

Class schedule for New Vision of Felted Footwear with Leather

Day 1. Measurements & template

- Taking measurements
- Constructing template including wool shrinkage, making felted samples for shrinkage calculation to determine the thickness of the felt for boots in the making
- Making a sketch
- Prepare layout on a resist
- Using counteracting resist
- Wet the layout and start to felt on the resist by rolling.

Day 2. Working with leather

- working on the boots shape, use the shoe lasts to shape the ankle boots.
- Correct all possible mistakes
- discuss of the leather decoration on the boots
- make templates for the leather.

Day 3. Heels & inner soles

- making a heel box;
- installation of the inner soles;
- adding leather.

Day 4. Soles & accessories

- preparing the boots to put on the soles;
- attaching soles to the shoe;
- adding eyelets, zipper, or elastic.

Day 5. Final touch

- stitching leather
- stitching soles.