

Local Resources for the Beginning Spinner
Just a few starting points for Skagit area spinners...

Spinning Classes

Lindsey Spoor, Stilly River Yarns, Stanwood - stillyriveryarns.com

NW Yarns, Bellingham - nwyarns.com/pages/classes

Barbara Seeler, Snohomish - bjseeler@aol.com

Sheila Pritchett, Anacortes - sheila@fidalgofibers.com

Fiber

Stilly River Yarns, Stanwood - stillyriveryarns.com

NW Yarns, Bellingham - nwyarns.com

Fidalgo Artisan Yarn Company, Anacortes - fidalgoyarns.com

South Fork Alpaca Farm, Mount Vernon - alpacasofsouthforkfarms.com

PinchKnitter Yarns, Stanwood – pinchknitter.com

Books

"Start Spinning: Everything You Need to Know to Make Great Yarn" by Maggie Casey

"How to Spin: From Choosing a Spinning Wheel to Making Yarn" by Beth Smith

"The Intentional Spinner" by Judith MacKenzie McCuin

"Teach Yourself Visually Handspinning" by Judith MacKenzie McCuin

See your public library for more books and DVDs on spinning.

Websites

SpinningDaily.com/ – free Spinning Tutorials and Resources. Requires registering for a free account, but you can opt out of the daily emails.

Ravelry.com has groups for [Beginning Spinners](#), most wheels, and tons of related topics.

Videos – search YouTube for spinning and related topics (dyeing, spinning tools, etc.)

Spinning Groups & Guilds – newsletters have lots of information about local fiber festivals and regional spinning events

Northwest Regional Spinners Association - <https://www.nwrsa.net/>

Spindrifters - Spinner Guild for Whatcom, Skagit & Island Counties - spindrifters1@hotmail.com

Skagit Spinners - skagitvalleyweaversguild.org/spinning.html – three spinning sessions a month

Weaving

Association of Northwest Weavers' Guilds - northwestweavers.org

Skagit Valley Weavers' Guild - skagitvalleyweaversguild.org

Liz Moncrief teaches weaving classes in Anacortes and Mount Vernon

aweaversway.com/workshops

If you have additions or corrections for this list, please email
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