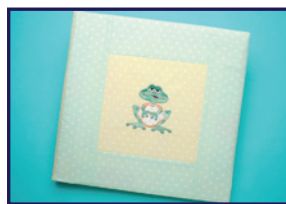# Bedtime Critters Applique Collection F70343

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Bedtime Critters Pajamas

1. Mark center(s) of design(s).

2. Hoop with two pieces of cut away stabilizer.

3. Embroider design.

4. Remove from hoop. Trim stabilizer close to design.

For this project, you will need:
- Pajamas
- Small pieces of fabric for the appliques *(We used scraps from the slumber party tote.)*
- Iron on adhesive
- Cut away stabilizer
- Chalk wheel
- Designs CH2793 and CH2787

Bedtime Critters Scrapbook or Album Cover

For this project, you will need:
- 12" X 12" scrapbook or photo album
- $\frac{1}{2}$ yd Color 1 *(We used yellow)*
- $\frac{1}{2}$ yd Color 2 *(We used green)*
- 14" X 29" Medium weight interfacing
- Small piece of fabric for the applique
- Iron on adhesive
- Cut away stabilizer
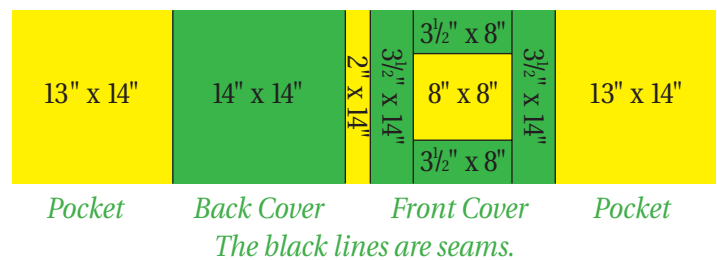- Chalk wheel
- Design CH2782

Use $\frac{1}{4}$" seams to assemble the cover.

1. Cut Color 1 *(yellow)*: one 8" X 8" for the center, one 2" X 14" for the piece between the front and back piece, and two 13" X 14" for the pockets. Cut Color 2 *(green)*: two $3\frac{1}{2}$" X 8" for the front, two $3\frac{1}{2}$" X 14" for the front, and one 14" X 14" for the back. Cut one piece of medium weight interfacing 13" X 29".

2. Mark the center on the 8" X 8" piece of fabric with the chalk wheel. Hoop the fabric with two pieces of 8" X 8" cut away stabilizer.

3. Embroider design.

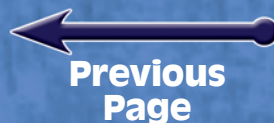4. Remove from hoop.

5. Do not remove the cut away stabilizer.

Chart shown below.

Pocket	Back Cover	Front Cover		Pocket
13" x 14"	14" x 14"	2" x 14" · $3\frac{1}{2}$" x 14" · [$3\frac{1}{2}$" x 8" / 8" x 8" / $3\frac{1}{2}$" x 8"] · $3\frac{1}{2}$" x 14"		13" x 14"

Pocket   Back Cover   Front Cover   Pocket
The black lines are seams.

6. Stitch the $3\frac{1}{2}$" X 8" green pieces of fabric to the top and the bottom of the 8" X 8" embroidered piece of fabric. Stitch the $3\frac{1}{2}$" X 14" green pieces of fabric to the sides of the embroidered piece. Stitch the 2" X 14" yellow piece of fabric to the 14" X 14" green piece of fabric.

7. Lay the 14" X 29" piece of medium weight interfacing on the back of the assembled piece. Stitch $\frac{1}{4}$" from the outside edge to tack down the interfacing.

8. Stitch the 13" X 14" yellow pieces of fabric to each side of the piece you have already assembled. Hem the outside edges of the pocket.

9. Fold the pocket to the album front. Stitch the top and the bottom of the pocket to the album front. Fold the pocket to the album back. Stitch the top and the bottom of the pocket to the album back. Turn the pocket.

10. Hem the area on the top and the bottom of the album that is not covered with the pocket.

1. Remove back and glass from frame. Paint the frame.

2. Hoop two pieces of cut away stabilizer. Spray the cut away stabilizer with the adhesive and adhere the piece of heavy weight interfacing. Embroider the design and remove from hoop. Trim stabilizer close to design.

3. Glue the embroidered piece and buttons to front of the frame.

Hint: Rather than a photograph, embroider the baby's name, birth date, weight, length, and Mom and Dad's name on coordinating fabric for the frame.

Bedtime Critters Frame

For this project, you will need:

- 5" X 7" frame
- Craft paint
- Heavy weight interfacing
- Cut away stabilizer
- Spray adhesive
- Small piece of fabric for the applique
- Iron on adhesive
- 3 large buttons
- Glue *(We used hot glue because it can be removed with a hair dryer.)*
- Design CH2781

Bedtime Critters Slumber Party Tote

For this project, you will need:

- Color 1 - $^3/_4$ yd 45" wide flannel *(We used dark pink.)*
- Color 2 - $^1/_2$ yd 45" wide flannel *(We used floral.)*
- 2 yd cording *(We used white.)*
- 1 stop cord
- Small pieces of fabric for the appliques *(We used floral.)*
- Iron on adhesive
- Cut away stabilizer
- Chalk wheel
- Designs CH2787 and CH2793

1. Cut Color 1 *(dark pink)*: one 30" X 18" for the tote and one 30" X 12" for the pockets. Cut Color 2 *(floral)*: one 30" X 18". Cut two pieces of cut away stabilizer 30" X 6".

2. Color 1 *(dark pink)*, Mark the center fold line the long way, and the center stitch line on the 30" X 18" piece of fabric with the chalk wheel. Mark the center on the pockets *(dark pink)* for the embroidery with the chalk wheel.

3. Hoop the 30" X 12" pocket with two pieces of 30" X 6" cut away stabilizer.

4. Embroider designs. Remove from hoop. Do not trim the cut away stabilizer.

5. Fold the pocket in half with the embroidered side out.

6. Place the back side of pocket to the bottom edge 30" X 18" *(floral)* piece of fabric. Stitch the pocket to the floral fabric.

7. Stitch the pocket lines marked with the chalk wheel. Stitch the side seam.

8. Stitch the side seam of the 30" X 18" *(dark pink)* piece of fabric. This will be the lining.

9. Place the front sides of the fabric pieces with side seams together. Stitch $^1/_2$" from the top edge. Turn right side out. Press. Stitch $^1/_4$" from edge. To form casing, stitch 2" from the top, then $2^1/_2$" from the top. Open the seam *(floral)* between the 2" and the $2^1/_2$" stitching, thread the drawstring through. Attach the stop cord. Pin the ends of the drawstring to the bottom of the bag on the corner of the side seam. Reinforce each end of the drawstring opening.

10. Stitch the bottom of the bag. Stitch the bottom of the lining leaving an opening for turning the bag right side out.

11. Turn. Stitch the opening closed.

12. Tack the lining to the bottom of the bag.

Bedtime Critters Hooded Blanket

For this project, you will need:
- Color 1 - 1$\frac{1}{2}$ yd 45" wide flannel *(We used yellow.)*
- Color 2 - 1$\frac{1}{2}$ yd 45" wide flannel *(We used polka dot.)*
- Small piece of fabric for the applique
- Iron on adhesive
- Cut away stabilizer
- Chalk wheel
- Design CH2793

1. Cut one 42" X 42" from Color 1 and Color 2 pieces of fabric. Cut one 12" X 12" X 17" *(triangle)* from Color 1 and Color 2 pieces of fabric for the hood. Cut one 2" X 17" from Color 2 for the binding. Curve all of the corners using a plate.

2. Mark the center on the hood of Color 1 *(yellow)*.

3. Hoop the hood with two pieces of cut away stabilizer.

4. Embroider design.

5. Remove from hoop.

6. Trim the cut away to the size of the hood. *(It will be the interfacing.)*

7. Lay the back sides of the hood together. Bind the straight edge of the hood.

8. Lay the back side of the hood to the front side of Color 1 *(yellow)*. Tack down the hood.

9. Lay the front sides of the 42" X 42" pieces of fabric together. Stitch the outside edge with a $\frac{1}{2}$" seam leaving an opening to turn. Trim the curved edges.

10. Turn. Stitch opening closed. Top stitch $\frac{1}{2}$" from the outside edge.

Bedtime Critters Diaper Bag

For this project, you will need:
- Diaper bag or pattern *(We used Simplicity 2838)*
- Fabric and items listed on pattern
- Small pieces of fabric for the appliques
- Iron on adhesive
- Cut away stabilizer
- Chalk wheel
- Designs CH2783, CH2790, and CH2792

Diaper bag with pattern.

1. Preshrink the fabric.

2. Cut diaper bag pieces from fabric. *(We used a coordinating piece of fabric for the pocket.)*

3. Mark center of designs on the pocket piece.

4. Hoop the pocket piece with two pieces of cut away.

5. Embroider design(s).

6. Remove from hoop.

7. Trim the cut away to the size of the pocket. *(It will be the interfacing.)*

8. Assemble the diaper bag following the pattern instructions.
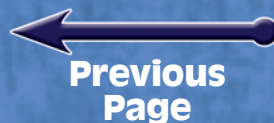
Note: Make sure the areas you will embroider on the purchased diaper bag are free of snaps, zippers, buttons, etc.

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Bedtime Critters Crib Caddy

For this project, you will need:
- Pattern *(We used Simplicity 3954)*
- Fabric and items listed on pattern
- Small piece of fabric for the applique
- Iron on adhesive
- Cut away stabilizer
- Chalk wheel
- Designs CH2789 and CH2788

Crib caddy with pattern.

1. Preshrink the fabric.

2. Cut caddy pieces from fabric. *(We used coordinating pieces of fabric for the pockets.)*
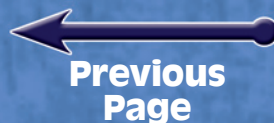
3. Mark center of designs on the pocket piece.

4. Hoop the pocket piece with two pieces of cut away.

5. Embroider design(s).

6. Remove from hoop.

7. Trim the cut away stabilizer close to the design.

8. Assemble the crib caddy following the pattern instructions.

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Bedtime Critters Cradle Bumpers Pads

For this project, you will need:

- 1¹/₃ yds Color 1 *(We used yellow.)*
- 1¹/₃ yds Color 2 *(We used green.)*
- 11 yds folded bias tape *(We used yellow.)*
- Crib size pkg of quilt batting
- Small pieces of fabric for the appliques *(We used three coordinating pastel colored fabrics.)*
- Iron on adhesive
- Cut away stabilizer
- Chalk wheel
- Designs CH2784, CH2786, CH2791, CH2797, CH2798, and CH2799

Note: To determine the size and amount of fabric you will need, measure the inside of the cradle or crib and add 1" to the length and width for each piece. Crib bumper pad patterns are available.

Use ¹/₂" seams to assemble the cradle bumper pads.

1. Cut Color 1 *(yellow)*: two 37" X 13" for the sides and two 24" X 13" for the head and foot boards. Cut Color 2 *(green)*: two 37" X 13" for the sides and two 24" X 13" for the head and foot boards. Cut quilt batting: two 37" X 13" for the sides and two 24" X 13" for the head and foot boards. Cut twenty four 16" length of bias tape.

2. Mark the center of the 24" X 13" *(yellow)* piece of fabric for the head and foot boards with the chalk wheel. Fold the 37" X 13" *(yellow)* piece of fabric in half, mark the center of each half with the chalk wheel.

3. Hoop the fabric with two pieces of cut away stabilizer.

4. Embroider design(s).

5. Remove from hoop.

6. Trim stabilizer close to design.

7. Lay the embroidered piece with embroidered side up, lay the *(green)* piece of fabric front side down, then the quilt batting, stitch ¹/₂" from the outside edge leaving an opening to turn front sides out.

8. Clip corners. Turn. Stitch opening closed.

9. Press. Stitch ¹/₄" from outside edge.

10. Stitch 3" and 6" from the outside edges of the foot and head board pieces. For the side pieces stitch 3" from the outside edge, stitch center line, then stitch 3" on each side of the center line stitches.

11. Stitch ¹/₄" around the outside edge of embroidery.

12. Edge stitch the 16" pieces of bias tape. Tack the bias tape to the top and bottom of the middle of each piece and the corners.

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Bedtime Critters Baby Bib

Bib with pattern
1. Preshrink the fabric.

2. Cut bib pieces from fabric. *(We used a coordinating piece of fabric for the pocket.)*

3. Mark center of design on the front bib piece. *(We*

For this project, you will need:
- Bib or pattern *(We used Simplicity 2838)*
- Fabric and items listed on pattern
- Small piece of fabric for the applique
- Iron on adhesive
- Cut away stabilizer
- Chalk wheel
- Design CH2795

embroidered the design closer to the bottom so it would look like the bunny is coming out of the pocket.)

4. Hoop the front bib piece with two pieces of cut away.

5. Embroider design.

6. Remove from hoop.

7. Trim the cut away to the same size of the bib. *(It will be the interfacing.)*

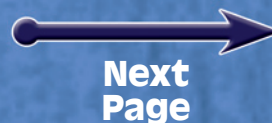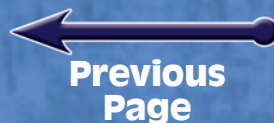8. Assemble the bib following the pattern instructions.

Bib
1. Hoop bib with two pieces of cut away stabilizer.

2. Embroider design.

3. Remove from hoop.

4. Trim cut away stabilizer close to design.

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