



The Magnificent Stitch

EGA Seminar 2021

Frequently Asked Questions

- ***When will we know whether the in-person seminar in Chicago will be transformed into a virtual seminar?***

It is our hope that we will be able to successfully host an in-person seminar in Chicago as planned. There are positive indications that things are improving, however there are many variables which none of us can predict. We hope we will be able to make this determination by May 31, 2021, but we ask for your patience as we monitor developments closely. Of course, the safety of our attendees will always be of paramount importance.

- ***If we are able to attend an in-person seminar, will masks be required? Social distancing?***

If the seminar is held in-person as originally planned, EGA will follow all state and local mandates.

- ***How will registrants be notified if in-person seminar must be cancelled?***

Should it become impossible to host an in-person seminar, all registrants will be notified by email or letter (depending on communication preference).

- ***What will happen to registrants if the seminar becomes virtual only?***

Each registrant will be given the option to either continue with their registration in our virtual seminar event or to decline participation in our virtual seminar.

- ***How does the Cancellation Policy apply if in-person seminar becomes a virtual seminar?***

This final section of the EGA Seminar Cancellation Policy will apply:

(3) In the event EGA cancels national seminar, the registrants will receive a refund of the registration fee, which may include the non-refundable deposit based on a decision of the board of directors.

- ***Will I keep my class assignments if the in-person seminar becomes a virtual seminar?***

Yes, if you choose to continue with your registration, your class assignments will remain the same.

- ***Will the cost of virtual seminar be the same as in-person seminar?***

Obviously, some events apply only to an in-person event, such as banquets. For those events, a full refund will be given. The class registration fees will be adjusted for the virtual seminar, and a flat fee will apply to each kit, to cover shipping costs. The difference between in-person and virtual seminar fees will be refunded to each registrant.

- ***How would a virtual seminar work?***

EGA defines a virtual class as a class given in a non-face to face classroom with written instructions, online technique/stitch demonstration videos, and real-time interaction with Teacher via Zoom or another online meeting platform.