

HISTORIC WEAVES

Early American Household Textiles

Come learn how to weave textiles that were in common household use during the 18th and 19th centuries. Students will weave a number of samples, depending on class size, of different fabrics. These can include cotton toweling, linsey-woolsey, wool blanketing and overshot. In this three day workshop we will weave on pre-warped looms in round robin style.

EXPERIENCE LEVEL: This class is for anyone who can warp a loom independently and follow weaving instructions.

CLASS SIZE: Class size is limited to 18.

EQUIPMENT:

Each student will need:

- A 4-shaft, pre-warped loom.
- The appropriate number of shuttles for the weave structure the student warps.
- Scissors.
- Tape measure.
- Paper for note taking.
- Pencil or pen.
- Bobbin winder.

YARNS: Each student will bring yarn assigned to the sample on their loom.

WARPING INSTRUCTIONS: Warping instructions will be sent according to the sample each student will warp.