



Deck your halls this yuletide with this adorable dimensional owl!

Supplies Needed

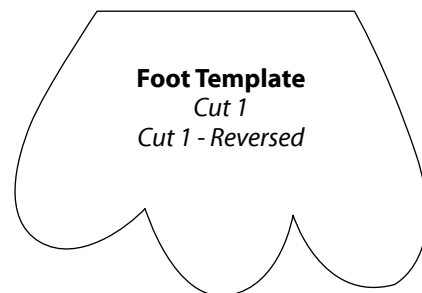
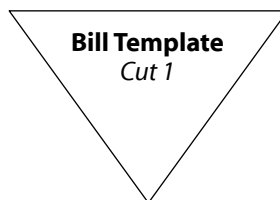
- 3 different coordinating Fabric Palette® Holiday Fat Quarters
- 8" Wooden embroidery hoop with screw closure
- Paper-backed fusible web - 4 ½" x 10"
- Gold felt (bill and feet) - 5" x 5"
- Flat buttons: 2 - 1 ¾" buttons
2 - 7/8" buttons
- Craft glue
- Basic crafting supplies
- Scissors
- Iron and pressing surface

Before you begin

Read all instructions before beginning project. Do not prewash fabrics before using. Iron fabrics before beginning project. Follow manufacturer's instructions when using fusible web.

Cutting

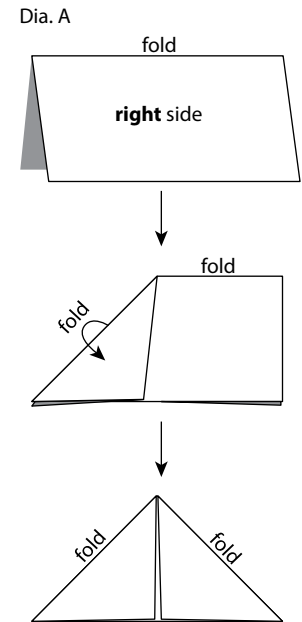
- Fabric A: 1 - 10" x 10" square (body)
2 - 1" x 21" strips (wrapping hoop)
2 - 4" x 4" (ear tufts)
- Fabric B: 1 - 4 ½" x 10" rectangle (head)



Assembly

1. Loosen screw to separate inner and outer hoops. Place one end of a Fabric A wrapping strip (**wrong** side) at the back of the outer hoop next to the screw; glue in place. Wrap the hoop diagonally with ¾ of the previous wrap showing. Continue wrapping entire hoop with remaining wrapping strips, gluing ends of strips to the back of the hoop as they run out and finishing at the screw.
2. Following manufacturer's instructions, apply the fusible web to **wrong** side of the Fabric B owl head.

3. Place Fabric A body **right** side up and the Fabric B owl head on top, matching top edges; fuse in place.
4. To make the feathers, clip one short edge of Fabrics B and C $\frac{1}{2}$ " from corner and tear a narrow strip across the width of the fat quarter; discard strip. Make another clip of Fabrics B and C 3" from the first clip and tear strip. Fold strips in half with **wrong** sides together matching torn edges; press fold firmly. From Fabric B cut a $7\frac{1}{2}$ " piece and from Fabric C cut 8" and $6\frac{1}{2}$ " pieces.
5. Draw parallel lines $\frac{1}{4}$ ", $1\frac{1}{2}$ ", and $2\frac{1}{2}$ " from the bottom edge of the owl head.
6. Center and place the owl head/body over the inner hoop. Press covered outer hoop over design with the screw at the top. Pull fabric taut and tighten screw.
7. Center and glue the top fold of the shorter Fabric C along the bottom line. Glue the middle Fabric B and top Fabric C feathers as shown in photo. Clip the bottom edges about $\frac{1}{2}$ " apart, stopping about $\frac{1}{2}$ " from the fold. Trim the sides of the feathers to match the curve of the hoop.
8. Trim edges of owl 1" from hoop and glue to inside of hoop.
9. Fold Fabric A ear tuft in half horizontally with **wrong** sides together and top and bottom edges matching to make a rectangle; press fold firmly. Fold each top corner to the center, matching side and bottom edges to make a triangle (Dia. A). Press firmly. Glue layers together. Repeat to make second ear tuft. Place ear tufts on either side of top screw and glue edges to back of hoop.



Finishing

10. Stack buttons and glue together securely. Use templates to cut one bill and two feet from felt.
11. Referring to photo, center felt triangle bill on lower edge of the head and glue in place. Place eyes on either side of bill and glue securely. Glue feet to the bottom of the hoop.

Finished care instructions

Dust or shake lightly if needed.