

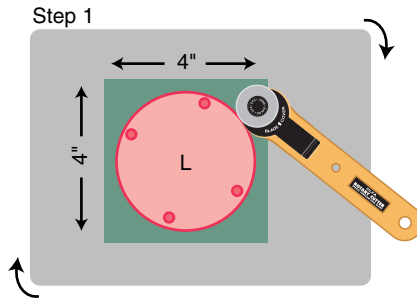
YOYO TREE ORNAMENT

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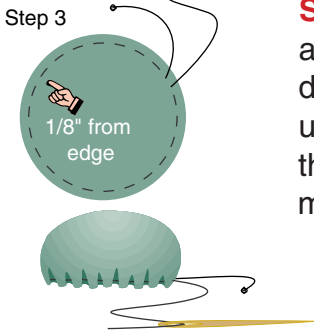
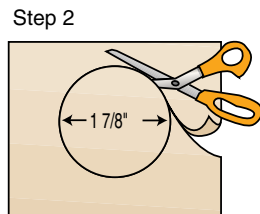
QS4 Large Dresden circle
 6" x 8" mat board
 Small Rotary Cutter
 Cardboard
 Buttons, lace, beads, ribbon
 Spray glitter (optional)
 Glue gun



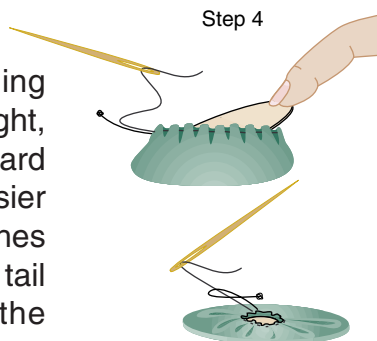
Step 1. Use a 6" x 8" mat board to make it easier to turn as you cut around template. Cut 6 green and 1 brown circle for each tree.



Step 2. Cut a cardboard circle 1 7/8" in diameter from light cardboard. The back of tablets and old file folders work well.



Step 3. Since yo yo centers are covered with buttons you don't have to turn edges under before stitching around them. Use double thread that matches the fabric.



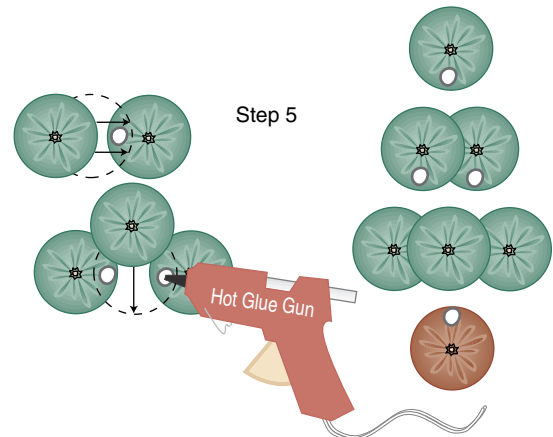
Step 4. Before pulling gathering stitches tight, put a piece of cardboard in the center. It's easier to pull gathering stitches tight if you leave a 4" tail of thread at the beginning. Tie ends.

Make 6 green and one brown yo yo.

Step 5. It is easiest to fasten yo-yo's together with the glue gun. However, if you want to sew them together, place one partially over the other and sew with small stitches.

Glue or sew 3 yo yo's together for bottom row. Center yo yo is on top. Overlap almost to center.

Glue two together for middle row.
 Glue bottom row on top of middle row.
 Add top yo yo under the second row. The brown trunk goes under bottom row.



Step 6. If your ornament will hang on the wall where the back doesn't show it is ready to be decorated. If you plan to hang it on the tree you may want to make another tree and place them back to back so each side will be the same. Be sure the back tree is the same size as the front.

Glue buttons in center of each yo yo and strings of gold beads for the garland. Add hanger to tree top.

A spray glitter was used to highlight the tree. Use your own imagination to decorate trees. Lace, buttons, beads and small ornaments can be used.