

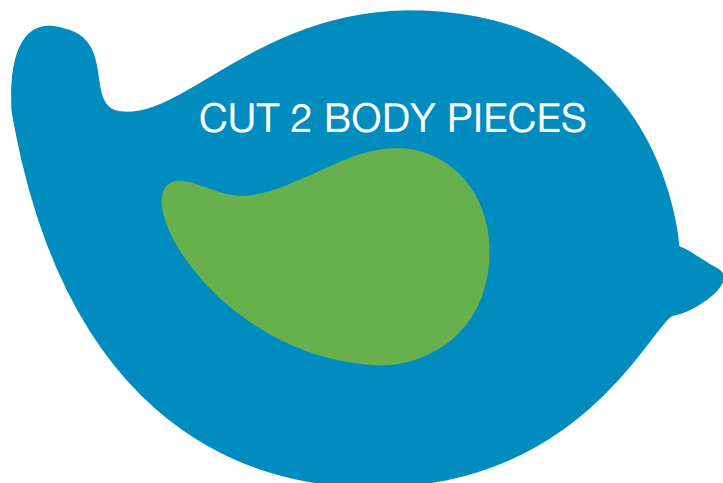
BIRD KEYCHAIN

DIY FELT & EMBROIDERY KEYCHAIN



DIY BIRD KEYCHAIN

KEYCHAIN PATTERN, SUPPLIES AND TO DO



CUT 2 BODY PIECES



CUT 2
FOR
KEY
RING



CUT 2 WINGS

PATTERN

Chipboard body pattern
Chipboard wing pattern
Markers to trace around pattern
Felt - green, blue, pink, purple

SEWING

Green Embroidery Thread
Blue Embroidery Thread
Purple Embroidery Thread
Pink Embroidery Thread
Yellow Embroidery Thread
Embroidery Needles

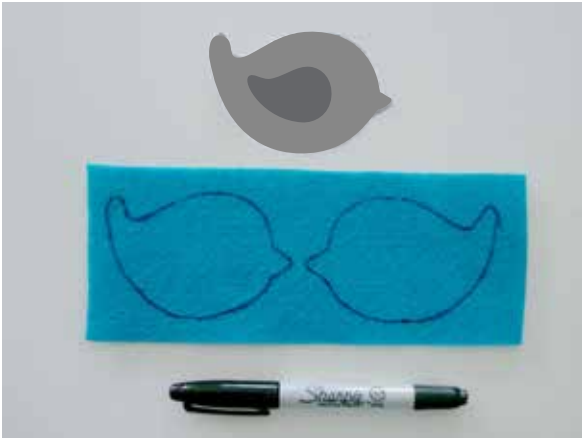
MISC

Filling
Key Ring
Scissors
Sharpie Thin Markers
Straight Pins
Rulers (tape to center of table)



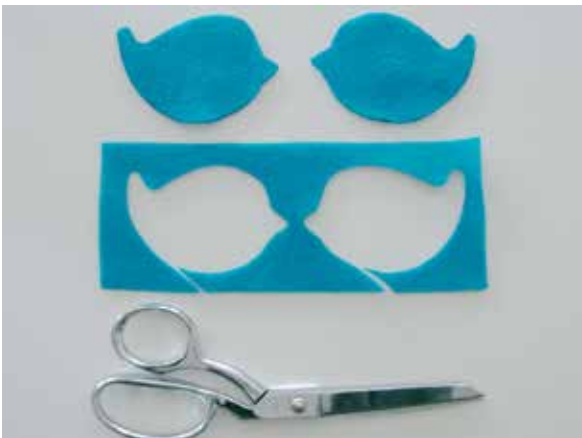
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HOW TO



BODY • TRACE

Trace bird pattern onto felt. Trace it twice but make sure birds are facing each other. If you don't your bird won't have 2 sides.



BODY • CUT

Cut out felt bodies. If necessary, trim off any marker lines.



WINGS • TRACE

Trace wing pattern onto felt. Trace it twice but make sure wings are facing opposite directions.



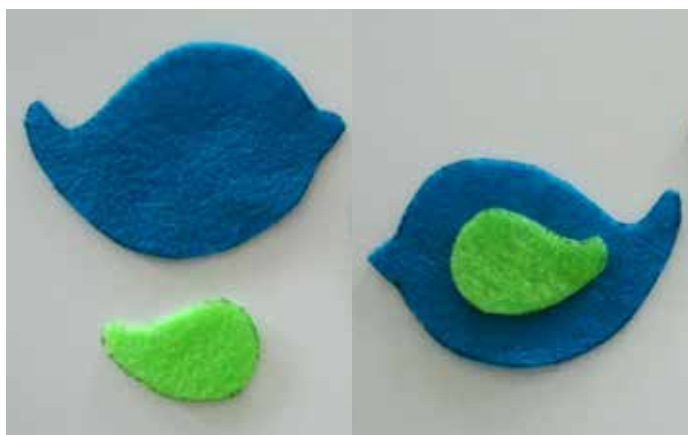
BODY • CUT

Cut out felt wings. If necessary, trim off any marker lines.



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HOW TO



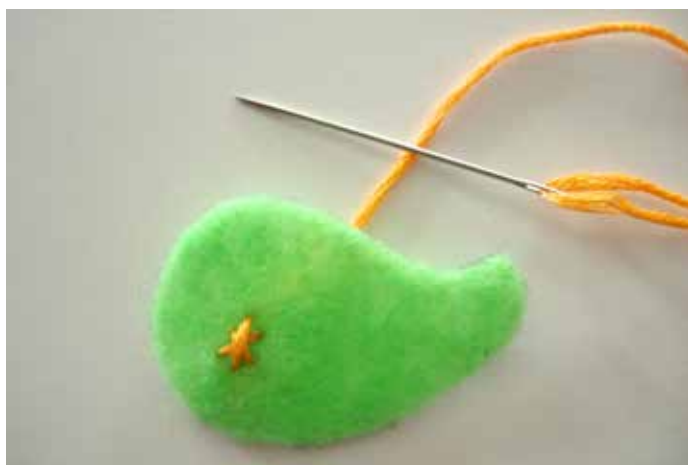
WINGS

Wings will be placed on bird body as shown.




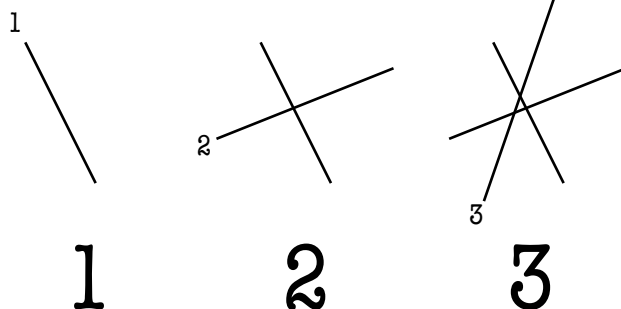
WINGS

Pick 2 complimentary colors of embroidery thread. Approx 10" of one color (6 strands of thread) and approx 10" of another color (6 strands.)



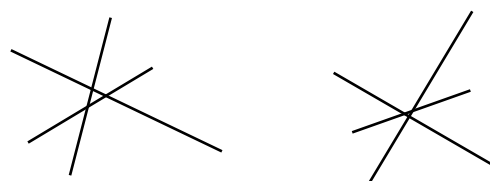
WINGS

Create a star pattern  with 3 stitches.



WINGS

Do 3 stars of one color in random places. Do 2-3 stars in second color. Do the same thing for both wings but make sure the wings are opposite each other so they will be going the right directions when placed on the bird bodies. More star shapes below.



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HOW TO



WING • ATTACH

Take finished wing and a complimentary color of embroidery thread. Thread is approximately 12" long.



WING • ATTACH

Use a basic sewing stitch to stitch edge of wing to body.



WING • COMPLETED

Completed wing attached to body. You can do 1 or 2 wings. It's up to you. If you do only 1 wing, then only one side will have the bird design.



BODIES

Make sure that when you attach the wings that you end up with birds facing each other. If you don't the bird will not work when placing the bodies together.

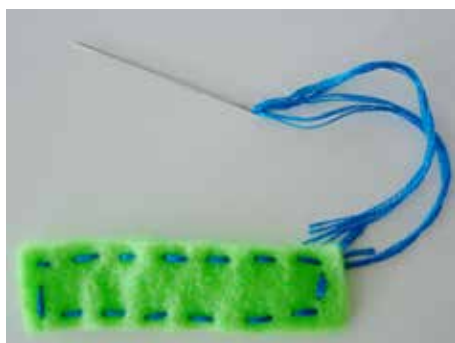
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HOW TO



KEY RING • PATTERN

Cut 2 felt rectangles according to pattern. After cutting place the rectangles, one on top of the other. Pick embroidery thread color that matches the body. The thread is approximately 14" long.



KEY RING • JOIN

Take 2 felt rectangles and stitch them together. Stitch with a basic sewing stitch along edge which will sew the 2 pieces into one.



KEY RING • ADD RING

Thread metal ring onto felt rectangle.



KEY RING • CLOSE

Join the 2 ends of the felt together.



KEY RING • CLOSED

This is what it looks like from the side. Keep sewing thread attached.



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HOW TO



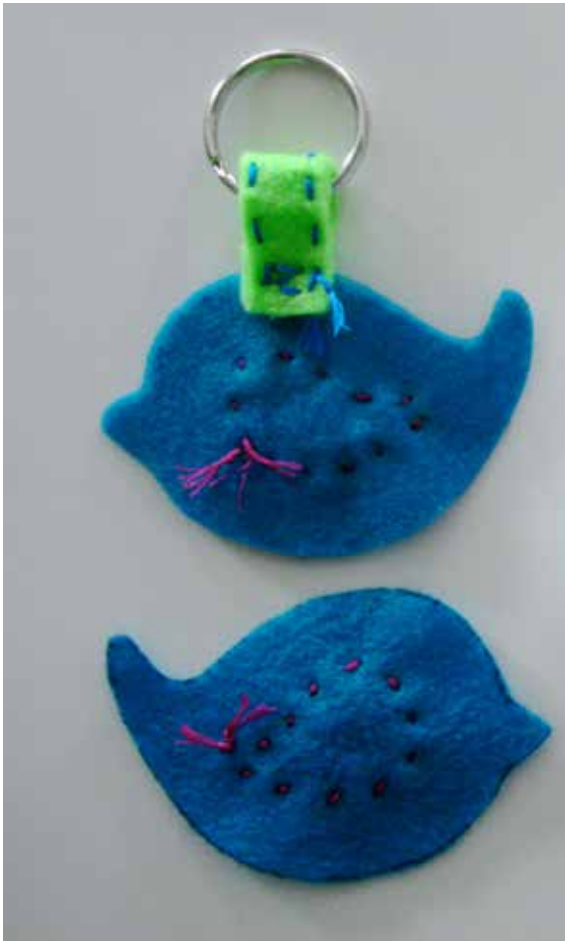
KEY RING ATTACH

Use the same color thread as the body to attach key ring to bird body. Make a strong connection with the thread. Here is the attachment from both sides.



BIRD • EYE

Make a french knot or X for the eye.



BIRD • JOIN BODIES

Here are 2 bodies ready to be attached. (Notice they are facing opposite directions.) Place wrong sides of birds together, touching each other. Match up shapes.

Pin into place.



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HOW TO



BIRD • JOIN BODIES

Choose a complimentary thread color approximately 24" long. After you knot the thread, start from the inside of the bird. After that first stitch go through both sides of the bird to sew the bird together.

Sew along edge of bird almost all the way around.



BIRD • OPENING

Leave a small opening in the bird. DO NOT cut or knot the thread.

It will leave an opening like this.



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HOW TO



BIRD • STUFFING

Take a handful of cotton/poly doll stuffing.



BIRD • STUFFING

Place stuffing inside bird opening.



BIRD • CLOSING

Once the stuffing is inside the bird, pin closed. Stitch remaining bird edge closed. Tie off with a knot.



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