

EMBROIDERED HOLLY LEAVES WREATH SUPPLY LIST & CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS

All Brands provides a 15% discount on all notions, thread and supplies purchased for this class.

The free Holly Leaf Applique design that will be provided to each class participant is sized so it can be stitched out in either a 4"x4" hoop, a 5"x7" hoop or a 6"x10" hoop. Before purchasing fabric, decide what size embroidery hoop you will be using.

Fabric:

- Leaf Fabric:
 - 4"x4" Hoop: Two coordinating green fabrics each 5/8 yard.
 - 5"x7" Hoop: Two coordinating green fabrics each 1/2 yard.
 - 6"x10" Hoop: Two coordinating green fabrics each 1/3 yard
- Floriani's Wet and Gone or other water dissolvable stabilizer - roll
- Polyester Quilt or Craft Batting. An inexpensive crib sized batting (48"x60") will provide more than enough batting. Do not purchase loose polyfill in a bag.
- 2/3 yd fabric to wrap the foam wreath base.
- Optional: 1/3 yd fabric to make a wreath bow. We will use one of the store's sergers to make wire-edged ribbon for the bow. As an alternative, you can buy wire edged ribbon to make a bow or purchase a pre-made bow.

Thread:

- Green embroidery thread that coordinates with leaf fabric.
- A bobbin wound with the green embroidery thread

Other Items:

- 1 roll Embroidery Perfection tape (the "pink" tape), painter's tape or other temporary tape
- 12" Styrofoam wreath ring
- 3/4" diameter plastic ring for hanging the wreath
- 1 spool 24 gauge single strand wire for wreath bow. (Note: not required if you purchase wire edged ribbon or a pre-made bow.)
- Opt: Faux red berries to decorate wreath

Tools:

- Embroidery machine in good working order.
- Embroidery frame: 4"x4", 5"x7" or 6"x10".
- Embroidery needle can be either size 11 or 14.
- Sewing supplies including:
 - Applique Scissors (needed for cutting the batting and leaves)
 - Embroidery or Thread Trimming Scissors
 - Straight Pins (used to secure the leaves to the wreath base)
 - Other standard notions and tools such as:
 - Temporary marker such as water soluble marker or Fixion™ pen.
 - Seam ripper
 - Fray Check™ or other seam sealant.
 - 6 inch ruler or hem gauge, etc

Cutting Instructions:

- **Leaves:** Using a rotary cutter, cut out the following squares or rectangles depending on the size hoop you plan to use.
 - **4"x4" Hoop:** Cut each green leaf fabric into Thirty 5"x5" squares. A total of 60 green squares.
 - **5"x7" Hoop:** Cut each green leaf fabric into Fifteen 6"x8" rectangles. A total of 30 green rectangles.
 - **6"x10" Hoop:** Cut each green fabric into Five 7"x11" rectangles. Total of 10 rectangles.
- **Batting:** Use a rotary cutter to cut the batting as follows for the size hoop you plan to use:
 - **4"x4" Hoop:** Cut out Thirty batting squares measuring 5"x10" each.
 - **5"x7" Hoop:** Cut out Fifteen batting rectangles measuring 8"x12" each.
 - **6"x10" Hoop:** Cut out Ten batting rectangles measuring 11"x14" each.
- **Fabric to Wrap Foam Wreath:** Use a rotary cutter to cut into 2" wide bias strips. The bias cut helps with wrapping the wreath base.
- **Optional Bow:** Cut into 2-1/2 strips across the width of the fabric. If buying wire edged ribbon or a pre-made bow, this step is not needed.

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