

# what's on top? II

## Surface EMBELLISHING

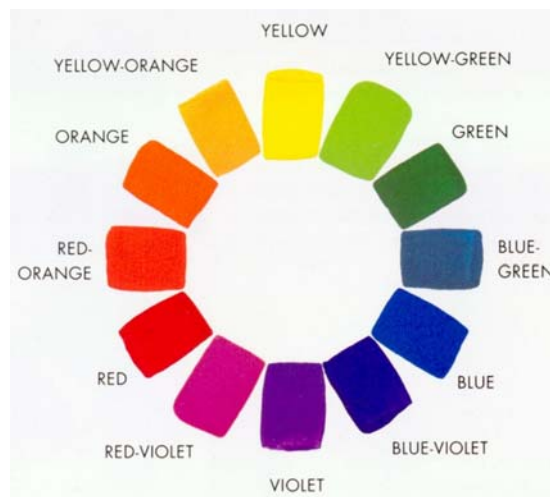
### CLASS DESCRIPTION:

Surface EMBELLISHMENTS! That's what. In this class we'll explore various ways to effect the surface of fabric. You'll learn eight different ways to embellish & change the surface of a fabric that may then be used to add drama, whimsy, character and sparkle to your quilts.

We'll be playing with materials that change the surface of existing fabrics and learn how to put our own personal 'stamp' on your quilts. You'll learn ways to dress up your quilts for show-and-tell, top to bottom and bottom to top, with imagination and embellishments!

### SUPPLIES:

- ❑ 10 pieces of 7"x12" white ready to dye fabric
- ❑ 2 - 2oz bottles of fabric paint complementary colors (opposite on the color wheel) I suggest Createx™ airbrush paint but other acrylic based fabric paint may be used as well <http://www.createxcolors.com/product/airbrushcolors/main.html>
- ❑ Several small foam brushes
- ❑ Containers for water and mixing paints
- ❑ Crayons of assorted colors (regular Crayolas or Rose Art crayons)
- ❑ 1/4 yard piece of medium weight fusible web (Heat n'Bond works very well)
- ❑ A few favorite rubber stamps (no words)
- ❑ 1 small bottle of Elmer's Gel glue (blue)
- ❑ Sewing and paper scissors
- ❑ Cutting board, ruler and rotary cutter, exacto knife
- ❑ An 11"x14" piece of glass or acrylic (from an old picture frame or back of old cutting mat)
- ❑ Pencil/Eraser
- ❑ Drawing paper
- ❑ Freezer Paper
- ❑ Ironing board & iron



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