper eg drawing materials, collage materials, rubber stamps, inks, acrylic markers

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- Paper for book blocks. This can be almost any paper – plain paper for making blank books, artwork and prints to be folded into book pages, white paper, coloured paper, handmade paper etc. The paper can be suitable for drawing, painting or writing, whatever you choose as the intended use for the books you make.
- Paper for endpapers. Canson or other similar coloured paper is suitable.
- Paper or bookcloth for covering boxes. Large sheets of paper are good because they allow covering of a box in one piece.
- Fabric (eg eco-dyed, printed, woven – almost any cloth can be used) if you want to make bookcloth, plus vliesofix or heat'n'bond for backing the fabric
- Boxboard for making book covers and enclosures. 1.7 mm and 2.4 mm board are good all-round weights for both book covers and boxes. 1 mm and .6 mm are useful also.
- Ribbon

Materials fee: \$50 to be paid in cash on the first day of the workshop