STITCH & PEOPLE.

HOW TO CROSS-STITCH FOR ABSOLUTE BEGINNERS AN EASTER EGG HUNT!



SUPPLIES:

Size 11 Aida Fabric: (Stitch with 4 Strands of floss)

or

Size 14 Aida Fabric: (Stitch with 3 Strands of floss)

DMC Embroidery Floss

Embroidery Needle (Size 5 or your personal preference)

Embroidery Scissors

Embroidery Hoop or Frame (4" - 6" size)

Non-permanent pen or pencil

PREPARATION FOR CLASS:

We'll stitch one egg during class - choose your favorite to work on in real time!

Before class, cut your Aida fabric according to how many eggs you'd like to stitch in your finished project and choose an embroidery hoop of a corresponding and appropriate size. See the sizing recommendations for help.

FLOSS COLOR RECOMMENDATIONS:

Use the color palette suggestions below as-is or as a jumping-off point for your own creative choices!

Pleasing Pastels: Bright & Bold: Nature's Neutrals: DMC 211 - Light Lavender DMC 742 - Light Tangerine DMC 3753 - Ultra Very Light Antique Blue DMC 3841- Pale Baby Blue DMC 3846 - Turquoise DMC 762 - Very Light Pearl Gray DMC 151- Very Light Dusty Rose DMC 600 - Very Dark Cranberry DMC 842 - Very Light Beige Brown DMC 3856- Light Mahogany DMC 911 - Medium Emerald Green DMC 712 - Cream DMC 677 - Very Light Old Gold DMC 311 - Medium Navy Blue DMC 3866 - Mocha Brown



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SIZING RECOMMENDATIONS:

- All dimensions indicate WIDTH x HEIGHT
- All dimensions assume two squares of space between eggs, horizontally and vertically, when multiple eggs are present.

Number of Eggs	Size 14 Fabric	Size 11 Fabric
1	Pattern Dimensions: 8 sq. x 11 sq.	Pattern Dimensions: 8 sq. x 11 sq.
(A single egg)	Pattern Dimensions: .6 in. x .8 in.	Pattern Dimensions: .7 in. x 1 in.
	Fabric Size: 5 in. x 5 in.	Fabric Size: 5 in. x 5 in.
3	Pattern Dimensions: 28 sq. x 11 sq.	Pattern Dimensions: 28 sq. x 11 sq.
(Three eggs in a row)	Pattern Dimensions: 2 in. x .8 in.	Pattern Dimensions: 2.5 in. x 1 in.
	Fabric Size: 6 in. x 5 in.	Fabric Size: 7 in. x 5 in.
6	Pattern Dimensions: 28 sq. x 24 sq.	Pattern Dimensions: 28 sq. x 24 sq.
(Two rows of three eggs)	Pattern Dimensions: 2 in. x 1.7 in.	Pattern Dimensions: 2.5 in. x 2.2 in.
	Fabric Size: 6 in. x 6 in.	Fabric Size: 7 in. x 7 in.
8	Pattern Dimensions: 38 sq. x 24 sq.	Pattern Dimensions: 38 sq. x 24 sq.
(Two rows of four eggs)	Pattern Dimensions: 2.7 in. x 1.7 in.	Pattern Dimensions: 3.5 in. x 2.2 in.
	Fabric Size: 7 in. x 6 in.	Fabric Size: 8 in. x 7 in.
12	Pattern Dimensions: 38 sq. x 37 sq.	Pattern Dimensions: 38 sq. x 37 sq.
(Three rows of four eggs)	Pattern Dimensions: 2.7 in. x 2.6 in.	Pattern Dimensions: 3.5 in. x 3.4 in.
	Fabric Size: 7 in. x 7 in.	Fabric Size: 8 in. x 8 in.
16	Pattern Dimensions: 38 sq. x 50 sq.	Pattern Dimensions: 38 sq. x 50 sq.
(Four rows of four eggs)	Pattern Dimensions: 2.7 in. x 3.6 in.	Pattern Dimensions: 3.5 in. x 4.5 in.
	Fabric Size: 7 in. x 8 in.	Fabric Size: 8 in. x 9 in.



HOW TO CROSS-STITCH FOR ABSOLUTE BEGINNERS AN FASTER FGG HUNT!

FLOSS COLORS IN THE SAMPLE IMAGE:

The following floss colors reflect those used in the stitched sample images.

Blues:

Light - DMC 747

Medium - DMC 800

Dark - DMC 798

Pinks:

Light - DMC 818 Medium - DMC 605

Dark - DMC 602

Purples:

Light - DMC 211 Medium - DMC 210

Dark - DMC 208

Oranges:

Light - DMC 967 Dark - DMC 722 *Greens:*

Light - DMC13 Dark - DMC 913

Yellow:

DMC 727