IN-Gha-Hoop

Eye Glass Cases

Create 20 different eye glass cases!

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Instructions for the Eyeglass Case

Items you will need for this project:
Fibrous water soluble stabilizer
Four 4" X 7" pieces of fabric
Four 4" X 7" pieces of light weight stabilizer
Spray adhesive
Tape (such as Scotch brand)
Fabric scraps for applique

Embroider the front eyeglass piece first.

Note: The outline and tackdown color changes are for the appliquéd area(s) of the design. The outline is a running stitch line that defines the appliqué's shape. Your piece of fabric should be a little bigger than the outline. The tackdown is a running stitch line that will stitch inside the outline to tack down the fabric. Trim the fabric close to the tackdown stitches.

Select eyeglass case design. Make sure to use the files beginning with "NFC..."

- 1. Lightly spray the backs of the four 4" x 7" pieces of fabric with an adhesive, place the light weight stabilizer between the fabric pieces with the fronts of the fabric to the outside. These two pieces will be the front and back of the eyeglass case.
- 2. Hoop two pieces of fibrous water-soluble stabilizer.
- 3. Stitch the first color change, which is your outline for the front eyeglass placement.
- 4. Place the fabric within the outline stitches.
- 5. Tape in place.
- 6. Stitch the second color change, which is the tack down stitch.
- 7. Remove tape and trim the fabric from the outside of the tack down stitches if needed.
- 8. Embroider the design, following the remaining color changes.
- 9. Remove from the hoop.
- 10. Trim the stabilizer close to the stitches along the outside and inside edge of the satin stitches.

Embroider the back eyeglass piece (using file# NFC0311)

- 1. Hoop two pieces of fibrous water soluble stabilizer.
- 2. Stitch the first color change, which is the outline for the eyeglass case back placement.
- 3. Place the fabric within the outline stitches.
- 4. Tape in place.
- 5. Stitch the tack down color change.
- 6. Remove tape and trim the fabric from the outside of the tack down stitches, if needed.
- 7. Tape front eyeglass case down and stitch outline, which is for placing the embroidered/completed front eyeglass case piece.
- 8. Remove tape and trim the fabric from the outside of the tack down stitches, if needed.
- 9. Embroider the remaining color changes.
- 10. Remove from the hoop.
- 11. Trim the stabilizer close to the stitches along the outside and inside edge of the satin stitches.
- 12. Use a q-tip or paint brush to run water along the outside edges to remove the fibrous water soluble stabilizer.

