Homespun Hexie Ring-bearer Pillow

Crafter level: Intermediate

What you'll need

- · Printouts of rose, leaf and pillow templates
- · Felt squares, in colors of your choice
- Green felt squares (for leaves)
- · Hot glue gun and glue sticks
- ⅓ yd. raw linen
- Scissors
- Water-soluble fabric marker
- Sewing machine and matching thread for linen
- Stuffing
- 1 yd. ¼-in.-wide ribbon
- Hand-sewing needle

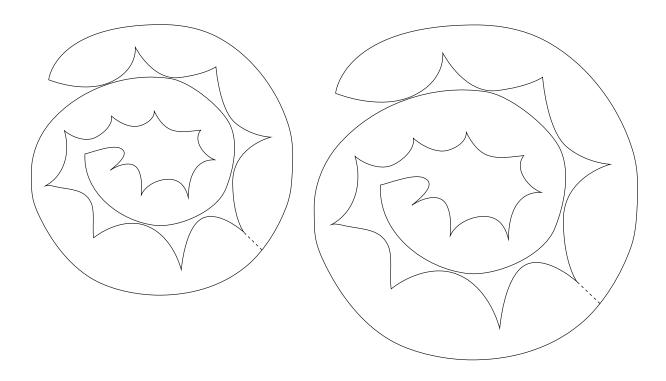


How to make it

- 1. Make 3 felt roses and 4 leaves according to the instructions. (We used 1 large and 2 small roses, and 2 large and 2 small leaves).
- 2. Cut 2 hexagon pieces from the raw linen using the template provided. Mark the center of 1 piece with the water-soluble marker where noted on the template. Sew pieces together, right sides facing, along 5 sides using a ½-inch seam allowance. Leave the last side open for turning. Trim corners.
- 3. Turn linen pillow right side out and stuff with stuffing. Hand- or machine-sew the last side closed.
- 4. Find the center of the length of ribbon and tack it to the center of the pillow, where marked, using your linen-colored thread and hand-sewing needle.
- 5. Glue or sew your felt roses and leaves to the upper left corner of the pillow, where noted on the template.
- 6. Tie ribbon into a bow and trim ribbon ends at an angle.

Felt rose templates

- Using provided templates, cut out felt pieces. Two sizes are provided so you can add variety to your project. For fuller roses, cut additional petals using the section of the templates below indicated with a dotted line.
- 2. Start at the center and run small drops of hot glue around the straight edge, roll tightly, and hold for a few seconds while the glue dries.



Leaf templates

1. These leaf shapes can be added around your flowers to fill in areas.

