

Birthday Calendars - Free motif

A free motif is supplied to try before you buy, especially to test with the new Brother ScanNCut machine or you can appliqué it in the old fashioned way by trimming the appliqué by hand with scissors.

Free flower

Prepare flower appliqué part with the ScanNCut machine using the Fcm or BMP cutting file supplied and continue with the embroidery.
Use a small print or plain fabric for the flower appliqué. Bright contrasting colors stand out more. Iron appliqué paper on the back of the appliqué fabric.
Mark the direction of the flower with an arrow to show the correct placement as not all the petals are the same.

Hoop tearaway stabilizer and spray with temporary spray adhesive.
Center and place the project fabric on top and flatten neatly.

Step 1
Gold - basting line and peace sign.

Appliqué steps 2 - 4
Use embroidery thread colors to match your appliqué fabric.

Step 2
Stitch placement guide.

Remove the hoop from the machine.

- **ScanNCut method**

Remove the appliqué paper backing.
Place the cut piece, covering step 1. Ensure that it covers the entire outline precisely. Also check that the petals are in the marked upright position. Iron the appliqué flower in place.

- **Normal appliqué**

Place appliqué fabric over step 1.

Step 3
Place hoop back in the embroidery machine. Tack the appliqué in place.

Normal appliqué - trim the fabric on the outside of the flower and between the petals using small scissors.



ScanNCut

Size
W3.94 x H 3.19
Stitch count 6074
6 color changes

Step 4
Bright pink - appliqué outline. Decorative outline stitch.
The appliqué is complete. May also use variegated thread.

Step 5
Yellow - flower center

Step 6
Satin flower detail. Stitch with any bright contrasting color.

Step 7
Bright olive green to match print - leaves and scrolls

Step 8
Black - flower center detail

Remove the embroidery from the hoop. Trim all thread on the back as well as the stabilizer.
Iron embroidery on the back.



More of the designs with the
Birthday calendar set.





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