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COATS & CLARK **OH JOY APRON** Designed by Linda Turner Griepentrog



MATERIALS

Coats & Clark[™] Dual Duty XP[®] All-purpose Thread

1 yd (1m) black and red check 1/4 yd (23cm) white-on-white print 2 packages extra-wide double-fold bias tape Paper-backed fusible web Pattern tracing cloth or pattern paper



Featuring Coats & Clark[™] Dual Duty XP[®] All-purpose Thread

Whether you're baking holiday goodies indoors or deep-frying a turkey outdoors, this festive apron keeps your clothes free of spills in style.

MEASUREMENTS

24" x 33" (61cm x 84cm)

PREPARATION

- 1. Make the apron pattern following the illustration.
- 2. Cut out the pattern.

CUTTING

From the black and red check, 3. Bind the upper bib edge and cut: (1) apron

ASSEMBLING THE APRON

- 1. Press under a double ¹/₄" (.5cm) hem on each straight side of the apron. On the lower edge, press under ¹/₄" (.5cm), then another ³/₄" (2cm) to form the hem.
- 2. Stitch both the edges and lower hem in place.
- trim bias tape ends to match the armhole curves.
- 4. Mark 30" (76cm) from one end of the folded bias tape. Leaving that as a waistline tie extension, bind the armhole, then leave a 24" (61cm) extension of bias tape for the neck tie. Repeat for the opposite side of the apron, starting with the neckline and ending with the waistline tie.
- 5. Trim the bias tape ends at an angle at each of the tie extensions and knot to finish.

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ASSEMBLING THE APPLIQUÉ

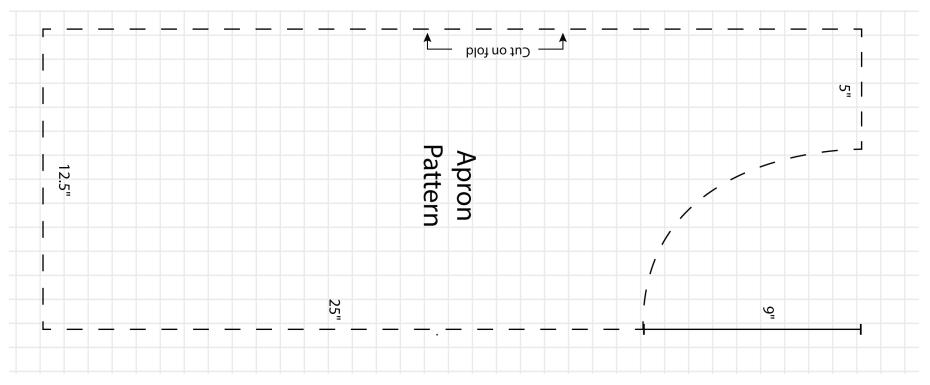
- 1. Trace the letters and two snowflakes onto the paper side of the fusible web. Roughcut around the edges, leaving about 1/4" (.5cm) outside the lines.
- 2. Following the manufacturer's instructions, fuse the letters and snowflakes to the wrong side of the white fabric. Cut on the drawn lines. Use sharp pointed scissors for the snowflake detailed cuts.
- 3. Position the appliqués on the apron bib as desired and fuse in place.
- 4. Roll up the ties and pin or clip out of the way to avoid catching them during the appliqué process. Using a narrow zigzag stitch, sew around the lettering appliqué edges. Bring the threads to the underside and tie off.
- 5. To accent the snowflakes, sew a straight line down the center of the arms. Bring the threads to the underside and tie off.







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1 square = 1 inch



*** Measure templates before cutting to confirm printing at 400%***



This square should measure 1" x 1" (2.54cm x 2.54cm) when printed.

*** Measure templates before cutting to confirm printing at 100%***