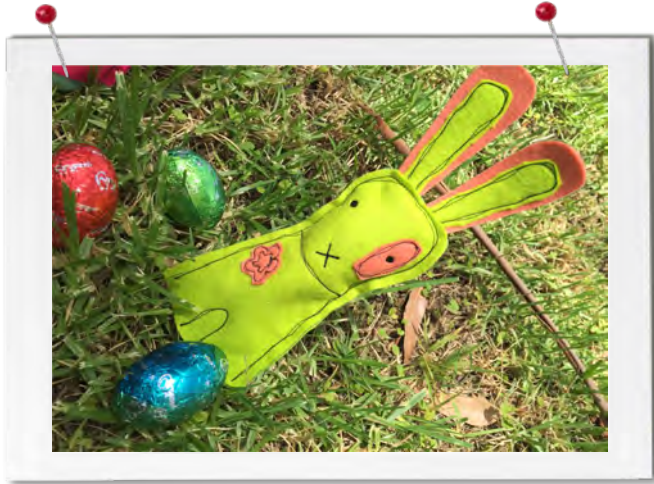


# PROJECT NAME Easter Bunny



## Materials List

- 2 x Felt square is different colours (must measure at least 22cm x25cm)
- 30cm x Homespun the colour of one of your felt squares
- Black thread
- A Bernina/Bernette embroidery capable machine
- The two sections of the Easter Bunny design downloaded on a USB stick

## Method

- Insert the USB stick into your machine and select the ears and tail design. Thread your machine with the Black top and bottom
- Cut a piece of homespun so it will fit in your hoop. Stitch out the first colour of the design. This is a placement line.



- Decide what colour felt is for the body, making the other colour the contrast. From the contrast felt cut two 10cm x 12cm rectangles. Place one of your pieces on top of the hoop and slide the other underneath. Ensure both pieces are completely covering the placement line. Ensuring that the felt stays in place, stitch the next colour.

- From your main felt cut a 7cm x 12cm rectangle. Place this rectangle on top of the hoop so it covers the bottom of the placement line, but not the top. Stitch out the last colour.



- Take the fabric out of the hoop. Cut the top layer of felt back so it hugs the last stitching line (no need to be too precise about this). Cut the ears and tail out staying inside the placement line.



- Load the Bunny body design from the USB stick into your machine. Cut a piece of homespun big enough to hoop up. Stitch out the first colour of the design. This is a placement line for the ears. Place the ears some that the ends sit below the line. Holding the ears in place, slowly stitch out the next colour (this will secure the ears).



- From your main felt, cut two rectangles 17cm x 11cm. Take one of the rectangles and place it in the centre of the hoop ensure that the top overlaps the bottom of the ears by 1cm.



- Stich out the next colour. This will secure the top layer of felt.

- From your contrast felt cut a 5cm x 3cm rectangle and a 4cm x 4cm square. Place the rectangle over the felt in the top left hand corner. Keeping the felt in place, stitch out the next colour. Take your square of contrast felt and place it halfway down the body on the right hand side. Keeping the felt in place, stitch out the next colour.



- Cut the top layer of the eye and flower felt back so its close to the stitching line.
- Stich the eyes, mouth and neck.



- Slide your second 17cm x 11cm rectangle of felt under the hoop. Line it up with the top layer as close as you can. Stich out the last colour slowly, ensuring that the felt is sitting flat over the ears.

- Take the design out of the hoop. Cut out the bunny, ensure that you cut between the placement line and the outline. Be careful not to cut the ears.
- Stitch the tail to the back of the bunny, making sure you don't stitch the bottom closed.



- Put a little bit of stuffing into the bunnies head, to give it a little body. Use your bunnies as toppers for egg cups, table decorations or anything you like.

