## In The Hoop Gift Bag

## Items you will need:

Tear-away stabilizer
Two 6" X 10" pieces of fabric
Two 14" pieces of cording or ribbon for the ties
\*Tape will help hold the fabric in place.
\*Wind bobbin with coordinating thread.

 To make the pattern. Hoop two pieces of tear-away stabilizer.



Stitch the first color.

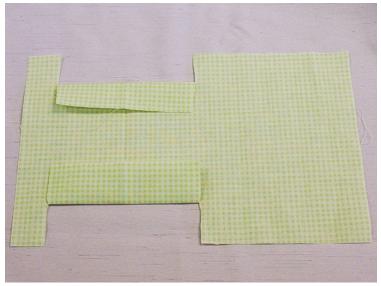


3. Remove from the hoop. Cut on stitch line.

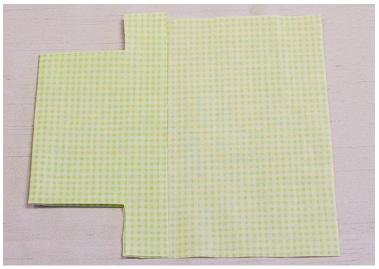
Note: For the cupcake/bunny gift bags, embroider the candle/ears first. Apply the candle/ears on the outline that will be stitched before the ribbon casing columns.



 For the front and back pieces of the gift bag fold the top of the fabric piece to the inside using the pattern as a guide. Press.



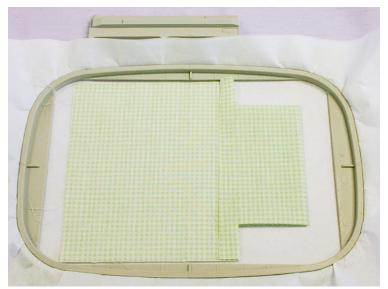
5. Cut the fabric so you can turn the fabric in on both sides. Open the fold. Press.



6. Fold the top to the inside again. Press.



7. Embroider the back of the gift bag. Hoop two pieces of tear-away stabilizer. Stitch the first color.



8. Lay the fabric on the stabilizer with the front of the fabric up. Make sure the top and sides of the fabric match on the stitch lines. Tape to hold in place. Stitch the rest of the design.



9. Remove from hoop. Trim ½" from the stitch line.



10. Embroider the front of the gift bag. Hoop two pieces of tear-away stabilizer. Stitch the first color.



11. Lay the fabric on the stabilizer with the front of the fabric up. Make sure the top and sides of the fabric match on the stitch lines. Tape to hold in place.



12. Stitch through the second outline stitch.



13. Lay the embroidered back of the gift bag with the front side down matching the top and sides. Tape to hold in place.



14. Stitch the tack down. Trim close to the tack down stitches.



15. Embroider the rest of the design.





17. Turn right side out.



18. Add ribbon.