

# Chalk Cloth Placemat

Finished Size 16" x 20"



Pattern makes one 16" x 20" placemat, a little larger than traditional size so kids have more room to doodle!

**DO NOT TOUCH IRON TO CHALKCLOTH!**

Trim Chalkcloth to 11 1/2" x 15 1/2" and set aside.

Following directions included with chalkcloth, "season" with chalk and use the prescribed kind of chalk.

## Materials list:

- 1 Fat Quarter for back
- 6" for binding
- 18" x 22" batting
- 11 1/2" x 15 1/2" chalk cloth
- 1/4 yard for border strips

## Cutting:

- 2 - 3" x WOF (width of fabric) for border strips
- 2 - 1 3/4" x WOF strips for Press-Perfect binding. (If you prefer another binding technique, there is enough fabric to cut 2 -2 1/2" strips). Bind, using Press-Perfect Binding technique found at [www.blockpartystudios.com](http://www.blockpartystudios.com) click on the icon in the upper right hand corner.

## Sewing:

Stitch a 3" strip to top, then bottom, of chalk cloth and trim even with edges. Finger press toward outside edge. Repeat for left and right edges.

Sandwich chalkcloth top, batting, and backing. Pin baste with safety pins through all layers of fabrics. **DO NOT PIN THROUGH CHALK CLOTH.**

Stitch together through all layers, 1/4" outside the chalkcloth/border seam, to secure the layers. Add additional quilting if you wish.

Trim away excess batting/backing, squaring placemat to 16" x 20". When you trim, lay your ruler down along chalkcloth/border seam and trim each border to 2 1/2".

**PLACEMAT MUST BE SPOT CLEANED OR HAND WASHED/DRIED FLAT.  
REFER TO WASHING INFORMATION IN YOUR CHALKCLOTH PACKET.**



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