



Confetti Heart Sampler



Beautiful wall hanging that integrates exciting colors and the soft, comfortable feel of chenille to add a touch of love & warmth to any room!

Skill Level: Advanced ■■■

Time to Complete:

Tools Needed:

- [Chenille Cutter \(CHN-1\)](#)
- [45mm Quick-Change Rotary Cutter \(RTY-2/NS\)](#)

Materials Needed:

See below for materials needed:

[Print](#) or [download Project Sheet \(PDF\)](#)

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Instructions

1. Materials needed:
2. From assorted fabrics cut: three 18" x 18"
Tear-away stabilizer cut: One 18" x 18"
From assorted mottled fabrics cut: 36, 3½" x 3½" squares 1 each of small, medium & large heart
From ½ yd. of black mottled fabric cut: 6, 1½" x 6½" strips for sashing 6, 1½" x WOF for sashing & border 3, 1¼" x WOF for binding
Water-soluble fabric marker
Paper-backed fusible web
Sewing thread to match fabric
26" square cotton batting
26" square backing fabric
Chenille Brush
Spray bottle with distilled water
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4. Instructions:
5. Step 1: From assorted fabrics sew three 3½" x 3½" blocks together to create a 6½" x 6½" four-patch block, press. Trace one each of small, med. and large heart to paper side of paper-backed fusible web, cut apart leaving small margin beyond drawn lines. Fuse to wrong side of assorted fabrics; cut out on drawn line, fuse to center of one four-patch block; matching thread and fabric color, appliqué edges with blanket stitch.
6. Step 2: With a fabric marker, trace heart lines to center of remaining four-patch blocks.
7. Step 3: To make faux chenille, use three 18" x 18" pieces of assorted fabrics and one 18" x 18" piece of tear-away stabilizer; stack with stabilizer on bottom layer; pin layers together With fabric marker, draw a line diagonally across fabric, through opposite corners. With matching thread and using a stitch length of 2 or smaller, sew bias lines through all thicknesses following marked fabric. Using a quilting guide continue sewing lines 3/8" from first sewn line. Continue sewing lines 3/8" apart to cover entire piece.
8. Step 4: Remove tear-away stabilizer pulling from center to outside edges. Transfer small heart to one corner of faux chenille, centering on sewn lines. Cut out 8 hearts. Sew chenille hearts to center heart of each four-patch block, stitching on pre-sewn lines and back tacking at beginning and end of each stitched line to secure. Using the Olfa Ultimate Chenille Cutter® cut channels between the stitched lines, being sure not to cut the background fabric
9. Step 5: Using a straight edge and cutting between the stitched lines with an Olfa Rotary Cutter, cut remaining faux chenille into strips. Following transferred heart lines on block sew, strips to blocks, back tacking at beginning and end of each strip
10. Step 6: Assemble wall hanging by sewing three rows of three blocks alternating heart blocks and black 1½" x 6 ½" sashing pieces, press. Sew rows together with 1½" x WOF strips between each row and on top and bottom, trim ends even, press. Sew 1½" x WOF strip to each side of wall hanging, press, trim ends even with top and bottom. Layer and baste quilt top for quilting method of your choice. Quilt as desired. Sew black 1¼" x WOF binding strips together end to end, press wrong side together matching raw edges. Matching right side of binding to front side of quilt, sew mitering corners. Press binding to back of quilt, hand stitch in place.

11. Step 7: Using a spray bottle with distilled water, dampen faux chenille using a Chenille Brush™, brush vigorously to fluff chenille.

