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Chubby Little Bird Pillow Instructor: Connie Berner

Supply List:

- Chubby Little Bird Pattern
- Background Fabric: 1/4 yard (behind the bird)
- Background behind the scallop applique: 3" x 13 1/2" rectangle
- Pillow Top Backing: 1 fat quarter (this will be inside the pillow so it won't show)
- Prints for the checkerboard: a mini charm pack works well
 - (12) 2 1/2" colored squares
 - (12) 2 1/2" light squares
- Scallop accent and binding: 1/4 yard
- Applique: Various scraps. I suggest they be at least 5" x 5" (one for the bird, two greens for leaves, branches, berries, and beak...the berries and beak are pretty small, so that scrap can be smaller)
- Backing: 3/8 yard (this goes on the back side of the pillow)
- Batting: at least 13" x 17"
- Pillow Form: 12" x 16"
- Your favorite fusible product such as Soft Fuse Premium (very soft), or steam a Seam 2 (more firm). You will need enough to put on all the applique scraps.
- Pencil
- Scissors to cut applique out. I recommend super sharp, serrated edge.
- Sewing Machine, thread, pins, needle, and sewing supplies you like to use.
- Thread: Bring the colors of thread that you will want to use on top of your applique fabrics. You can match the color to your fabric, or you can choose just one color (such as black or white) to use for the entire applique.
- You are welcome to bring your own portable iron, cutting mat, acrylic ruler, and rotary cutter. Ben Franklin will also have these supplies in the classroom.

Optional: Light box & applique pressing sheet or fusing mat.

Cutting Directions:

Please have all fabric cut according to directions below prior to class. If you are not sure how to cut, I'll show you what to do when you arrive for class. It is helpful if you can bring your fabrics pre-cut. It will give more time for sewing the project. If you have questions about cutting, bring your fabrics and I'll show you how to cut them.

Backgrounds:

- (12) 2 1/2" squares for checkerboard (lights)
- (1) 3" x 13 1/2" rectangle for applique scallop
- (1) 9" x 14" rectangle for applique bird

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Backing for inside pillow (this can be anything, it will not show):

(1) 13 1/2" x 17 1/2"

Checkerboard:

(12) 2 1/2" assorted prints or mini charm blocks

Scallop Accent:

(1) 2" x 13" Strip

Bird, Branch, Berries, and Leaves Applique:

Various scraps

Backing:

(2) 12 1/2" x 21" rectangle

Binding:

(2) 2 1/2" x WOF (width of Fabric)

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