

3 Hour Peekaboo Quilt Top



Finished Size: approx. 35" x 42"
1 yard long by width of fabric

Materials

Fabric for Top: Two - 1 yard pieces

Backing and batting: 1 yard each

Binding: 1/4 yd

Pattern Fabric

Pellon 830 Easy Pattern (45" wide) - 1/2 yd OR
Swedish Tracing Paper Fabric (29" wide) - 3/4 yd

Peekaboo Fabric Tools™ - 3, 5 & 10 inch sizes

Cut from the pattern fabric

- 4 - 10" x 10" squares
- 4 - 5" x 5" squares
- 8 - 3" x 3" squares



Trace

Align each Peekaboo Fabric Tool with the edges of the matching size square of pattern fabric. Trace the inner leaf shape edge with a FriXion pen or other marking pen or pencil. *It doesn't matter which side of the pattern cloth you mark on.*

Making the Reverse Applique Leaf Cutouts

1 Choose which fabric of the two - 1 yard fabric pieces will be the top with the reverse applique and which will be the bottom *Peekaboo* fabric.

2 Fold the top yard of fabric into 4ths and press the folded edges so there is a fold line vertically and horizontally through the center. Place and pin the 4 - 10" squares of pattern fabric so they meet in the center of the fabric with the point of each leaf pointing to the center, and with the edges aligned with the vertical and horizontal fold lines. (Figure 1)

3 Sew along the marked line with a 1.5 mm stitch. Trim close to the inside edge of the leaf shape and turn. (Figure 2) Trim the pattern fabric to about 1 inch so it doesn't show into the cutout leaf shape. Use a bit of glue stick to hold the pattern fabric down and in place. (Figure 3)

Tip: Refer to the Peekaboo Fabric Tool instruction video for more detailed instructions on marking, sewing and turning the pattern fabric.

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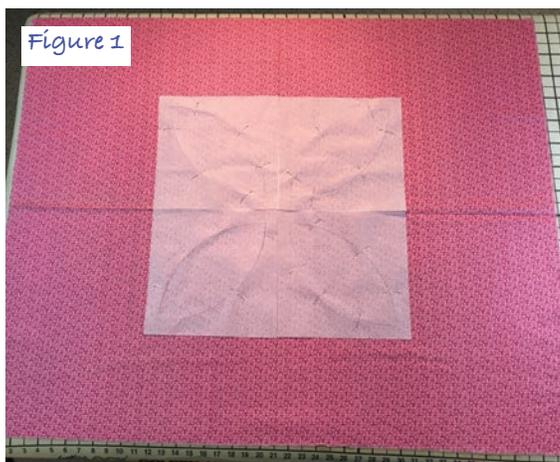


Figure 2



Figure 3



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- 4 Place the 5 inch pattern fabric squares along the fold lines in between the 10 inch cutouts and 7 inches from the center point. (Figure 4 and 5). Sew, trim, and turn as in step 3. (Figure 6)

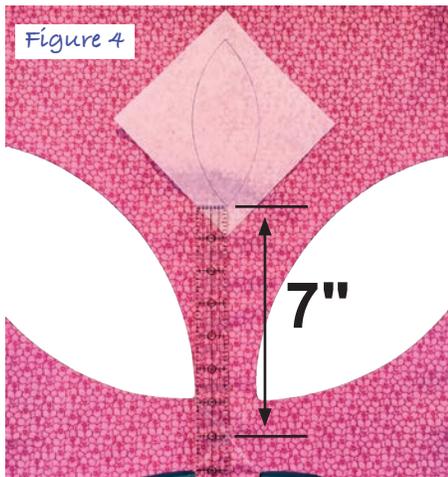


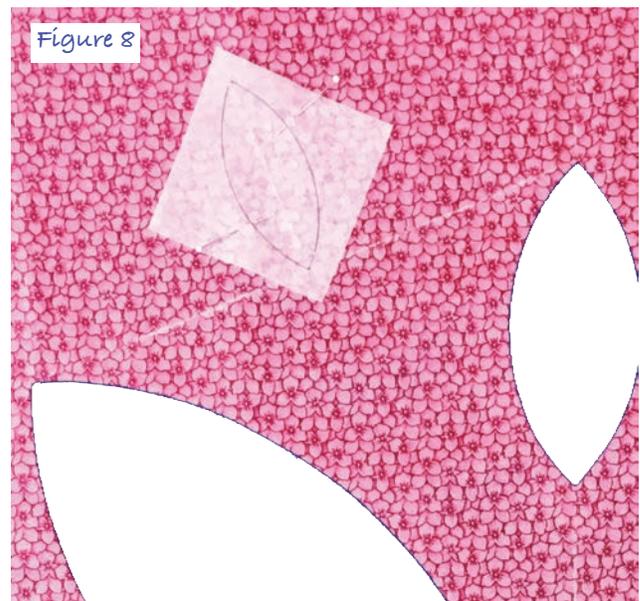
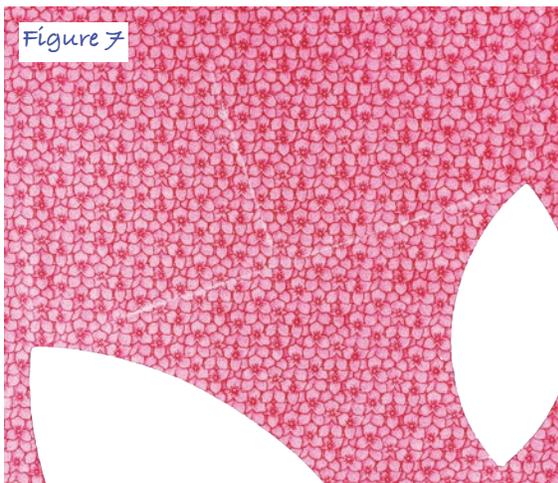
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Figure 6



- 5 Placement of 3 inch pattern fabric squares: Draw a line with chalk from the outer point of a 5 inch leaf to the outer point of the 10 inch leaf shape on each side. Measure and mark the half point with a short perpendicular line. (Figure 7) Place the point of a 3 inch pattern fabric square (the point of the drawn line) at that half way point. (Figure 8) Sew, trim, and turn as in step 3. (Figure 9) *Note: the pattern fabric for the 3 inch leaf cutout does not need further trimming.*



- 6 Layer the fabric top with leaf cutouts on top of the peekaboo fabric. Spray baste and/or pin.

Finishing

Layer the combined quilt top, batting and backing. Edge stitch around each leaf shape (as close as a 1/16th or 1/8th inch). Then quilt as desired around the reverse applique and inside the leaf shapes.

