

## Fabric Dyeing for Flowers and Leaves

## **Student Supply List:**

- 1. \$8.00 per yard fee for PFD fabric. Bring enough for at least 3 yards.
- 2. Clothing and shoes suitable for staining
- 3. Plastic cups and plastic spoons, one for each color.
- 4. Buckets for taking the dyed fabric home to wash.
- 5. Sharpie pen for labeling bags.
- 6. Gallon sized Ziploc bags, one for each fabric piece.
- 7. Spray bottle
- 8. Rubber gloves
- 9. Face mask (dust mask okay unless you are sensitive to allergens. Better masks can be found at Dharma Trading Company or your local hardware store.)
- 10. \*Synthrapol® or other good detergent for wash-out at home.
- 11. Sunscreen if class is in sunshine.
- 12. Snacks

You will learn 3 methods using Soda Ash and salt to set the dye. These techniques will make fabric suitable for leaves, flower petals and backgrounds. If we have time and interest I will show how to make Ombre fabric.

I will bring superior quality PFD fabric and the dyes and chemicals as well as drop cloths for the tables.

\*Source for Synthrapol®:

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