

Kiriki Press D.I.Y. Embroidery Kits feature colourful and creative designs that allow crafters to learn hand embroidery stitches at an easy pace. The pattern is screen printed on cotton with water-based ink.

THIS KIT INCLUDES:

- 3 piece pendant + brass chain
- screen printed pattern
- DMC floss
- instruction sheet

YOU'LL ALSO NEED:

- 6" hoop
- scissors
- needles

EMBROIDERY FLOSS

DMC embroidery floss comes in six strands. The pattern requires only one or two strands to be used at a time.

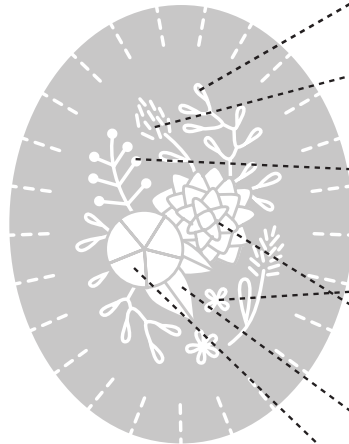
Separate the number of strands you need from the six strands. Thread the needle, leaving a 3" to 4" tail on one end and knot the longer end.

HOW STITCHES ARE INDICATED ON THE INSTRUCTION SHEET



STEP ONE: EMBROIDERING

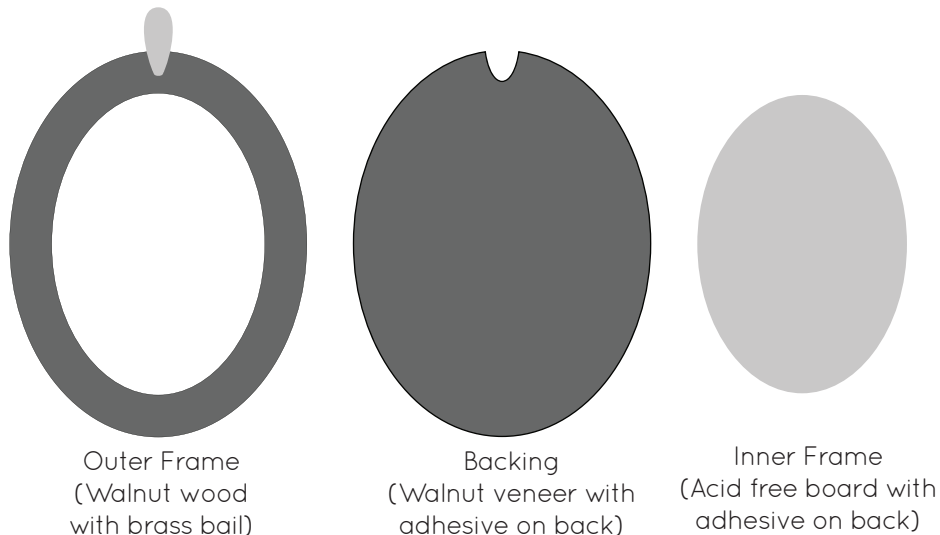
1. Place the pattern face up in your embroidery hoop. Without distorting the pattern, evenly pull the fabric around the hoop until it is drum-tight (makes a drum-like sound when you flick it with your finger).
2. If you want to practice the stitches before embroidering the pendant, use the handy stitch sampler that is printed right on the fabric. The kit includes some extra floss so you can practice. Instructions for individual stitches can be found at: www.kirikipress.com/pages/stitchlibrary
3. Embroider the pendant in the following order:



- LEAFY BRANCHES**
Branches: Feather Stitch/DMC 831/2
Leaves: Detached Chain Stitch/DMC 831/2
- SALVIA**
Stem: Stem Stitch/DMC 319/2
Leaves: Detached Chain Stitch/DMC 319/2
Petals: Seed Stitches/left:DMC 962 right:DMC 504/2
- BERRY BRANCH**
Branch: Fern Stitch/DMC 319/2
Berries: French Knot/DMC 504/2
- DAISIES**
Lazy Daisy/top flower:DMC 962 bottom:DMC 504/2
- DAHLIA**
Fly Stitches/DMC 3832/2
start from outside
- LEAVES**
Fishbone Stitch/top leaf:DMC 831 bottom:DMC 319/2
- WILD ROSE**
Woven Wheel/DMC 962/2

Dark Pink = DMC 3832 / Lighter Pink = DMC 962 / Dark Green = DMC 319 / Olive Green = DMC 831 / Light Green = DMC 504

STEP TWO: ASSEMBLING THE PENDANT



1. Cut out the oval pendant shape. Clip the dashed lines, creating small tabs.

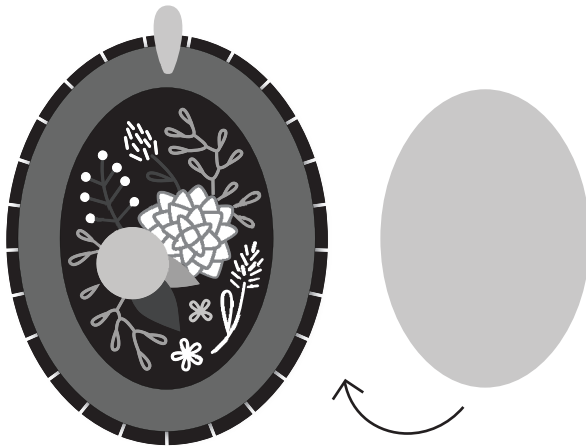


2. Center the outer frame over the fabric.



3. Once centered, push the inner frame into the outer frame from the back, so the embroidered side of the fabric is flush with the outer frame. The non-adhesive side of the inner frame should be against the fabric.

4. Double check to make sure the fabric is still centered properly once flush with the outer frame. If so, carefully peel the protective sheet from the inner frame. Be careful not to peel the first layer of cardboard instead.



5. Stick the fabric tabs down onto the adhesive. Once it is stuck down, peel the protective sheet off of the backing piece and lightly place it over the back of the frame, centering it. It is slightly smaller than the frame to allow for a small margin of error. This adhesive is pressure sensitive, so once you are happy with the position, firmly press down with your palm to make a permanent bond. You can now put the chain through the bail and wear your pendant! **CARE INSTRUCTIONS: Avoid contact with liquids/moisture. Spot clean only.**

