

APRIL BOM (April Showers)



Cut:

Background:

10 ½" Square - Tone on Tone White

Umbrella:

4 Vibrant Prints - 3" X 5"

1 - Black Solid - 3" X 5"

Wonder Under Fusible Webbing:

1 - 6" X 12" rectangle

Teflon Pressing Sheet

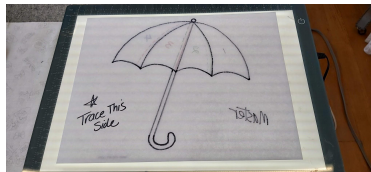
Half Sashing: (Repeat 2 prints used in umbrella)

1 - 2 ½" X 10 ½" Strip

1 - 2 ½" X 12 ½" Strip

Assemble:

1. Turn your master pattern **over** and trace the design outline, mark a star so you know that this is the side you trace your parts onto the wonder under fusible webbing. Make sure you include seam overlap for pieces 1,2 and 3 as outlined on the right side of your master pattern in black, green and red. **** (A light source is helpful, like a light table or up against a window)****



2. Trace all of the parts of the umbrella onto the wonder under fusible webbing with a pencil on the paper side. Rough cut around parts. Apply Wonder Under fusible webbing to the **wrong side** of all of the umbrella rectangles with dry iron. Cut out all of your pieces.



3. Remove the paper backing from all of your pieces. Use a pin to score the back for easy removal of paper.
4. Flip your pattern over to the **right side** and place onto an ironing surface, Place the teflon sheet on top of your pattern. You should be able to clearly see your umbrella pattern. Start by fusing part 1 down onto the teflon sheet. Place part 2 aligning with the pattern. It should overlap part 1, fuse into place. Continue until the umbrella is complete.



5. Gently lift up the bottom middle and slide the black umbrella handle underneath. Fuse into place according to pattern. **Let completely cool!!!!** Gently peel the whole umbrella off of the sheet.



6. Mark the middle of all 4 sides of your white square.
7. Using a light source align the umbrella master pattern marking with your marked lines on your white square. Fuse umbrella into place using steam.
8. Using black thread, zigzag around all of the parts. I used a small zigzag stitch with a width of 2 and a length of 1.5. Make a plan... I did the vertical seams first then the handle. Leave tails. Then I went all around the umbrella to finish it off!!
Use a **light** tearaway stabilizer underneath to support your applique while stitching.
Gently remove tearaway after stitching.



9. Tie off all threads on the back.
10. Add the sashing strips. True Block to 12 ½" square!!