

APPLIQUÉ TOWEL DESIGNS (FOR TOWEL TRIOS)

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Supplies:

Vilene or Aqua Magic Washaway stabilizer

Pellon Stitch 'n Tear tearaway stabilizer

Cotton Fabric & Kitchen towel



1 - Hoop towel and place 1 piece of Pellon Stitch 'n Tear under the hoop. Stitch the initial outline on the towel.



2 - Place fabric over the outline just sewn. If using a terry towel, place vilene or aqua magic under the fabric which makes trimming the fabric easier later.



3 - Remove hoop and trim away the excess fabric from around the outline. Do not trim away the stabilizer.



4 - Place hoop back on machine and sew the final satin outline around the shape.



5 - Continue sewing the design until apple outline is sewn.



6 - Place starched fabric over the outline. It is easier to trim if the fabric is starched until it is nice and crisp.



7 - The next color in the design tacks the fabric down.



8 - Remove hoop, trim the excess fabric around the outline. Place hoop back on machine.



9 - Stitch the final satin outline of the apple.



10 - Finish sewing the design.



11 - With the design still in the hoop, trim away the excess vilene or aqua magic from around the design.



12 - Run a warm wet rag along the satin stitched edges to dissolve the remaining vilene or aqua magic.