

# Intro to Natural Dyes with Erina Schultz

## Workshop Supply List

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### Tools & Materials:

- Suggested Kitchen dyes : Red or Yellow Onion Skins, Avocado Pits and/or Skins, Turmeric  
- local grocery store or kitchen
- Suggested Botanical Dyes: Marigold, GoldenRod, Madder, Cutch  
<https://maiwa.com/collections/natural-dyes>  
<https://botanicalcolors.com/product-category/specialty-raw-dyes/>
- Fabric (½ a yard or less) 100% cotton or 100% linen  
[https://www.dharmatrading.com/fabric/cotton/mercerized-cotton-print-cloth-45-inch.html?lnav=fabric\\_cotton.html](https://www.dharmatrading.com/fabric/cotton/mercerized-cotton-print-cloth-45-inch.html?lnav=fabric_cotton.html)  
- Or your local fabric store
- Aluminum Acetate  
<https://maiwa.com/collections/additives/products/alum-acetate-250-g-88-oz>  
<https://botanicalcolors.com/shop/mordants/aluminum-acetate/>
- Ferrous Sulfate  
<https://maiwa.com/collections/all-mordants/products/ferrous-sulfate-100-g-36-oz>
- Sink and work surface
- Burners 1 or 3 depending on number of pots
- Measuring spoons or spoons for scooping dye material, not one you use for cooking
- A few containers to hold alum and dye materials
- Scale, we will be measuring in grams
- Iron
- Mesh Strainer
- 1 - 3 Stainless steel Dye pot, not one you use for cooking
- 1 - 3 Mixing spoon, not one you use for cooking
- Synthrapol or Ph neutral soap (16oz)  
<https://www.dharmatrading.com/chemicals/synthrapol-detergent.html>
- Towels or rags
- 5 Gallon bucket or large container for hand washing fiber
- Clothing line or somewhere to dry your fabric