

Supply List for Digital Keepsake Tea Towel

BRING TO CLASS:

Please bring your laptop with you to class. You can use any kind of a computer (pc or Mac). Sorry, you can't do this class on an iPad or other tablet.

Make sure:

- your computer is in good working order
- you know the password (if it needs one to log on)
- you have your power cord or your battery has enough charge to get you through class

Think about bringing a mouse with you if your laptop only has a touchpad/trackpad. When working with graphics, a mouse sometimes makes it much easier.

Skills you need:

You should be able to locate an image (.jpg) file on your computer.

You should be able to save an image file to your computer and find it again to use it.

You should be able to get connected to wifi.

You should know basic computer commands like cut/copy and paste, open, save.

You **do not** need to have Photoshop for this class. If you have Photoshop, you are welcome to use it. I will be doing some demos using Photoshop, but for most of the activities in class, we will be using PicMonkey, which is a free online graphics editing program. You can go to www.picmonkey.com and take a look before class if you want to. You will need to have a web browser (Chrome, Firefox, Safari).

We will be scanning and working with a recipe card to make your tea towel. We will talk more about that at the first class, so you don't need to have it ready to go the first night, but feel free to bring it if you have an idea. If you don't have a recipe card, you can use any other paper that is approximately the same size and shape (3x5 inches). This could be a poem, a favorite quote, a signature, a note... Think about what you might want to use before you come to class, you will need to have it ready for the second class.

Also, if you want to get a jump start, there are a few files to download from my website. These are some repeating patterns that we are going to use in class and it will save a little time if you have a minute to download them to your computer ahead of time. (Don't worry if you can't figure this out, I will help you at class.)

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