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Finished Size : 10 ½" x 17"

MATERIALS:

- small amount of fabrics from LIBERTY -



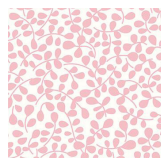
Tea for Two fabric range
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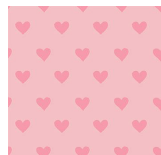
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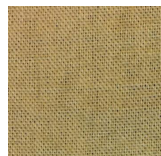


Candy Hearts 04775621X



Teacup Treasures 04775620X
2 x 2" strips

- Leutenegger Cotton Chambray



Sunshine HCM004 - 10" strip

- DMC Cotton 603 - light pink
- 10 ½" x 17" piece of batting
- small amount of fusible web

The fabric requirements is for making placemat as shown in the photograph. Before cutting review the placement of colours in case you want to make you own choices.



CUTTING

Cut 1 piece of Cotton Chambray Sunshine
10 ½" x 17" for placemat back.

Cut 1 piece of Candy Hearts - 10 ½" x 8 ½"

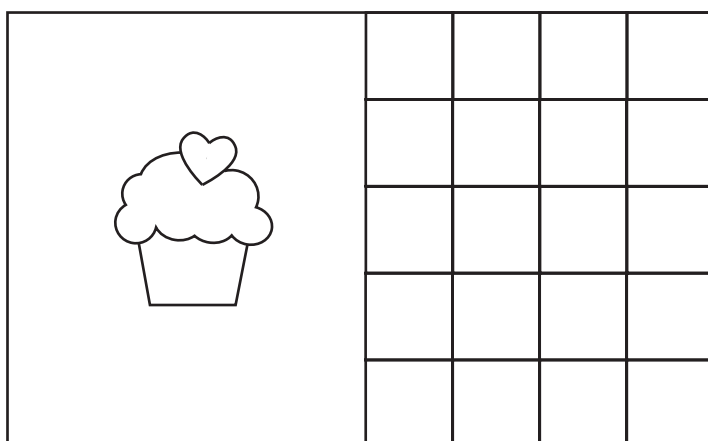
Cut 12 squares from selected fabrics - 2 ½" x 2 ½"

Stitch squares together with ¼" seam allowance.

Refer to the photo for placement or make your own choices.

Trace the appliqué design pieces from the template onto the paper side of fusible webbing.
Cut out the pieces roughly leaving about ¼" of webbing around the tracing lines.

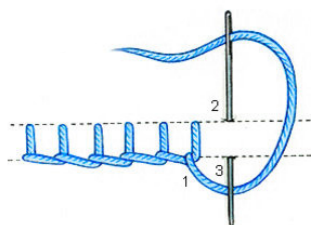
Place the fusible webbing pieces onto the wrong side of chosen fabric, then fuse for a few seconds with a dry iron.



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Cut out appliqué piece neatly on the lines. Peel off paper backing, then position appliqué pieces on project (webbing side down), layering the pieces as indicated on the placement guide. When happy with the arrangement, place a press cloth over the design, then fuse in place with an iron.

Using two strands of DMC cotton 603 work Blanket stitch around the edges and Running stitch on the cupcake base.



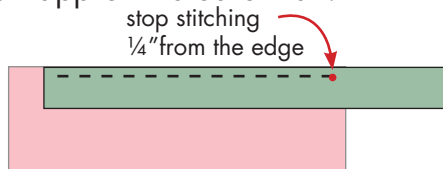
Blanket Stitch

With wrong sides facing, layer placemat's top and backing, with batting in-between (quilt sandwich). Smooth out all creases. Quilt as desired.

BINDING

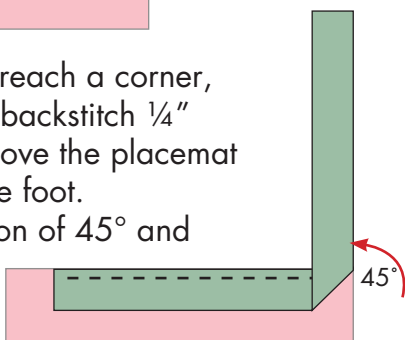
Sew 2" binding strips together end-to-end using diagonal seams.

Sew the binding onto the placemat's front first. Pin the binding to a side of the placemat approximately 4" - 5" away from the corner. Start stitching binding strip with ¼" seam allowance, leaving an approximated 3" tail.



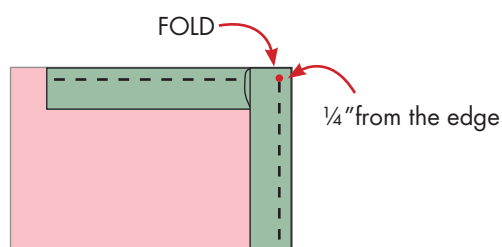
Keep sewing until you reach a corner, and stop stitching and backstitch ¼" before the corner. Remove the placemat from under the machine foot.

Fold the strip in a motion of 45° and upward, pressing with your fingers.



Hold this fold with your finger, bring the strip down in line with the next edge, making a horizontal fold that aligns with the top edge of the placemat.

Start sewing at ¼" of the border, stitching all the layers. Do the same in the four corners.



Stop stitching before you reach the last 3 - 4". Remove the quilt from under the machine presser foot. Lay the loose ends of the binding flat along the edge, folding the ends back on themselves where they meet. Press them together to form a crease. Using this crease as the stitching line, sew the two open ends of the binding with right sides together.

Trim seam to ¼" and press open. Complete the sewing.

Turn binding to back of the placemat and hand stitch it in place.

Enjoy your new creation!



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Cupcake template

