

## **Dyeing to Create Workshop**

This workshop will focus on dyeing fabric to create fabulous colors. We will experiment with both Full and Low Immersion Dyeing Techniques, Graduated Effects, Parfait Dyeing and Marbling of fabric. We will also continue with some stenciling and stamping to create one of a kind prints on fabric. This class is geared for both beginners and advanced students. Enjoy creating your own deliciously unique cloth!

Kit fee per student \_\_\_\_\_\$35\_\_\_\_\_ which will include soda ash solution, salt solution, dyes for immersion and parfait dyeing, shaving cream for marbling fabric, buckets, sponge brushes, stencils, paper towels and cleaning solutions\_\_\_\_\_

### **The list of supplies needed are as follows:**

Required\_\_5-8 yds of muslin or white cotton (prewashed, no fabric softener), 4-5 fat quarters of light colored cotton fabric, may have print designs (prewashed, no fabric softener), plastic drop cloth to cover table, plastic gloves, approximately 5-10 of 1 or 2 gallon size bags for batching dyed fabric, 5 large plastic bags for wrapping dyed fabric, 2-3 medium sized plastic containers (can use recycled ice cream, cottage cheese or potato salad containers, should be about 4-5 inches in diameter and about 3-5 inches high), pair of scissors, some sort of receptacle for transporting all dyed fabric home safely. \_

**Optional:** If you would like to experiment with stencils or stamps, please bring them to class with you. I will have some to share with students but if you would like to bring your own, please feel free to do so. Also, if you would like to experiment with dyeing lace, cheesecloth or trims (must be 100% cotton), please bring them to class! Should be lots of fun!