

Owl Instructions:

1. Hoop one layer of stabilizer.

Center a 6x6" piece of felt on top of stabilizer.

Stitch first color (owl outline).

2. Stitch second color (flowers).

Stitch third color (eye circles).

Stitch fourth color (beak).

Stitch fifth color (inner eyes, smile)

3. Float a second piece of felt under design, covering completely.

Stitch sixth (owl outline).

4. Remove from hoop. DO NOT TRIM YET (this will make sewing the seam closed easy).

Stuff monkey lightly with polyfil.

Sew the small opening closed by machine.

Trim around perimeter of owl.

You're finished!

Balloon Playset Instructions:

1. Hoop one layer of stabilizer.

Stitch first color (playset outline and ribbon strap placement line).

Cut a 12" piece of ribbon for strap and fold in half to form a loop.

Place loop centered over placement line so approximately 1/2" of cut ribbon ends extend below ribbon placement line and remainder of ribbon loop is OUTSIDE design area.

Stitch second color to secure.

2. Cover design completely with a 6x8" piece of felt.

Stitch third color to secure.

3. Stitch fourth color (balloon string).

Stitch fifth color (balloon fabric placement outline).

Cover outline completely with a piece of fabric.

Stitch sixth color to secure.

Trim fabric as closely to stitching as possible being careful not to cut stitching or felt underneath.

Stitch seventh color (balloon satin stitching).

Stitch eighth color (pocket fabric placement outline).

Cut a 5x6" piece of fabric and fold in half and press so it is 5 x 3". Place folded fabric on top of pocket outline so folded edge is even with top straight horizontal edge of pocket outline and entire pocket below is completely covered.

Stitch ninth color to secure.

Trim fabric as closely to stitching as possible being careful not to cut stitching or felt underneath.

Stitch tenth color (pocket satin stitching).

5. Float a 6x8" piece of felt UNDER hooped design, FACE DOWN.

Stitch final color to secure.

Remove from hoop and trim around perimeter of balloon playset carrier outline being careful not to cut ribbon strap (I cut one layer at a time).

Insert owl into pocket .

You're finished!