

# Sew What: Spring Mug Rug

When: Thursday, April 6, 2017 at 6-8pm (doors open at 5:45pm)

Time to change those winter drink coasters to colorful spring ones! We'll be using a technique called "paper piecing," which is great for pictorial designs. You will sew on lines pre-printed on specialty paper we provide. Believe me, this technique is addicting! (Finished size is 4" square)

We will provide several pieces of spring fabrics. Bring some to share, if possible.

For beginners, ages 9- adult (for ages 9-12 please bring an adult helper)

### Attendees will provide-

- Your sewing machine & accompanying manual
- Spring fabrics in cotton (specific sizes in the table below)
- Thread (neutral like grey or beige is best)
- Scissors, pins, seam ripper, 6" or 12" ruler
- Hand sewing needle (everyone will need one)

### The library will provide-

- Foundation paper with pattern, lightweight batting
- Colored pencils for coloring design on paper
- Irons & ironing boards
- Mats, rotary cutters, rulers
- Extra thread
- Extra sewing machines

Questions? Contact Mary at 835-2326, or [mdavidson@oregonlibrary.org](mailto:mdavidson@oregonlibrary.org)

Happy sewing!

Location	Size to cut (in inches)
1	1 1/2 x 1 1/2
2, 3	2 x 2 (cut diagonally)
4	2 3/4 x 2 3/4 (cut diagonally)
5	3 1/2 x 3 1/2 (cut diagonally)
6	3 x 3
7,8	Cut 2 of 1 3/4 x 2 3/4
9,10	Cut 2 of 1 1/2 x 5 1/2
11,12	Cut 2 of 1 1/2 x 3 1/2

The design on the right is an example of the pattern- it's not drawn to scale ☺

