



MARCH 2023: Bunny Silhouette Mug Rug

Kimberbell Society



Hoop Size: 8x12

Kit Includes:

- **Fabric:**
 - Fat 1/8: OPPOSITES ATTRACT: Houndstooth-White On White
 - 1/3 Yard: [Ariel: Ariel Embellishment Blush](#)
 - Fat 1/8 : [Tula Pink True Colors: Hexy in Peach Blossom](#)
 - Fat 1/8 : [Palette: Pink](#)
 - 3x5: Embroidery Leather French Pink
- **Stabilizer:** Project Batting, Wash-Away Topping, Medium Cut-Away Stabilizer, Fusible Backing

Recommended thread colors:

- [Isacord White](#) [0015]
- [Isacord Petal Pink](#) [2250]
- [Isacord Garden Rose](#) [2520]
- [Isacord Shrimp](#) [1362]



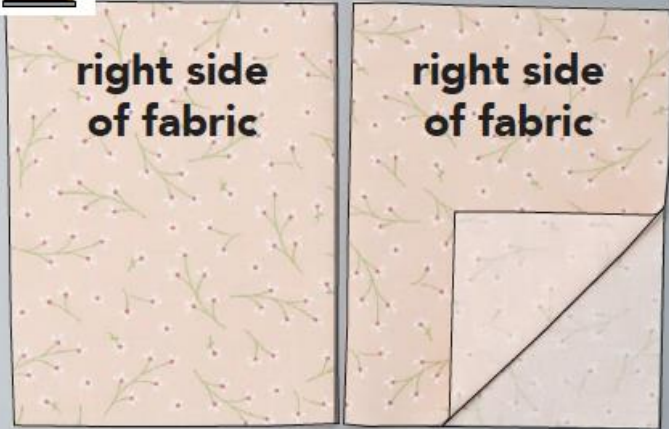
OTHER SUPPLIES NEEDED

- [Steam Iron](#)
- USB Stich to transfer designs
- NEED INSTRUCTION? [WATCH HERE](#)
- Multiple Spool rack to keep threads tidy
- [Point turner](#)
- [Expert Tape](#)



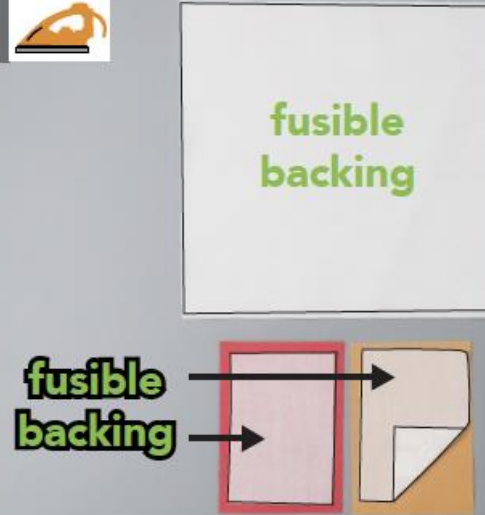
Bunny Silhouette Mug Rug

1.



- Fold **(2)** Back Fabric pieces in half **widthwise, wrong sides together**, and press well.

2.



- Iron **Fusible Backing** to the **wrong side** of the Background 1, Bunny 1, and Bunny 3 Fabrics.

3.



- Load the embroidery file into the machine.



EMBROIDERY MACHINE SET-UP

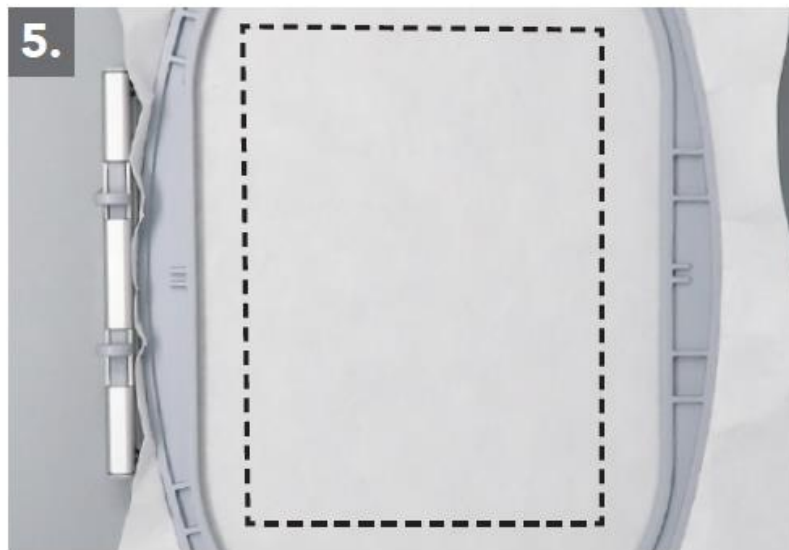


- We used a BERNINA 880 PLUS machine with a (Maxi Hoop) maximum hoop size of ~8" x 15"
- There are 2 "Mug Rug" hoop options, if you are using the BERNINA Large Hoop, you can use the small design only
- The Large Mug Rug design is a wee bit too large for the Maxi Hoop so we reduced the file by 2%
 - On a BERNINA 880 with the Jumbo Hoop there is no need to reduce your file.
- This design is a one hoop project
- Load OESD Bobbinfil in the bobbin
- Follow Kimberbell and our [Video Instructions](#) for thread sequencing

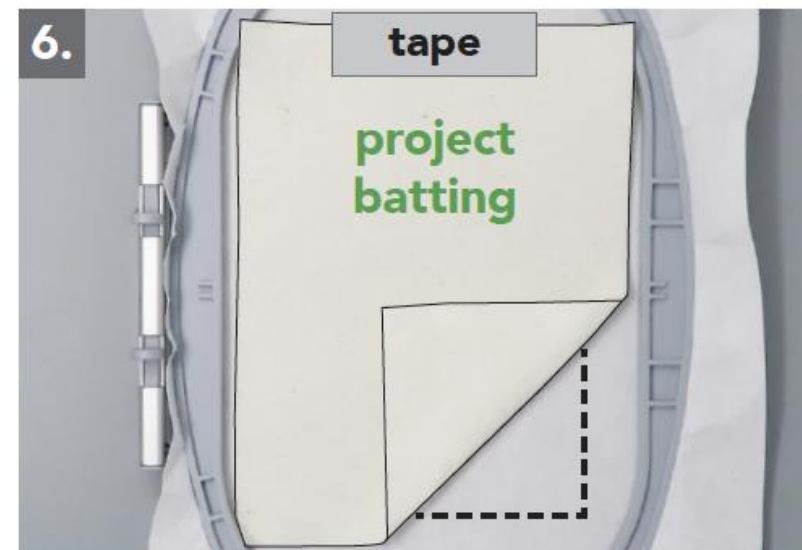
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- Hoop the **Medium Cut-Away Stabilizer**.



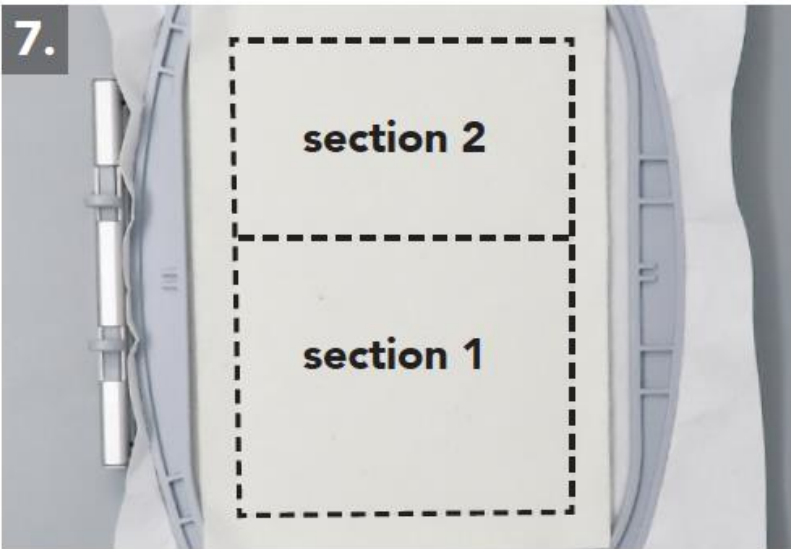
- Stitch the Batting Placement Line directly onto the stabilizer.




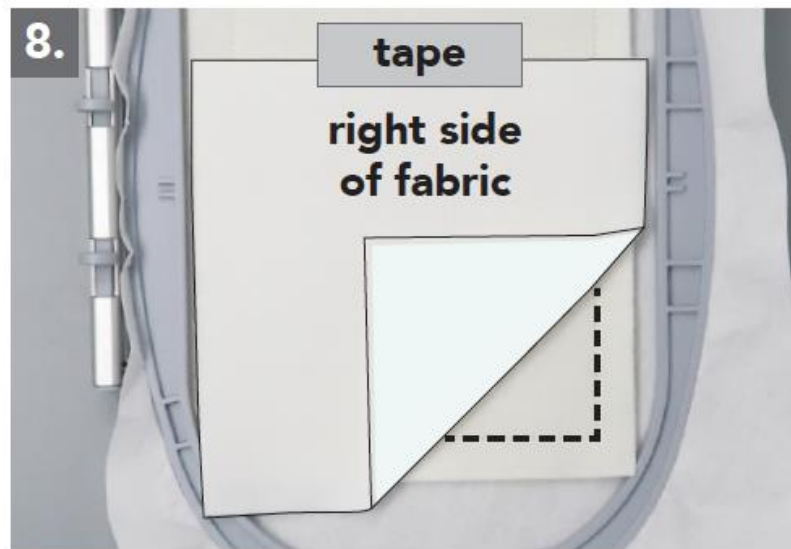
- Place the **Project Batting**.

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-  **2** Stitch the Mug Rug Template. **Do not trim the batting at this time.**



- Place the Background 1 Fabric **right side up**, completely covering section 1.



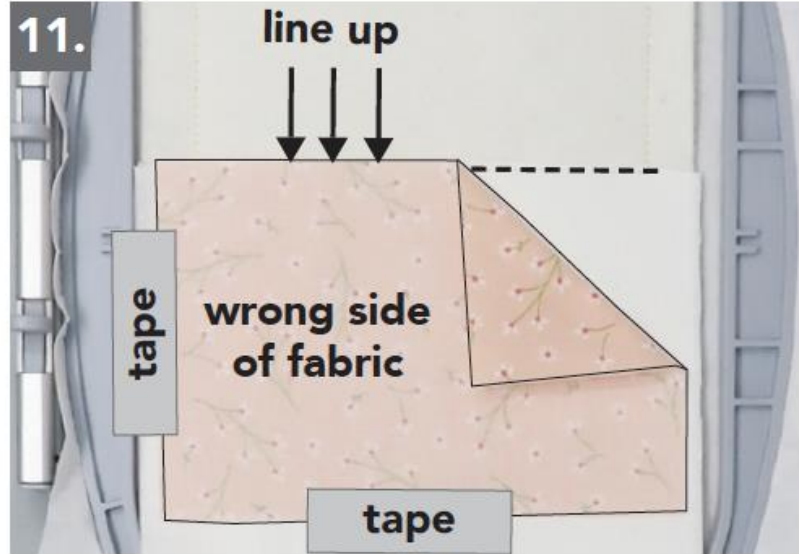
-  **3** Stitch the Trimming/Placement Line.

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DIRECTIONS FOR SMALL DESIGN FILE





- Trim the fabric close to the stitch line.



- Place the Background 2 Fabric **right side down**, with one long edge centered along the stitch line.



-  Stitch the Seam.
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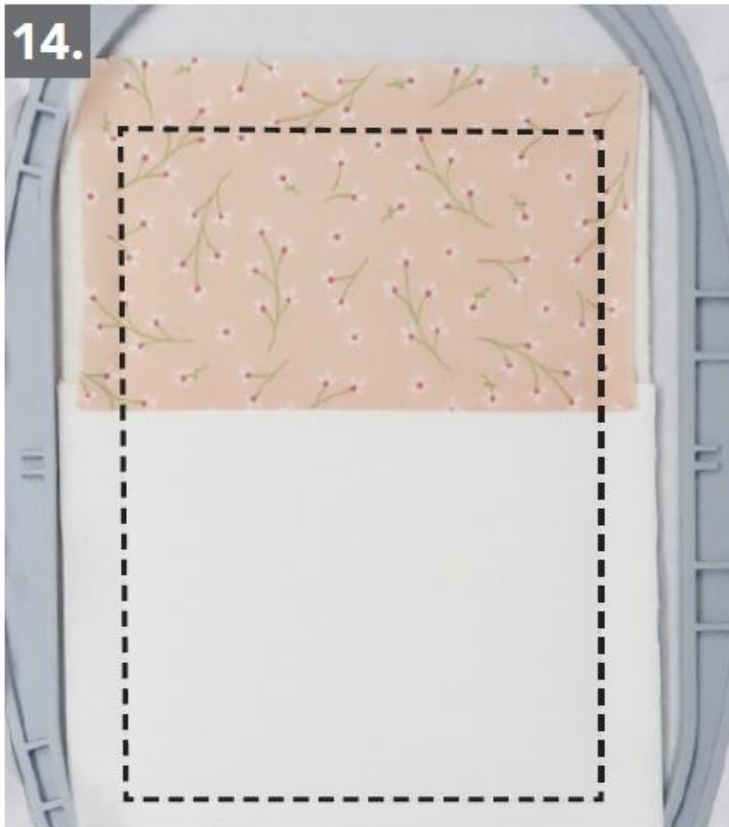
side up and press the seam.

- **Tip:** Use a mini iron or finger press along the seam line. If you are using an iron, remove the hoop from the machine and press on an ironing board.

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Stitch the
Background Tack-
down Line.

DIRECTIONS FOR SMALL DESIGN FILE

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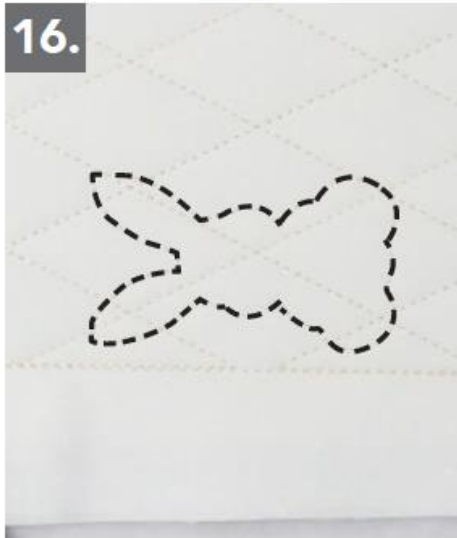


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Stitch the Quilting Lines.



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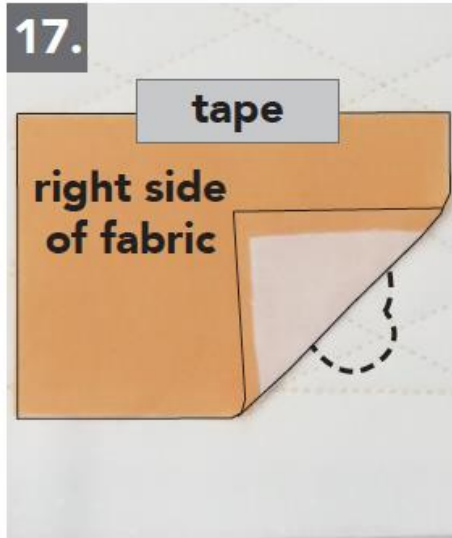
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Stitch the Bunny 1 Placement



Line.

17.



- Place the Bunny 1 Fabric **right side up**.

18.



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Stitch the Bunny 1 Tack-down



Line.

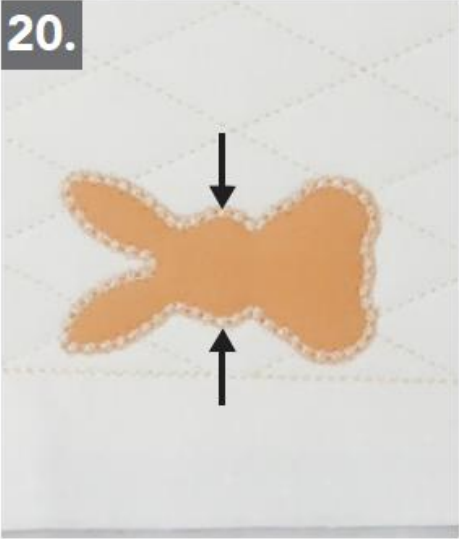
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- Trim the fabric close to the stitch line.



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-  **9** Stitch the Bunny
1 Decorative
• Outline.



-  **10** Stitch the Bunny
2 Placement
 Line.





- Place the Bunny
2 Leather **right side up.**



- Place **Wash-Away Topping**, completely covering the leather.



-  **11** Stitch the Bunny
2 Tack-down
 Line.

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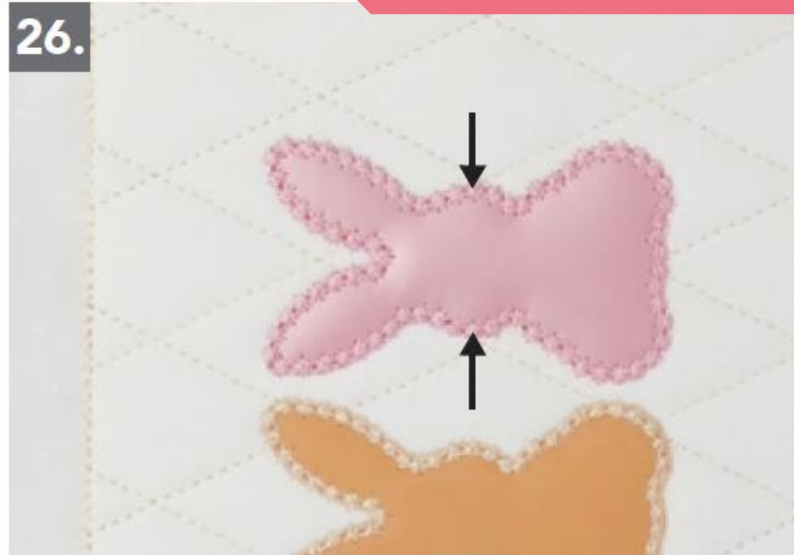
DIRECTIONS FOR SMALL DESIGN FILE

25.



- Trim the leather and topping close to the stitch line. **Do not remove the remaining topping over the bunny at this time.**

26.



Stitch the Bunny 2 Decorative Outline.

27.



Stitch the Bunny 3 Placement Line.


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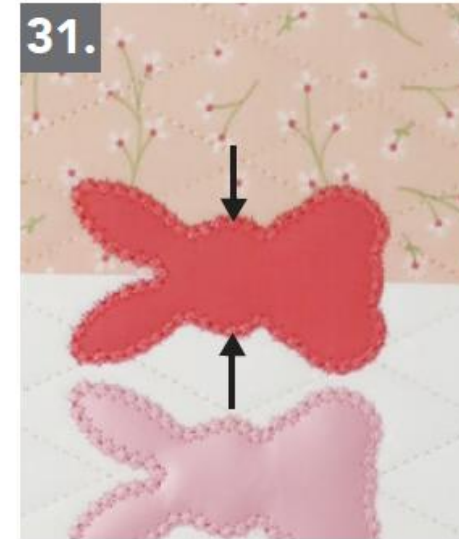
- Place the Bunny 3 Fabric **right side up**.




-  Stitch the Bunny 3 Tack-down Line.




- Trim the fabric close to the stitch line.



-  Stitch the Bunny 3 Decorative Outline.




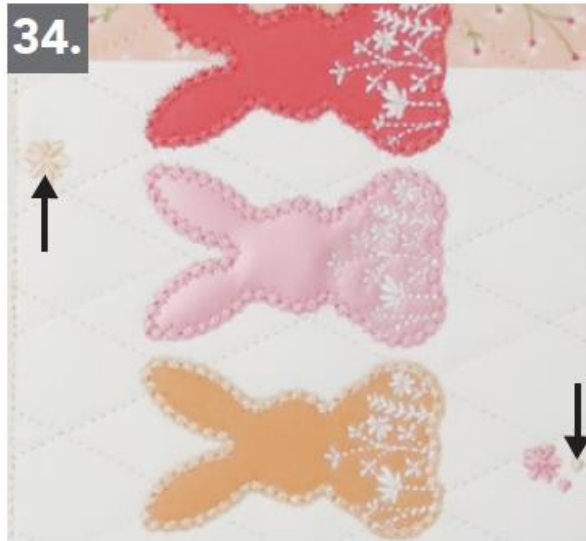
-  Stitch the Bunny 3 Detail.


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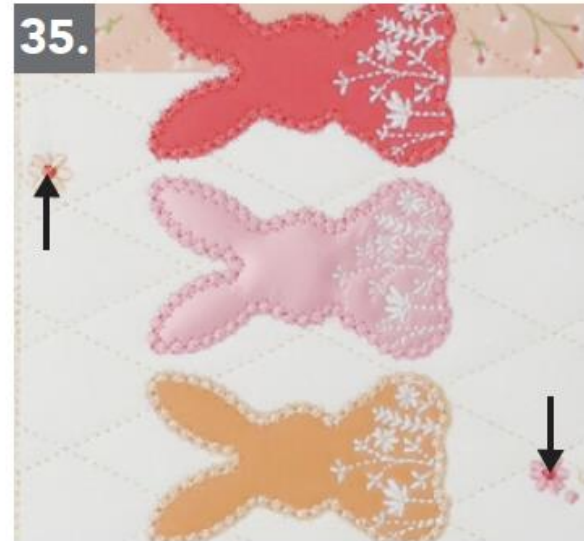
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 **17** Stitch the Petals and Dot 1 Detail.




 **18** Stitch the Petals and Dot 2 Detail.



 **19** Stitch the Flower Centers Detail.

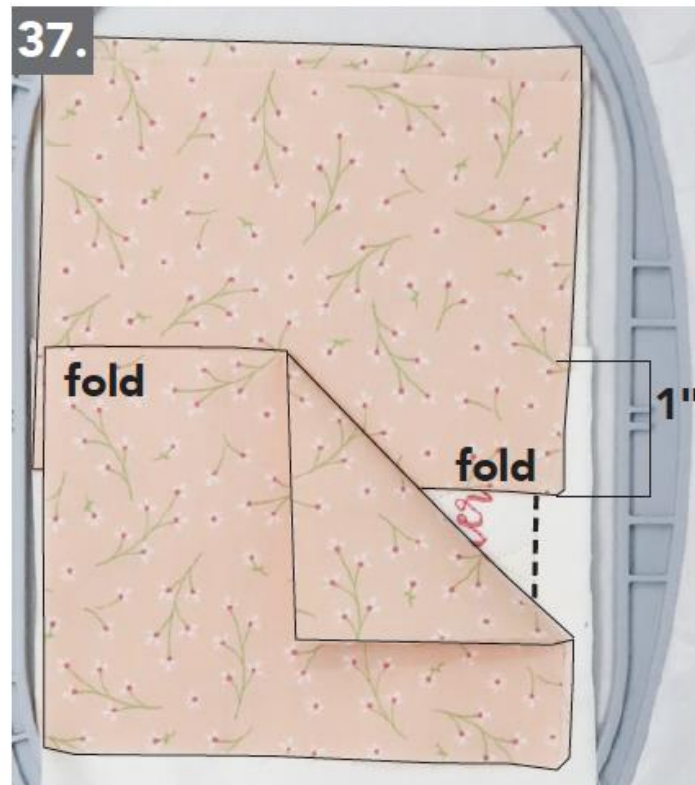


 **20** Stitch "Happy Easter".

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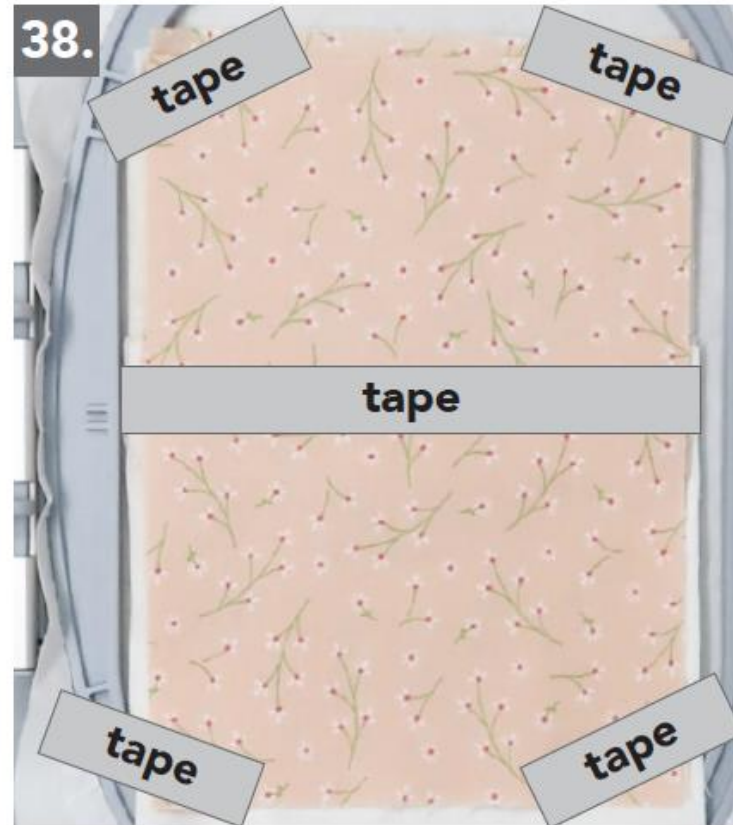
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- Place **(2)** Back Fabric pieces **on top** of the project, with folded edges toward the center, and overlapping about 1". Be sure the entire box previously sewn is covered.

DIRECTIONS FOR SMALL DESIGN FILE

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- Place tape over the entire exposed fold to prevent the machine foot from catching on the fabric.
- Tape the corners in place.

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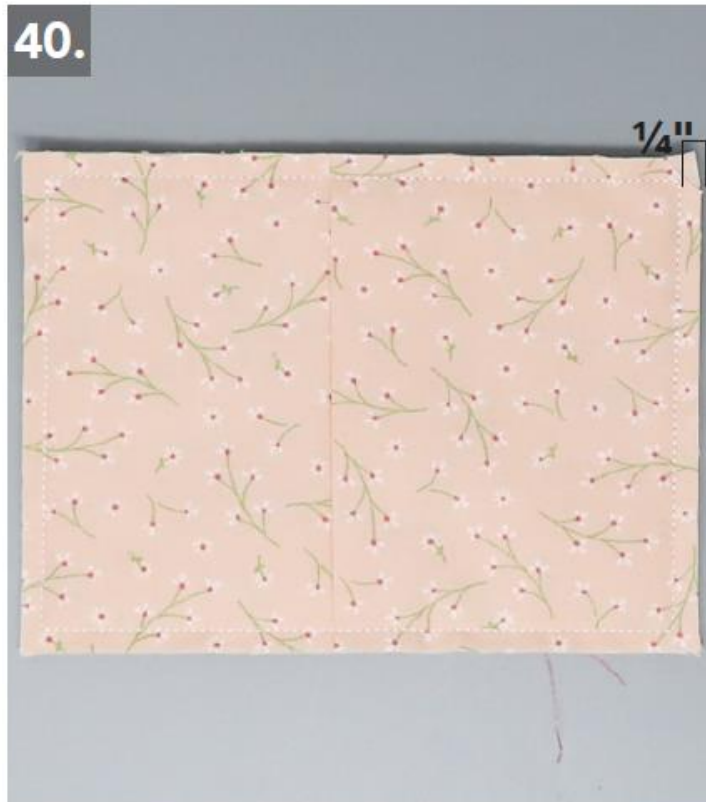


Stitch the Final
Outline.

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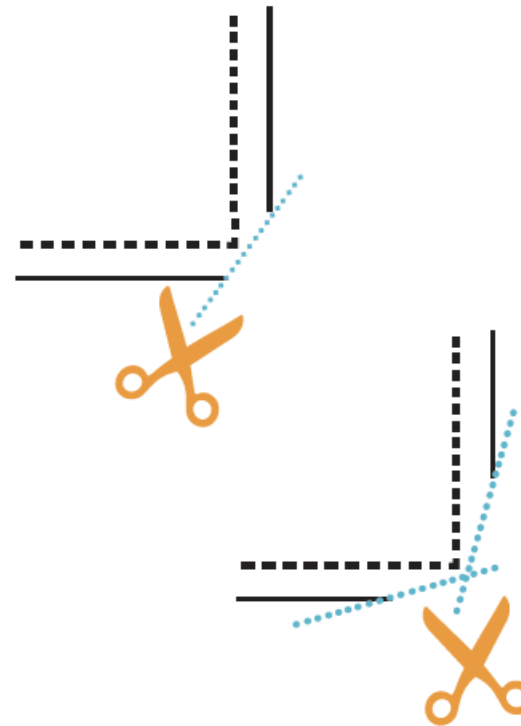


- Remove the project from the hoop.
- Remove all tape.
- Trim all layers, leaving a 1/4" seam allowance.

DIRECTIONS FOR SMALL DESIGN FILE

SAME INSTRUCTIONS for Larger File

41.



- Clip corners to reduce bulk.
- Trim across the corner seam allowance, being careful not to cut through the stitches.
- Trim again at a slight angle, from the corner up the seam allowance, about 1" on each side to reduce bulk.

DIRECTIONS FOR SMALL DESIGN FILE

SAME INSTRUCTIONS for Larger File

42.



- Turn the project **right side out**. Poke the corners with a blunt tip to square.
- Tear away any excess topping. Remove any remaining topping with a wet cotton swab or cotton ball.
- Using a pressing cloth, press well.

ADDITIONAL HELPFUL LINKS

Embroidery Instruction

- [Embroidery Sampler Too](#)
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- [Embroidery Machine How tos](#)
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 - [Quilting in the Hoop](#)
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