

## BUTTERFLY WALL DECOR



Decide how many butterflies you wish to create. We created 8 large butterflies and 8 small butterflies (this meant that we created 8 large butterflies and 16 small butterflies).

Select which fabrics you would like to use we suggest mixing and matching different prints and colors for the best effect!

Adhere the fusible to the reverse side of the fabrics according to the manufacturer's instructions.

Use the templates to trace and cut the butterflies from the fabric. In the same manner, cut out an equal number of butterflies from the cardstock.

## **PROJECT SUPPLIES:**

- (1) 42-count package of 10" print squares or leftover fabric scraps in a variety of colors/prints
- Heat 'N Bond Ultrahold
- Missouri Star Nesting Butterfly Templates
- Cardstock
- Elmer's or fabric glue
- Stem wire

Use Elmer's or fabric glue to adhere the fabric templates to cardstock.

Gently fold 8 of your smaller butterflies at the center and then use your glue to attach the smaller butterflies to the larger butterflies along that center line.

**Optional:** Cut 18" of stem wire. Wrap the wire around the body at the center line, and then twist together to form antennae. If desired, add a dab of glue between the wire and the back of butterflies for stability.

Once the glue has dried, arrange butterflies in desired formation and secure to the wall using pushpins, adhesive putty or duct tape (if not adhering to a surface that has paint on it).

## additional resources

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