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# Hometown Holiday

June 2023 Ornament of the Month.



# Attic Heirlooms

### Cutting and assembly instructions

Please read before beginning

PIECES ARE REVERSED FOR USING FUSIBLE. We use steam when fusing pieces together.

1. Trace required pattern shapes onto paper side of lightweight fusible and iron to the corresponding wool. Cut out on the lines and remove paper.
2. Place wool for sleigh near the bottom of cotton interfacing fusible side down. Place the tree on interfacing as shown in picture and tuck under the red wool as needed. Pin these pieces in a couple of spots to keep them from shifting. Place gifts in the sleigh as shown on cover pic or as you desire and fuse them in place. Do not fuse the bottom of sleigh at this time.
3. Position the runner under the bottom of the sleigh tucking the struts under slightly. Add the two packages to the bottom and fuse in place. Next add the black rail to the top of the sleigh covering the bottom of the packages.
4. Position snowman on the interfacing and fuse in place. Build the scarf by laying down the smaller tail piece first. Be sure it will be covered by the neck piece when fused. Next lay down the longer tail piece (overlapping the shorter one on the side) then add the neck piece. Fuse all three pieces being careful to not shift them. Lay the belt in place and fuse. Next position and fuse the buckle. Place the hat on the top of the head overlapping the brim on the bottom of the hat. Fuse in place.
5. Stitch around all inside pieces using blanket stitch or whip stitch (we used blanket stitch).
6. Embellish each of the packages as desired or follow the stitches used by referring to the pic. Embellish the snowman body and face.
7. Iron heavier piece of paper backed fusible to black wool. Remove paper and iron to back of sleigh and snowman. With right side facing you, trim away excess cotton/black wool cutting up to the edge of the shapes. Blanket stitch around outer edge changing thread color as needed to match.
8. Add a hanger to the back if you will use them as ornaments. Follow optional instructions for making a standing shelf sitter.
9. Enjoy the work of your hands.

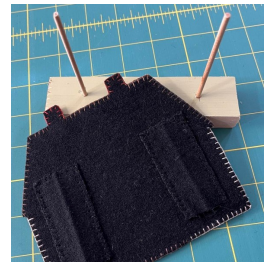
### Optional Shelf Sitter Finishing Instructions

You will need a block of wood and an 1/8th" round dowel. Optional materials are not included in the kit.

1. Iron fusible interfacing to small piece of black wool. Cut two piece 1" x 1 1/2". Pin each to back about 1" in from the sides and 1" down from the top. Blanket stitch around the sides and top, leaving the bottom open.
2. Cut a block of wood 1" x 1 1/4" x 5" (this is the size we used, feel free to use a block size you wish). Lay ornament back side up on the block and make a mark on the wood where the middle of each sleeve is for placement of dowels. Drill appropriate size hole through the block.
3. Measure and cut the dowel for the length you will need and insert into holes on the wood. Slip the ornament onto the dowels.
4. **THE SLEIGH AND SNOWMAN WILL ONLY NEED ONE DOWEL EACH. I AM POSITIONING THEM BOTH ON THE SAME STAND.**



I will paint this a creamy white



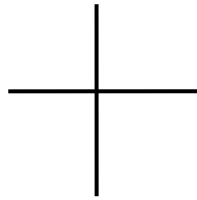
Detail for snowman



Suggested detail for packages stitching



If these lines measure 1" you have printed the pattern to the right size. Always check before you begin cutting.



Cut 1 from medium green

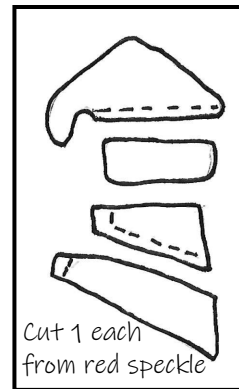
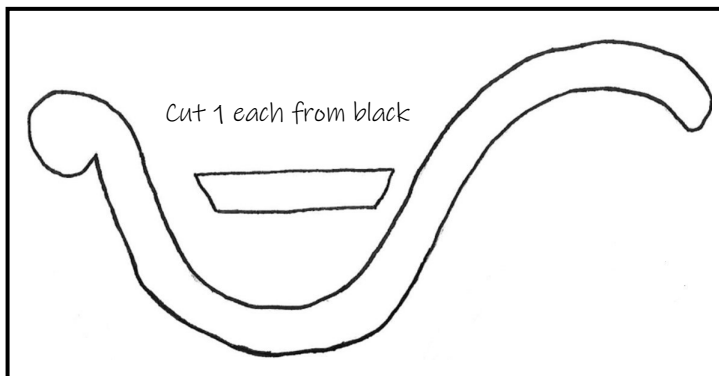
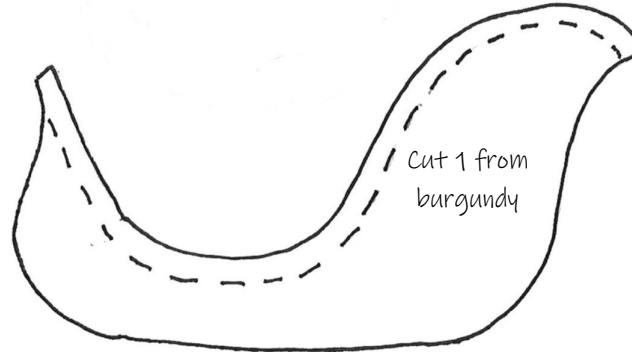
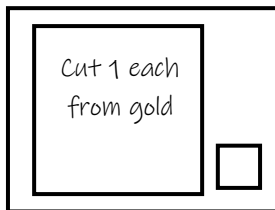
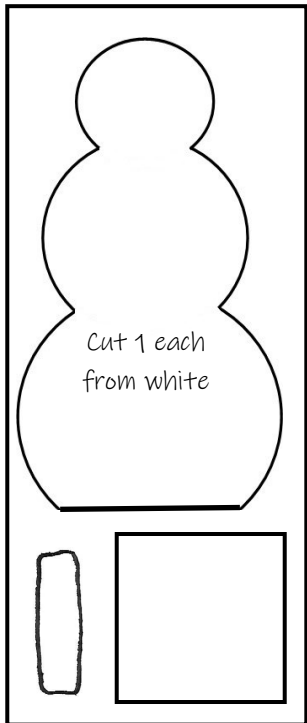
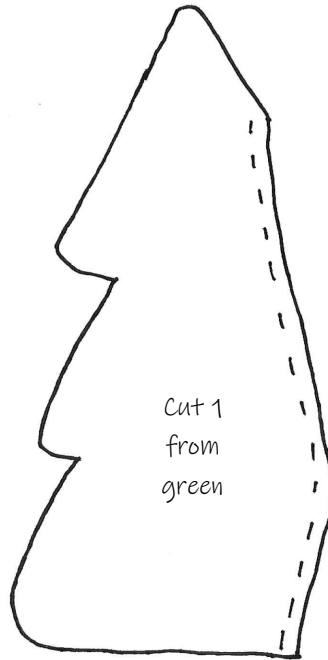
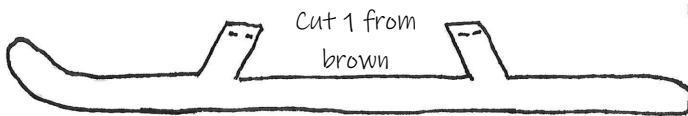
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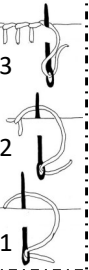
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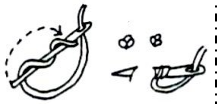
Cut 1 from dk red



**Blanket stitch** - Take an upright stitch to the right of where the thread came up with the needle pointed up, keeping the thread under the needle and coming out on the line or the edge of your wool.



**French knot** - Hold the needle in your right hand. With your left hand, wrap thread around the needle 1-3 times, depending on the size knot you want. Be sure needle points away from the fabric when you wrap the thread and wrap it close to where the thread comes through the fabric. Insert the needle close to where it came out. Holding the knot in place, pull the needle to the wrong side of fabric.



**Lazy daisy stitch** - Hold thread down with thumb and insert needle where it first came out. Bring point out a short distance away keeping the needle on top of the thread. Fasten loop down with a short stitch.



Valdani #12 Pearl Cotton Thread Colors used on sample:

- 78 - red
- P1 - red
- P4 - antique white
- P7 - blue
- JP10 - light blue grey
- O 511 - black
- O 519 - green
- P5 - gold
- O 196 - brown
- O 571 - orange