



## Pretty Parterre

Ann-Marie Anderson-Mayes

**2 DAYS:** Wednesday 17 and Thursday 18

Level: All

Technique(s): Canvaswork

Sample size: 95x140mm.

Kit cost: \$30. *Optional thread packs:* 24 count, +\$40; 18 count: +\$45.

CLASS  
SPACES:  
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### ABOUT THE WORKSHOP

Pretty Parterre is a small canvaswork design combining a range of traditional and contemporary canvaswork stitches. The workshop includes options to work several different versions of the design, demonstrating the versatility of this technique for using the same stitch combinations to create a variety of geometric layouts. Students can choose to work on 24- or 18-count canvas. During the workshop students will learn all the stitches required to complete the project, as well as exploring a range of options for playing with the colours and layout of the design.

### ABOUT THE TUTOR

Based in Perth, WA, Ann-Marie is passionate about sharing her love of the myriad patterns that emerge from playing with geometry, colour, and canvas.

She has taught in Australia and internationally, both in person and online since 2012. She is convinced that she has the best job in the world!



## WORKSHOP NEEDS LIST

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#### Optional thread packs:

- **24 count, +\$40**

*Includes 6 skeins of hand-dyed  
6-strand silk plus one card of metallic.*

- **18 count: +\$45.**

*Includes 7 skeins of hand-dyed  
6-strand silk plus one card of metallic.*

NB: Students are most welcome to provide their own threads if they prefer.

The base kit includes:

- Full colour printed instructions and charts.
- A piece of Congress cloth (24-count canvas) measuring at least 25x30cm or a piece of 18-count canvas measuring at least 30x35cm.



Participants should bring:

- Either 11x11" Q-snaps or 10x12" stretcher bars for 24-count -or- 12x14" stretcher bars for 18-count
- #24 tapestry needles for 24-count -or- #22 tapestry needles for 18-count.
- Your own threads (if not purchasing the optional thread pack).

Your standard sewing kit including:

- Small, sharp embroidery scissors
- A pen or pencil
- Optional laying tool
- Magnifying assistance and/or light if needed.

