

Veberod Gem Gallery

Keum Bo Earrings

Want to learn a fairly simple way to accent your silver pieces with high karat gold? Come join us in class!! We will be preparing sterling silver and applying the gold in class, and learning how to work with the pieces when the Keum Bo process is complete. We will also *talk* about using Keum Bo on fine silver pieces including Precious Metal Clay, but will not actually be doing this in class. You should easily be able to complete a simple pair of earrings or a pendant in class.

Please plan to provide all your own consumables, including torch fuel. You will be able to purchase anything you need at Veberod Gem Gallery during class. Being able to see clearly is essential to your success, so bring any portable lighting and magnification you are accustomed to using (cheaters, OptiVisor, Telesight).

Prerequisite: Silversmithing 3

Supplies Required

Sterling silver sheet, 24 or 22ga
22 or 24k gold keum bo foil
Torch Fuel
Earwires
Rolling mill pattern (optional)

Tools used

Jeweler's saw
Saw blades
Annealing torch (butane will work)
Soldering surface
Clean, fine tweezers
Small paper punches (optional)
Sharp, fine scissors
Agate burnisher
Old T-shirt for rag
File
Magnification
Portable Ott Light



Notes on tools/supplies

This list is designed to help you determine what to bring from home. Not everything is required, and we **STRONGLY** recommend not buying anything before class if you don't already have it. Many times there are factors that will determine your best choice and we will discuss all this at class. Bring what you have, and don't stress about what you don't.

We prefer not to offer kits for our classes. We try to encourage students to pick equipment and supplies (stones, beads etc.) based on their individual creativity. Often there are several options available and you may have some items already.

Please **mark** tools from home so they are identifiable as your own. If you have any questions regarding the cost of tools, supplies or anything else about the class, please contact us at 952.595.8338.