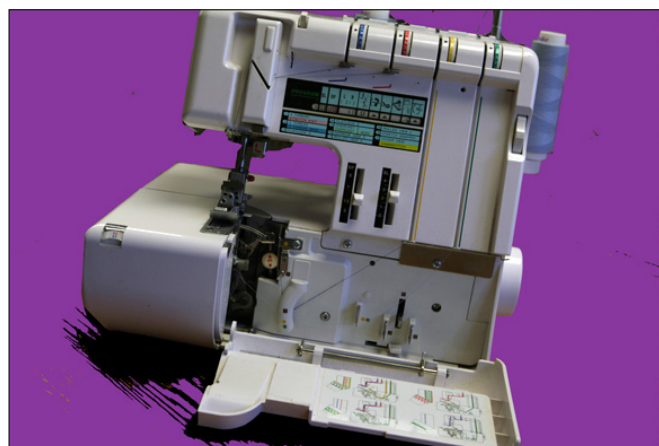




Break Your Serger Out of the Box

Class Outline--This class is for beginners and beyond

This is a workbook class. Instead of completing a project, you will be creating your own customized serger workbook. If you choose to order the optional kit it contains the worksheets and fabrics that you'll need for Lessons 5, 6 and 7. If you are not ordering the kit, please download the workbook pages on the class page. *(They will be posted a week before the first day of class.)* In addition to the workbook pages, please download the 7 Lessons that provide an overview of the serger, stitches, supplies and all the detailed instructions necessary to complete the workbook. *(They will be posted the first day of class.)*



- **Lesson 1 - Making Friends with Your Serger.** Overview of the parts and pieces. Learn how to clean and maintain your serger. Get threading tips and what to do if the thread breaks.
- **Lesson 2 - Overview of Threads and Needles.** Check out which threads and needles will give you the best results. Discover specialty threads that are designed to work in your serger.
- **Lesson 3 - Discover the magic of Differential Feed.** Learn how to use the dual feed dogs to get smooth seam on knits and pucker-free edges on lightweight fabrics.
- **Lesson 4 - Overview of the Basic Serger Stitches.** Learn when to use which stitch! Discover how to "read" the stitch so you can identify tension problems and fix them easily.
- **Lesson 5 - Tips for Working with Tricky Fabrics.** I'll show you how to get perfect results. Learn how to seam knits and lightweight fabrics as well as how to do a perfect rolled hem on sheer fabric.
- **Lesson 6 - How to Make Tricky Serger Situations a Snap.** You'll learn how to serge around curved edges like a pro and discover how easy it is to finish corners. Plus, learn a neat way to serge the raw edges of a hem.
- **Lesson 7 - Specialty Techniques.** Learn how to use your serger for more than finishing edges, Create lettuce edges on knits, decorative rolled edge hems and how to gather lightweight fabrics.