

Stir Crazy? Challenge #7

Rich Jewels

Rich Jewels by Michelle Mischkulnig - <https://chelletextiles.com.au/>



Craft a "jewel" from whatever textile items you can find. Bits of silk, velvet and ribbon can become a bright and sunny brooch on a winter coat, part of a grouping in a frame or an individual treasure for a friend

Remember to post your finished Rich Jewels on Facebook and Instagram using the tags [#stircrazy-vam](#) and [#vamrichjewels](#).

Visit <https://chelletextiles.com.au/about/> if you would like to learn more about Michelle.

INSTRUCTIONS

Visit <https://chelletextiles.com.au/brooch-small-art-work-a-group-rich-jewels/> for step by step instructions!

SUGGESTED MATERIALS

- Hand dyed silk velvet or similar for one jewel approx. 9 cm x 12 cm
- Hand dyed pre-felt or felt approx. size for one jewel 9 cm x 12 cm
- Fine fabric such as silk mesh or similar.
- Hand dyed linen buttons two sizes approx 2 cm and 1 cm
- Machine embroidery threads I use rayon but it is your choice
- Very small amount of fusible web approx 9 cm x 12 cm
- Very small amount of gold metallic foil
- Stencil of any design - it's just to add more texture, if you don't have one you could dab some paint over the surface of your embroidery
- Metallic fabric paint such as the brand Opulence
- Skeleton leaves
- Backing Fabric
- Kilt pins