



Mechanical Spine Binding

Materials needed to participate in the online workshop led by

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MATERIALS

- At least 6 sections of book weight paper of 3-4 folios each (if you have questions about how to make your sections, do not prepare them until you take the class)
- A piece of cardstock taller than your sections and at least 1 inch width
- Two pieces of a heavyweight paper for the cover, taller than your sections by at least 2 inch and 2 times the width plus at least 1 inch
- A piece of a heavyweight paper, different from the cover, taller than your sections and at least 5 inch width
- Linen thread 25/3 or 30/3 weight
- A piece of Japanese paper or another soft paper taller than your sections and at least 1 inch width

TOOLS

- Scissors
- x-acto knife
- ruler
- 1 curved needle
- beeswax
- Awl
- bone or teflon folder
- Punching cradle, *optional*