

Equipment & Materials List

Twining: Slits, Edges, and Points Starts Thurs 16th April at 10am

Essential Materials

- Paper Yarn, 2 ply thick (2.5-3mm), minimum one colour, sold in 40m balls. NB. Should NOT have a wire core
- Paper Yarn, 2 ply thin (1.5-2mm), minimum two colours, minimum length required 100m, sold in a range of lengths 10m+. NB. Should NOT have a wire core.

Optional Materials

- Strings and twines: office string, garden twine, sisal string, hemp twine.
- 'Fancy yarns'; knitting/tapestry wool, cotton, threads etc. NB. Minimum thickness DK yarn.

Essential Equipment

- Scissors, for cutting string
- Scissors, for cutting finer threads
- Tapestry needle (size 16 is good)
- Plastic needle (with large eye)
- Small bulldog clips or clothes pegs (16)
- Masking tape
- 30cm ruler
- Tape measure
- Worksheets printed out

Optional Equipment

- Thimble
- Reading glasses
- Notebook
- Camera/phone for keeping a record
- Luggage labels
- Sketchbox. You may already have one from the previous Introduction to Twining course.

If your class is accompanied by a kit, please include details below: N/A

Suggested / Preferred Suppliers:

- Etsy CommunityCraftsUK has both thicknesses, listed as 'paper string'. There are other suppliers on Etsy, but this will give an idea of what is required.
- Fred Aldous Rico Paper String 20m ball, 1mm thickness. Pastel colours
- Creativ Company (UK) Ltd Paper Yarn 40m ball, 2.5-3mm thickness. Range of colours.



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- John James Needles sell tapestry needles, a selection would be good, and plastic needles.
- LindeHobby UK Twisted Paper Yarn 250m, 1mm thickness. Many, many colours!

Pre-Class Preparation

Class 4A

• Pre-cut 6 sets of 6x10cm warps in thick paper yarn or similar.

Class 4B

- Cut one set 8x15cm in thick paper yarn or similar for leaf.
- Start five petalled pod. Work at least one petal to within six wraps on each edge. (See recipe. Mary will talk more about this in Class 4A).