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## Zoo Animals



Sisterhood  
Retreats

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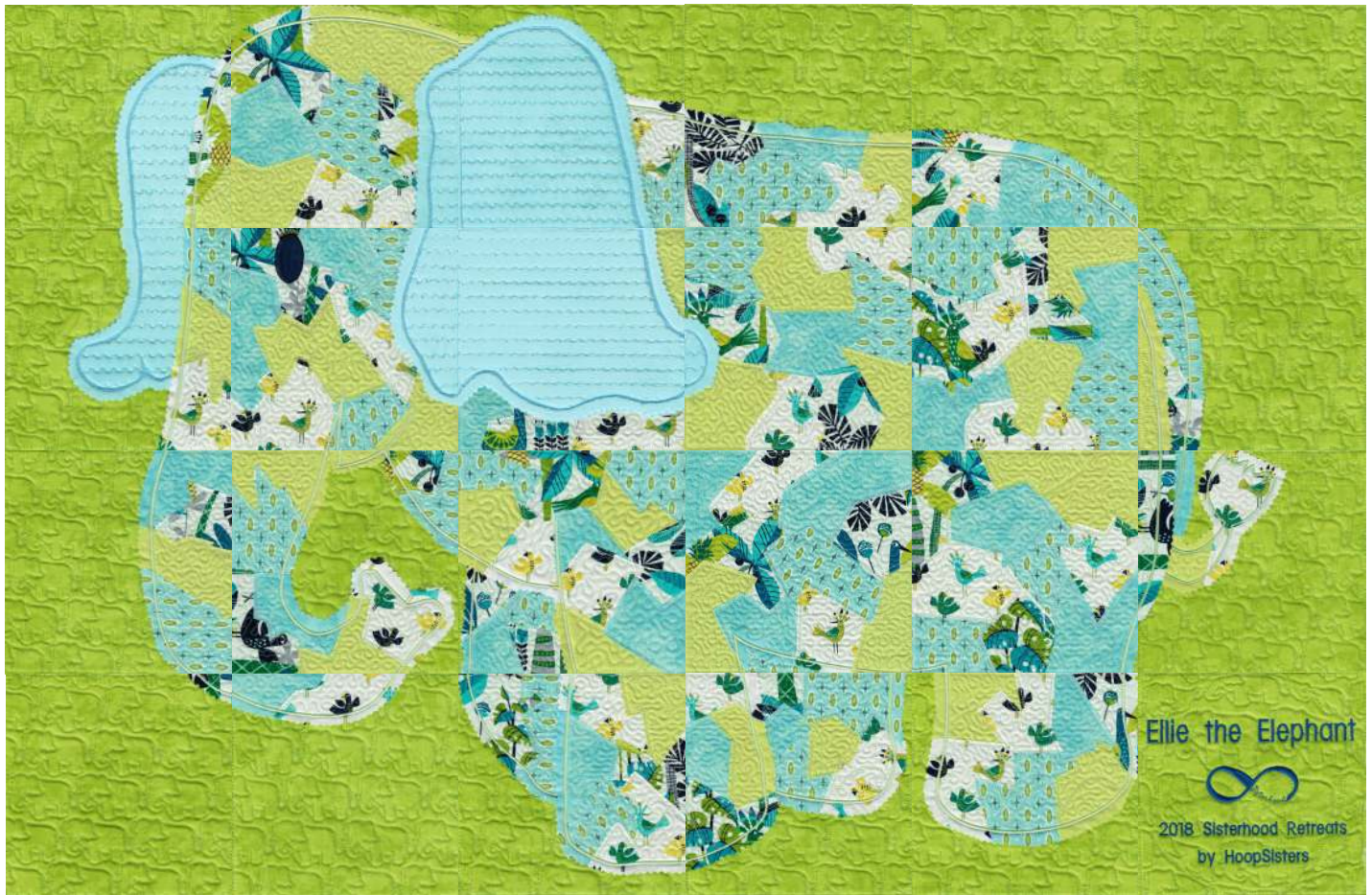


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## Ellie (or Eli) the Elephant Quilt



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## Michael Miller Fabrics We Used



KRYSTA-4058-D  
krystal 4058



KRYSTA-1068-D  
krystal 1068



PS7105-AQUA-D  
mariner dot



CX7512-CARI-D  
shake your tailfeather



SC5333-LIMD-D  
cotton couture



CX7514-CARI-D  
toucan dance



SMS7580-AQUA-D  
silky minky solid on  
minky



SMP7021-BLUE-D  
happy elephants





\*From **1 yd. Background Fabric** cut three 8" strips. From the 8" strips cut eleven 8" x 8" squares.

From the remaining 8" x 34" strip cut:

Two—8" x 6½"

One 8" x 6¾"

One 8" x 3"

One 8" x 4¼"

One 8" x 5¼"

**Additional Supplies to have on hand:**

- **1/3 yard fabric for binding**
- 3 Embroidery threads & bobbin thread, see table below
- Superior Vanish Lite Thread

Use remaining Background Fabric for smaller pieces.

\*From **3/8 yd. of 5 different Applique Fabrics**, cut into 4½" strips.

\*From **1 1/8 yds. of Ear and Backing Fabric** cut one 30" x 42" piece for backing. Use remaining for ear pieces requested on table.

Filename	Battilizer® <b><u>5 yd. pkg.</u></b>	*Background Fabric <b><u>1 yard</u></b> *Matching Thread	*Applique Fabric <b><u>3/8 yd of 5 fabrics</u></b> *Coordinating Thread	*Ear and Backing Fabric <b><u>1 1/8 yards</u></b> *Matching Thread
A1	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	8" x 8"	2 different fabrics	6" x 4" for ear
A2	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	8" x 6½"	3 different fabrics	4¼" x 5¾" for ear
A3	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	8" x 6¾"	4 different fabrics	N/A for ear
A4	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	8" x 8"	1 little scrap	N/A for ear
B1	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	8" x 3"	Use all 5 fabrics	6" x 2" for ear



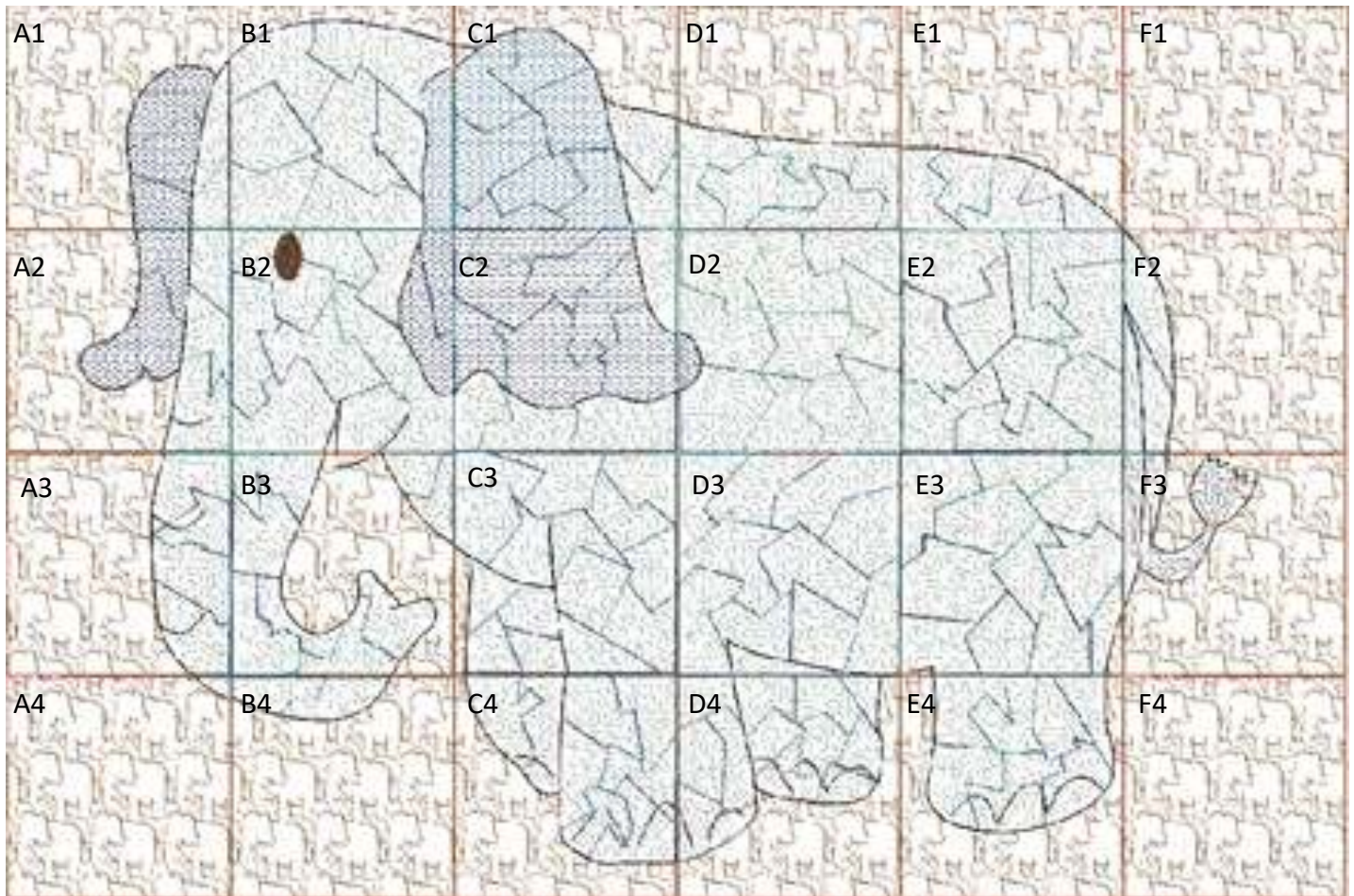
Filename	Battilizer®	Background Fabric	Applique Fabric	Ear and Backing Fabric
B2	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	3" x 2"	Use all 5 fabrics	6" x 2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> " for ear
B3	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	8" x 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> "	Use all 5 fabrics	N/A for ear
B4	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	8" x 8"	Use 2 fabrics	N/A for ear
C1	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	8" x 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "	Use 3 fabrics	7" x 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " for ear
C2	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	N/A	Use 4 fabrics	6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " x 8" for ear
C3	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " x 5"	Use all 5 fabrics	N/A for ear
C4	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	8" x 8"	Use all 5 fabrics	N/A for ear
D1	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> " x 8"	Use all 5 fabrics	N/A for ear
D2	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	N/A	Use all 5 fabrics	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " x 2"



Filename	Battilizer®	Background Fabric	Applique Fabric	Ear and Backing Fabric
D3	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	N/A	All 5 fabrics	N/A for ear
D4	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	8" x 8"	All 5 fabrics	N/A for ear
E1	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	8" x 8"	4 different fabrics	N/A for ear
E2	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	N/A	All 5 fabrics	N/A for ear
E3	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	1—2" x 3½" 1— 2¼" x 1¾"	All 5 fabrics	N/A for ear
E4	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	8" x 8"	All 5 fabrics	N/A for ear
F1	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	8" x 8"	N/A	N/A for ear
F2	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	8" x 8"	3 different fabrics	N/A for ear
F3	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	8" x 8"	4 different fabrics	N/A for ear
F4	One piece large enough to fit your hoop.	8" x 8"	N/A	N/A for ear



## Ellie The Elephant Quilt Layout



**BEFORE BEGINNING YOUR QUILT BLOCKS**....The following step by step instructions are divided into 5 different categories, 1) Background only blocks, 2) Block with only raw edge piecing, 3) Blocks with Background Fabric, 4) Blocks with ear pieces, 5) Blocks with overlapping raw edge sections .

Basic **trimming instructions while constructing your blocks** is any applique fabric on the edge of the elephant is trimmed using a pinking shears 1/4" to 1/2" from satin stitch. The edge of applique fabric inside the elephant body is trimmed 1/8" from stitching using a HoopScissors or HoopScissors Mini. More in-depth trimming instructions are found on step by step instructions.

For **trimming completed blocks**, remove from hoop. Any block on the outside of the quilt that will have binding sewn to it, trim 1/4" from basting stitch through all layers. Trim all other sides and blocks using the Trimmer 2.0, removing Battilizer® up to basting stitch. Lightly mark blocks with filename/location using pencil on top inside seam allowance.



## Booboo Buddy Supply List

Filename	Battilizer®	Front Fabric	Backing Fabric	Lining Fabric	Applique Fabric	Notions
BooBuddy	One piece large enough to fit your hoop	6¼" x 9¾"	1—6½" x 6½" folded in half and pressed to be 3¼" x 6½" for top half  1—6½" x 14" folded in half and pressed to be 6½" x 7" for bottom	6¼" x 9¾"	2" x 3" minky scrap for penguin's belly	Velcro: ½"w x 1½" long  Ice Pack: 5¼"h x 4"w x 1"d

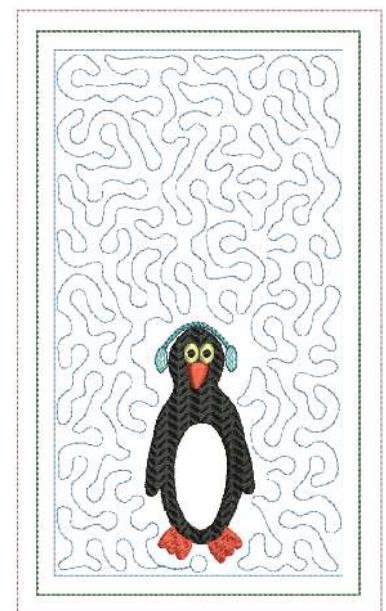
### Additional Supplies to have on hand:

- Embroidery Thread
- Embroidery bobbin thread
- Superior Vanish Lite Thread



File Name: BooBuddy

Size: 5.25"w x 8.75"h





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## Knap Sack Supply List

Filename	Stabilizer	Knapsack Fabric	Applique Fabric	Notions
Zoo Animal Embroidery Design of your choice	Cut Away Stabilizer	1/2 yard	See design if applicable	2 grommets with 3/8" opening 4 yards cording Embroidery Thread Embroidery Bobbin Thread

**Prepare Fabric and Embroider:** Cut Knapsack fabric into two 16" w x 18" h pieces. If embroidering the giraffe and you want the bottom of the giraffe's neck to be in the seam allowance, you may want to cut one piece 16" w x 24" h to be easier to hoop (Trim to 16" w x 18" h after embroidery is finished). Personalize with child's name if desired. Find center of the fabric that will be embroidered, mark fabric 2" to 3" below center point. Stitch embroidery/applique. Cut away stabilizer.

**Assemble the knapsack:** Place the two pieces of fabric wrong sides together. Place pin 3" from top on both left and right sides. This is where you will start and stop sewing. We will make a French seam. Stitch a 1/4" seam beginning at one pin and ending at the other. Trim seam allowance to 1/8". At the four open ends at the top, press in 1/4" and 1/4" again to enclose raw edge. This will be angled. Topstitch folded edge on all four pieces. Turn bag inside out. Sew 1/4" seam allowance on the sides and bottom, encasing the raw edges.

**Cording Pocket:** Fold and press top edges of bag 1/4". Fold and press again so the first folded edge meets the stitches on the sides of the bag (3" mark). Pin flap in place to make the cord pocket. Repeat for other side. Topstitch flap in place on both sides.

**Grommets:** Turn bag right side out and press. Place grommets in the bottom two corners of the bag based on instructions on the grommet package.

**Cording:** Cut your cording into two 2 yard pieces. To keep cut edge from fraying, wrap tape around cording and cut through the middle of the tape. Put a safety pin in the end of the first piece of cording. Feed cording through front pocket starting from right, pulling through to left side. Insert into left side of back pocket and pull through making ends even. Repeat for other side by placing safety pin on end of second piece of cording. Start feeding through left side of front pocket, pull through to right side of front pocket. Then feed through right side of back pocket making sure ends are even. Essentially a mirror image of first piece of cording. Take cording ends on the right side and feed through grommet on the right, tying a knot on the back of the knapsack. Repeat for left side.

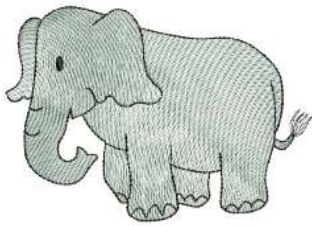
You are finished! Add your BooBoo Buddy and other goodies and simply pull cording to cinch knapsack closed. Your children and grandchildren will love showing off their knapsack on their next trip to the zoo.

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## Zoo Animal Embroideries

Follow these instructions for stitching just the embroidery design. For each step use the polyester embroidery thread of your choice in the needle.

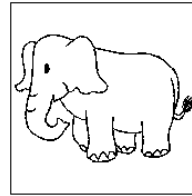


**Elephant**

5.07" w x 3.54" h



Step 1,  
Stitch elephant body using thread color of your choice.

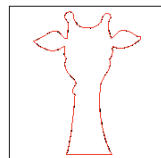


Step 2,  
Stitch outline using black thread.

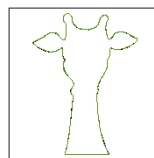


**Giraffe**

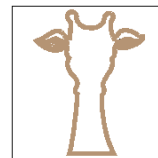
3.95" w x 5.16" h



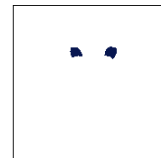
Step 1,  
Sew placement stitch using water soluble thread.



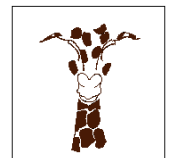
Step 2,  
Align applique fabric (4 1/4" x 6") and sew tack down using water soluble thread. Trim close.



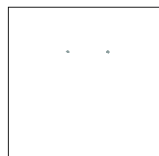
Step 3,  
Using thread to match fabric, sew satin stitch.



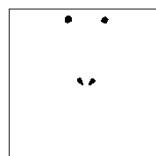
Step 4,  
Using your choice of thread color, stitch eyes.



Step 5,  
Stitch giraffe spots using brown thread.



Step 6,  
Stitch eye detail using white thread.



Step 7,  
Stitch detail using black thread.

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**Hippo**

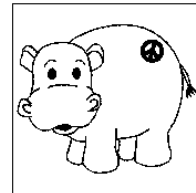
4.72" w x 3.87" h



Step 1,  
Stitch ears using  
pink thread.



Step 2,  
Stitch hippo body  
using thread color  
of your choice.

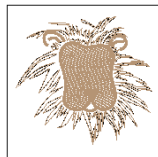


Step 3,  
Stitch outline  
using black  
thread.



**Lion**

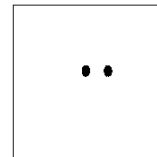
6.64" w x 6.26" h



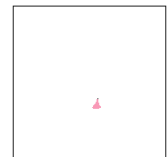
Step 1,  
Using tan  
thread, sew  
lion mane and  
face.



Step 2,  
Using darker  
tan or brown  
thread, sew  
detail of lion  
mane.



Step 3,  
Use black  
thread to sew  
eyes.



Step 4,  
Use pink  
thread to  
sew lion  
tongue.

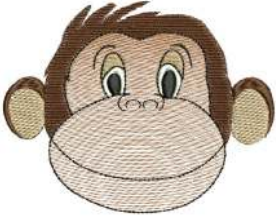


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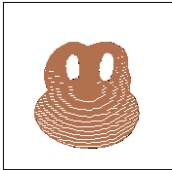
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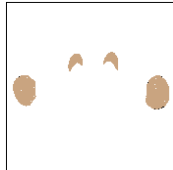
**Monkey**  
4.61" w x 3.61" h



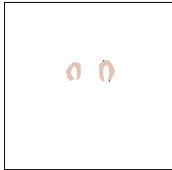
Step 1,  
Stitch monkey face using light brown thread.



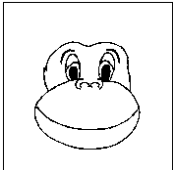
Step 2,  
Stitch head using dark brown thread.




Step 3,  
Stitch ears and eyelids using tan thread.



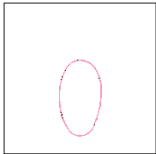
Step 4,  
Using white thread, stitch eyes.



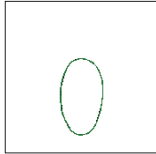
Step 5,  
Stitch face details using black thread.



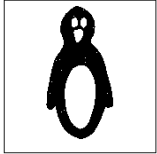
**Penguin**  
1.81" w x 3.96" h



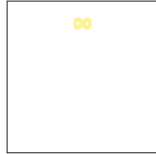
Step 1,  
Stitch placement for belly applique using water soluble or neutral embroidery thread.



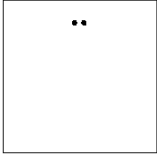
Step 2,  
Place 2" x 3" applique fabric and sew tack down. Trim close.



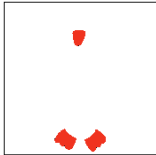
Step 3,  
Using black fabric, sew penguin body.



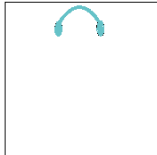
Step 4,  
Use white thread to sew eyes.




Step 5,  
Use black thread to sew detail in eyes.



Step 6,  
Using orange thread, sew feet and beak.



Step 7,  
Use thread color of your choice, stitch ear muffs.



Step 8,  
Use contrasting thread color and stitch ear muff details.

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