



## What is WIPGO?

WIPGO is **Work in Progress Bingo**. It is a fun way of getting yourself to work on the projects you wish to make progress on during our 2024-2025 fiscal year (May 1, 2024 to April 30, 2025). This fun way of choosing which projects to work on was shared with us by the Embroidery Association of Canada, Virtual Threads Chapter.

## How it Works

You are provided with a blank WIPGO Card. First you assign numbers to your squares randomly using 1 to 24, leaving the middle square blank – FREE ! In the squares, you write in tasks/projects you want to work on during our 2024-2025 fiscal year.

At each General Meeting, you'll be given numbers of two squares to be worked on during the following month. If you complete your tasks, either in that month or during the year, you color in your square. The July, August, and January numbers will be emailed to you on the first of those months.

## Thoughts and suggestions for filling out your squares.

It is important to make your monthly tasks measurable; for example, working two hours this month on a UFO, or stitching for one hour each day this month. Don't make your tasks too big each month or you are more likely to get discouraged – The tasks should be doable.

Here are some suggestions for inclusion in your squares:

1. Stitch each day for X amount of time
2. Work on a specific UFO for X number of hours each day or week
3. Work on a specific WIP for X number of hours each day or week
4. Read one of your needlework books
5. Fully finish x number of Projects (already stitched, but needing the "finishing touch.")
6. Play with stitches
7. Explore a new technique
8. Spend X hours organizing your stash
9. Start a new project
10. Allow yourself X number of hours of play time
11. You can repeat a square as many times as you wish
12. Include something you find difficult to do (Perhaps stitching during the day, or straightening up your "work area.")

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