



Making Needle-Felted Animals

Over 20 wild, domestic and imaginary creatures

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Description

This book is an essential guide for anyone interested in the popular craft of needle felting. Whether you are completely new to needle felting or an experienced felter, this book has something to offer, from precise instructions to creative inspiration. Written by two authors, experienced in making and teaching crafts to students of all ages and abilities, instructions are easy to follow and include practical yet creative ideas to fix common mistakes. Projects arise from a genuine love of the natural world and animals, whether they be family pets ('Our Friend Dexter') or wild animals. Requiring no experience other than an interest in working and playing with wool, projects progressively build on skills throughout, and will transform you into an avid needle felter in no time at all.

About the Author

Handcrafting has been a part of Steffi's life as long as she can remember, having grown up in Germany. After having a family, Steffi opened a craft shop in Gloucestershire and began to get more and more interested in needle felting – a way of sculpting with wool. She appears on Hochanda as their resident needle felting expert and co-owns The Makerss, an online needle felting specialist shop, with her business partner Sophie Buckley.

Sophie is primarily a crochet and needle-felt artist working in the UK's Cotswolds area. She was brought up creating and went on to study contemporary crafts at Falmouth University College where she began specializing in textiles. She is an experienced workshop leader and has worked with adults of all abilities.