

Easter Cushions



What do you make?

A small cushion with a finished size of approx 7 by 7 1/2 inches.

This is a quick and easy project!



What do you need?

For cushion

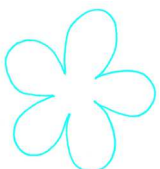
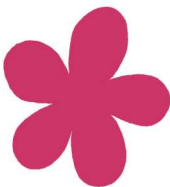
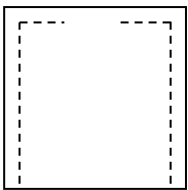
15 inches by 7 1/2 inches white
7 1/2 inch square batting
stuffing

For appliqué

5 1/2 inch square of main colour
5 1/2 inch square of contrast colour
Fusible webbing

Illustration:

Right sides together.
Fold at bottom.
Stitch around cushion
leaving an opening.



What do you do?

Trace appliqué shapes onto fusible webbing.
Iron onto reverse of chosen appliqué fabrics and cut out shapes.

Fold white fabric in half. One half will be the cushion front.
Iron appliqué shapes onto cushion front - use the picture as a guide.

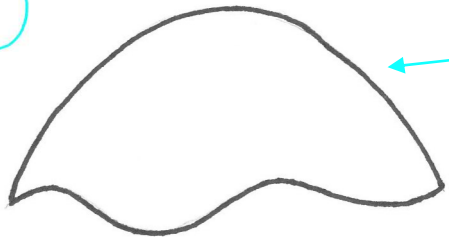
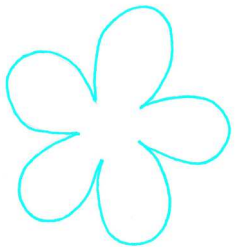
Cut a 7 1/2 inch square of fusible webbing. Iron onto batting.
Iron batting into place behind cushion front.

Machine stitch around egg and flower. Using stitches to add a stem and leaves to the flower.

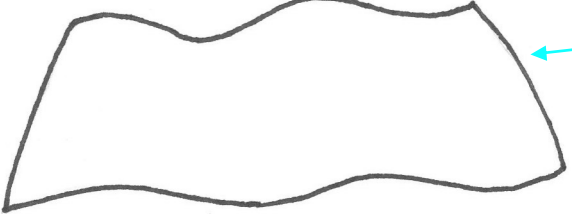
Fold cushion in half with right sides together.
Stitch around cushion leaving a space for turning. (see illustration)

Turn cushion through opening. Stuff until firm.
Hand stitch opening closed.

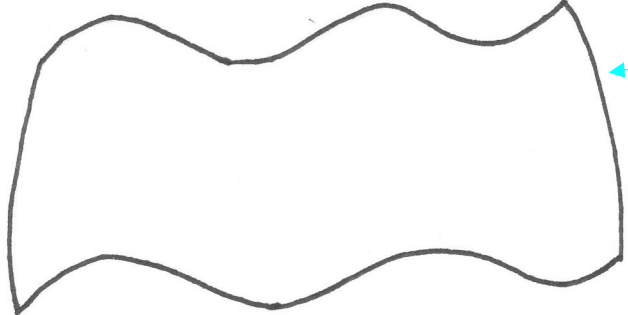
This is a free pattern designed by Tracey Petersen of Peppermint Patch Quilts.
<http://peppermintpatcher.wordpress.com/>



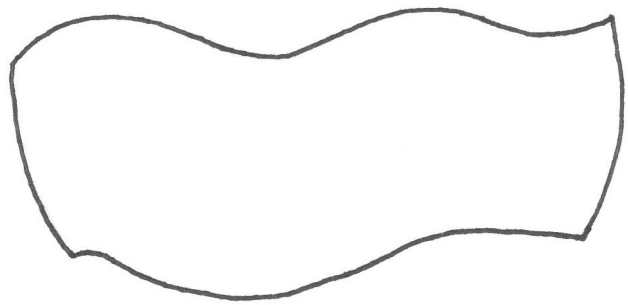
Egg Top
Fuse over top egg trim
Use main colour



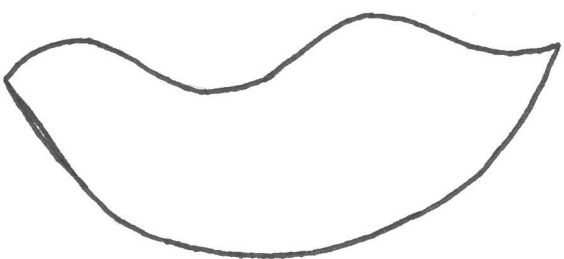
Top egg trim
Fuse under egg top and egg middle
Use contrast colour



Egg middle
Fuse over top egg trim and bottom egg trim
Use main colour

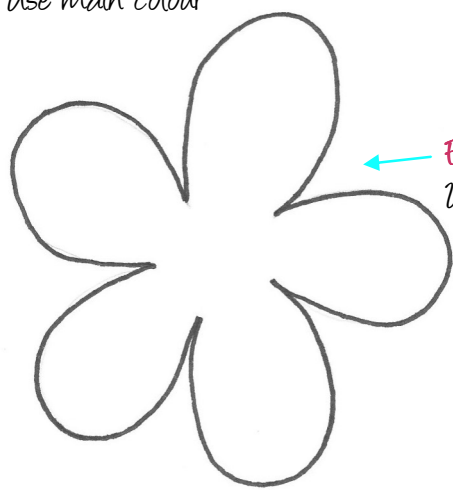


Bottom egg trim
Fuse under egg middle and egg bottom
Use contrast colour



Egg bottom
Fuse over bottom egg trim
Use main colour

NOTE: This pattern uses reverse appliqué.
The top and bottom egg trims are fused
under the three egg pieces.



Flower
Use contrast colour

