

NEEDLETURN APPLIQUE

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- **Multiple Fat Quarters of Fabric**

- The pattern provided details fabric requirements. You can use as few, or as many, different kinds of fabric as you like. The design is interesting enough to execute in a single color, but really comes to life when multiple colors are used.

- **Fabric scissors**

- Micro serrated scissors cut down on fraying and ensure precision cuts for hand piecing.
- *Recommended:* [Karen Kay Buckley Micro Serrated Six Inch Scissors*](#)

- **Mechanical pencil**

- Optional: If any of your fabrics are dark you will need a marking tool such as a white chalk pencil.
- *Recommended:* [BIC Velocity Strong Lead Mechanical Pencils*](#)

- **Hand sewing needle**

- Milliners #11 is recommended, but it is more important that you use a needle you are comfortable with for a running stitch. A thinner needle, such as #10 or #11, is easier to work with and will make the stitching more comfortable. While larger needles are sometimes easier to thread, they will slow down your stitching and put more stress on your hands.
- *Recommended:* [Jen Kingwell Milliner's Size 11 Needle*](#)

- **Thread for applique**

- Aurifil 80 weight in a color that matches your chosen fabrics. For optimal results, using a thread that matches your top (applique) fabric is ideal.
- *Recommended:* [Aurifil 80 weight white cotton thread*](#)

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- **Basting Glue**

- The glue is used instead of pins to hold pieces while being stitched. Glue sticks or school glue are too strong for this type of project. Liquid basting glue provides the flexibility and soft hand needed for applique.
- *Recommended:* [Sue Daley Designs Applique Glue](#)*

- **Templates for pattern**

- We recommend printing, then laminating, the paper templates.
- *Recommended:* [Scotch TL901X Thermal Laminator](#)* and [Scotch Thermal Laminating Pouches](#)*
- If you prefer to trace your patterns onto template plastic, we recommend [Perfect Heat Resistant Template Plastic by Karen Kay Buckley](#)*

- **Pins (optional)**

- We recommend using basting glue, but if your project will not be washed or do you not want to use glue, then pins are an optional alternative. Thin pins, such as silk or applique pins, are ideal, but it is more important is that you are comfortable working with the pins throughout the project.
- *Recommended:* [Taylor Seville Magic Pins Applique Extra Fine](#)*

- **Sandpaper board (optional)**

- *Recommended:* [Jen Kingwell Sandpaper Board](#)*
- You can also make your own using our [DIY Sandpaper Board Project Download](#). Making your own also gives you the option of making a rotating or larger sandpaper board, as needed for your project and quilting style.