



Perfect Place Settings

Placemats, Mug Rugs, Coasters



Create pretty personalized placemats, mug rugs, and coasters – right in the hoop of your embroidery machine. They're fast and easy to make and are great sellers at craft shows, on Etsy, and more!

Design Notes:

- Instructions below are for our Perfect Place Settings collection - each design set (Perfect Placemats, Perfect Mug Rugs, Perfect Coasters) is sold separately.
- All sizes listed are width x length
- When cutting your fabrics, mark each piece with the designated letter in the cutting chart below. The fabric pieces will be assembled in alphabetical order.
- Note for multi-needle embroidery machine users: Check to make sure you insert stops for your machine after the following stitch sequences:
1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8.

Design Information:

| Design: | Minimum Hoop Size: | Design Size: | Finished Size: |
|----------|--------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Placemat | 15" x 15" | 14.7" x 14.8" | 14" x 14" |
| Mug Rug | 8" x 8" | 7.7" x 7.8" | 7" x 7" |
| Coaster | 5" x 7" | 4.5" x 4.5" | 4" x 4" |

Supplies :

| Supplies | Placemat: | Mug Rug: | Coaster |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| • Main Fabric | 1/2 yard or 2 fat quarters | 1/4 yard or 1 fat quarter | 1/4 yard or 1 fat quarter |
| • Coordinating Fabric | 1/4 yard or 1 fat quarter | 1/4 yard or 1 fat quarter | 1/4 yard or 1 fat quarter |

Plus:

- Fusible Batting or Double-Sided Fusible Foam Batting Alternative, such as Inn-Control Plus.
- Mesh Fusible Cutaway Stabilizer
- Fusible Seam Tape
- Fusible Webbing for Applique

Prepare Your Materials according to the charts below

Cut your materials according to the chart below...

Main Fabric:

| Placement in design: | Label as piece: | Cut for Placemat: | Cut for Mug Rug: | Cut for Coaster: |
|----------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Front | A | 16" x 16" | 9" x 9" | 5.5" x 5.5" |
| Back | C | 9.5" x 17" | 6" x 9" | 4.5" x 5.5" |
| Back | D | 10" x 17" | 7" x 9" | 4.5" x 5.5" |

Coordinating Fabric: (Or use SVG files to cut on a cutting machine)

| Placement in design: | Label as piece: | Cut for Placemat: | Cut for Mug Rug: | Cut for Coaster: |
|----------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Applique | B | 9" x 9" | 6" x 6" | 5" x 5" |

Fusible Batting or Foam Batting Alternative:

| Placement in design: | Label as piece: | Cut for Placemat: | Cut for Mug Rug: | Cut for Coaster: |
|----------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|
| On stabilizer | — | 16" x 16" | 9" x 9" | 5.5" x 5.5" |

Fusible Webbing:

| Placement in design: | Label as piece: | Cut for Placemat: | Cut for Mug Rug: | Cut for Coaster: |
|----------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Wrong Side Fabric B | — | 9" x 9" | 6" x 6" | 5" x 5" |

Fusible Seam Tape:

| Placement in design: | Label as piece: | Cut for Placemat: | Cut for Mug Rug: | Cut for Coaster: |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Outside Fold of Fabric C | — | 16" | 9" | 5.5" |

Mesh Stabilizer:

| Placement in design: | Cut: | Label as piece: |
|----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| In Hoop | To size of hoop plus 2" | — |

Other Fabric Prep:

- Stabilizer: With the fusible side down, hoop it firmly.
- Fabric B: Press fusible webbing to the wrong side of Fabric B, following manufacturer's instructions. Remove any paper backing.
- Fabric C: Fold one long edge in 1", wrong sides together. Press to make a crisp fold. Press fusible seam tape to the right side (outside) fold of Fabric C, as shown below. Remove backing on seam tape. Set aside.



Stitching Instructions:

1. Sew Stitch Sequence 1 to stitch placement lines on the stabilizer. In addition to the large circular placement line, notice the four tiny placement lines at the top, bottom, left, and right of the circle. These stitches mark the vertical and horizontal centers of the placemat to assist you in centering Fabric A precisely in step 4.



2. Center your Batting over the circular placement line and tape in place to secure – you can also add pins to hold it tightly down, but keep them well away from the placement lines so the presser foot does not stitch over them. Sew Stitch Sequence 2 to tack the batting to the stabilizer.



3. Trim the excess batting away from the stitch line, getting as close as you can to the stitches without cutting through them. Remove remaining tape and/or pins.



4. Center Fabric A over the batting, using the vertical and horizontal placement lines from Stitch Sequence 1 to center your fabric pattern, if necessary. Sew Stitch Sequence 3 to tack down the fabric.



5. Notice that there are two tiny lines of stitching both above and below the circular placement line. These are placement lines that will guide you in placing the back fabric in a subsequent step. These lines are designated by numbers, as shown in the photo. To make these lines easier to find later, use pieces of tape to extend each line over the edge of the hoop. Mark each piece of tape with the coordinating number as shown.



6. Sew Stitch Sequence 4 to create a placement line for the applique fabric.



7. Place Fabric B, right side up, over the placement line. Tape in place to secure, or press adhesive side down if your fusible webbing has a sticky back. If you precut Fabric B with an electronic cutting machine, center it within the placement lines then skip to step 9. Sew Stitch Sequence 5 to create the applique cutting lines.



8. Trim around the applique cutting lines, getting as close as you can to the stitches without cutting through them.



9. Sew Stitch Sequence 6 to complete the applique and scallops.



10. Sew Stitch Sequence 7 to create the outline quilting.



11. Sew Stitch Sequence 8 to create the monogram.



12. Locate the placement lines that you extended with tape. Place Fabric C, face down, over the left side of the hoop with the fold toward the center of the project. Align the fold with placement lines 1 & 2. The fusible seam tape should be facing out, as shown. Tape Fabric C in place on the top and bottom.

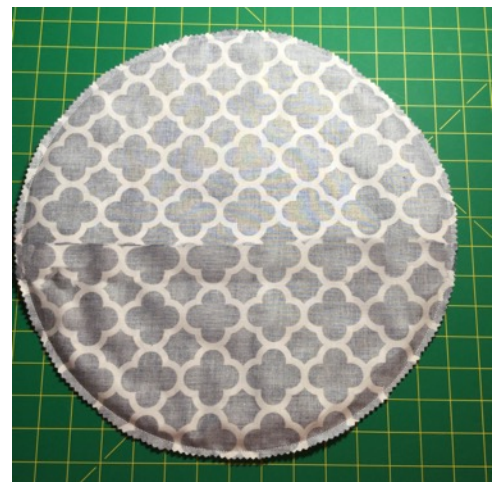


13. Place Fabric D, face down, over the right side of the hoop. Align the left edge of Fabric D with placement lines 3 & 4.
14. Use tape on the top and bottom of the project to hold the raw edges and folds down, as shown. This prevents the presser foot from lifting up the fabric during the next stitch sequence.



Sew Stitch Sequence 9 to stitch the fabrics together.

15. Remove the project from the hoop and trim around the stitches, using pinking shears, or cutting notches into the curves so your seam will curve out nicely.



16. Turn your project inside out, press to fuse the fabric to the batting and stabilizer, and to fuse the opening closed.



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