



CRAFT IN AMERICA

GEE'S BEND & THE ORIOLE MILL: TIME & TEXTILES EDUCATION GUIDE

Resources and Materials for Teaching

Resources:

- Local experts: If needed, search for local experts in the areas of needlework students will be exploring. Fiber artists will likely be found among students, school staff, or members of the community. Look for individuals knowledgeable about quilting, weaving, sewing, and knitting.
- Gather related instruction books, and make YouTube demonstration videos accessible. There are online tutorials available for each of these crafts.
- There is a selection of Gee's Bend quilts at this Auburn University website:
auburn.edu/academic/other/geesbend/explore/catalog/slideshow
- Auburn also has a brief history of Gee's Bend:
auburn.edu/academic/other/geesbend/explore/history.htm
- The Oriole Mill website with more about their products, history, and processes:
theoriolemill.com