



Fabric Flowers

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Tools

- Sewing machine
- Fusible web
- Usual sewing tools
- Needle nose pliers
- Awl
- Shaping forms
- Stems



Special Products

- Terrial Magic
- Bosal Stitch & Steam



Prepare the Fabric

If using fusible web to make double sided flowers, fuse two pieces together with fusible web

If using Bosal, pin it between two fabrics & stitch to firmly hold together

Top with patterns and cut out each flower petal set



Prepare the Fabric

Stitch around the petal shapes

Remove the freezer paper

Stitch densely inside each shape

The thread will define the centers & ribs of the petals as well as outside edges

Then cut out the shapes & continue



Steam, Spray & Mold

For Bosal, steam the cut out petals watch them ruffle up

Soak the ruffled pieces & the smooth petal pieces with Terial Magic

Then firmly pin the wet pieces to foam balls



Punch & Twist

Once the piece is completely dry, at least overnight!

Use your awl to punch a hole in the center of each layer of flower



Punch & Twist

Thread the layers of your flower onto the wire

Make a TIGHT curl in the top of the wire

Snug flower parts tightly against curl



Punch & Twist

Make a larger loop in the back of the petals to secure the flowers at top of stem



Flower Center Selections

Buttons

Felt balls

Beads

Yarn

All good choices

Leaves

Leaves made with the fusible web method

Sew a narrow open dart along center of leaf and slide flower stem into it



Leaves

Felt leaves can be made from two layers of felt

Stitch an outline of the leaf to hold it together and use the awl to make holes



I am looking forward to see what you create!


