

Textile Center Supply List

Traditional Kimono Making

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Please bring the following with you to class:

- Materials fee of \$50 payable to the instructor on the first day of the workshop includes kimono-making needles, pins, silk and cotton thread, thimble, and *kakehari* table clamp.
- Fabric: Students have the option to purchase Japanese *tanmono* fabric from the instructor for an additional fee, \$100-\$300 in price depending on fabric selection. *Tanmono* fabric is the traditional choice for kimono-making and is 36-40 cm wide (with selvages on both sides) and 13 meters long. Instructor will communicate *tanmono* fabric options and pricing with students in advance of workshop. Alternatively, students who wish to bring their own fabric must bring cotton or linen plain weave fabric (no silk, no wool, no synthetics, no knits) in a continuous length measuring 6.6 meters in length and 90 cm wide width. Fabric that is 120 cm wide can also be used, in which case only 4.4 meters is needed.
- Scissors
- Needle threader (optional)
- Sewing machine in good working order to facilitate making the *obi* and parts of kimono (optional)