

Looking for a quick and meaningful Mother's Day gift? ♥

includes both "Mum" and "Mom" wording options.

Not just for Mums—simply skip our wording and add your own to create a beautiful, personalised bookmark for anyone.

Designed for the 5x7 hoop, this is a perfect quick project and a great way to use your favourite fabrics.



## FINISHED SIZE

- 8.5 by 17.5 cm's
- 3.3 by 6.8 inches

## MATERIALS FOR BOOKMARK

- 2 layers of water-soluble fabric-type stabiliser
- Matching bobbin thread
- Optional
  - tassel
  - Iron on interfacing for backing fabric

Front fabric	Cut 1 piece each 5 x 8 inch
Backing fabric	
Batting	

## STABILISER AND HOOPING

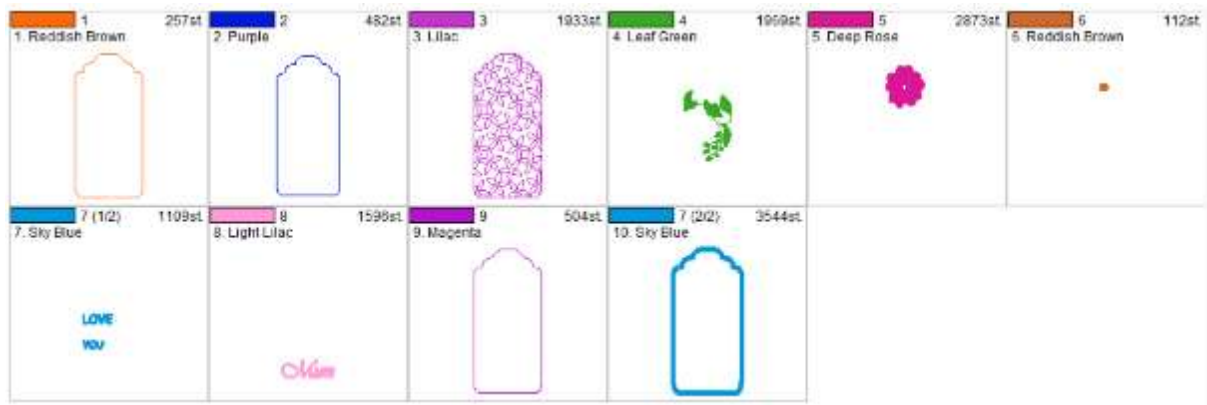


Hoop 2 layers of water-soluble stabiliser

Use pins at the hoop edge to ensure no stabiliser movement

If you are new to this technique  
[Click here to watch Kay's hooping video](#)

## CONSTRUCTION



### STEP ONE – THE FABRIC PLACEMENT LINE



Thread your machine with a neutral colour

Stitch Colour 1, which is the outline of the bookmark and shows you where to place your fabric

### OPTIONAL TASSEL

Tape your tassel in place outside the stitch lines





## STEP TWO – BATTING



Set your batting over the guideline and tape in place

Stitch Colour 2 to attach



Cut away excess batting

There are gaps between the batting and the original outline – this keeps the batting out of the edges

### STEP THREE – FABRICS



On the front of the hoop, place fabric over the guideline

Thread machine with the colour you want for background quilting (white)

Stitch Colour 3 to attach the fabric and quilt the background

### STEP FOUR – STITCH INNER DESIGN

Complete embroidery



Colour 4 - Leaf (green)

Colour 5 – Flower (lilac)

Colour 6 – Flower centre (purple)

Colour 7 – Love You wording (purple)

Colour 8 – Mum/Mom wording (lilac)



## STEP FIVE – ADD BACKING FABRIC

### BACK OF HOOP:

As shown, place the show backing fabric over the guideline area, with the **wrong** side of the fabric facing the hoop

Use small pieces of tape to hold the fabric in place, making sure the tape sits outside the stitch area



Stitch Colour 9 to attach backing fabric

Remove hoop from the machine

Cut away all excess fabric on the front and back of hoop



## STEP SIX – COMPLETE EMBROIDERY



Change bobbin thread to match

Stitch Colour 10 to zigzag, then complete satin stitch edge

(white)



## STEP SEVEN – FINISH



Remove the design from the hoop and trim away the excess stabiliser from the edges.

To remove the remaining water-soluble stabiliser along the edges, use a Q-tip (cotton bud) dipped in hot water.

For a completely clean finish, you can either soak the entire design or wash it in the machine. Once dry and pressed, it will look as good as new!



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	<p><i>instructions — your attention to detail makes all the difference.</i></p> <p><i>It takes a village!!</i></p> <p><i>Heather</i></p>
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