

Scissor Keep

Designed and created especially for Pfaff
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Keep your scissors protected and show-off your crafting skills at the same time. Those of you who already use Pfaff creative Customizing may recognize the embroidery motifs used to create this lovely heirloom design. The entire design was created using letters that are built right into creative Customizing! Check out the Letters panel in your program and view Daisy 2C UC 25-65! A fun, creative tool right at your fingertips!

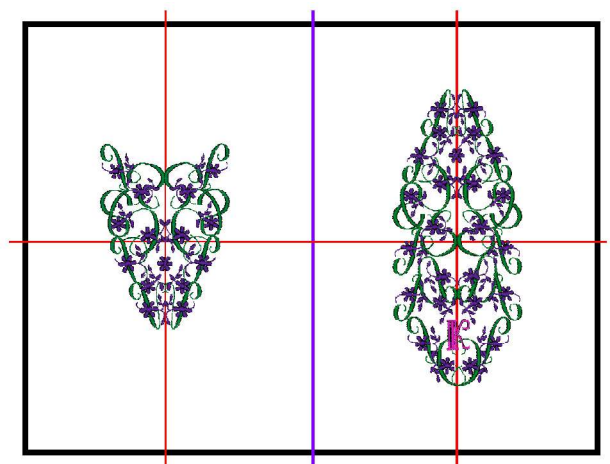
Supplies You'll Need:

- Pfaff creative Embroidery Machine
- Free downloads – SKFront.vip & SKBack.vip
- Rayon embroidery thread
- Sewing thread
- 9" x 12" white or ivory linen (washable)
- 9" x 12" lining fabric
- Water soluble stabilizer such as Sulky's® Super Solvy or Paper Solvy (you'll need to use 2 layers of the Paper Solvy if embroidering on a lightweight linen)
- Temporary spray adhesive
- Water-soluble fabric marker
- Small circle of hook & loop tape or small snap
- 1 yard decorative cord and 2"-3" tassel (optional)
- Inexpensive metal or plastic thimble



Let's Get Started:

1. With a fabric marker, draw a vertical line down the center of the fabric (each half will be 6" x 12). Draw intersecting horizontal and vertical lines through the center of each half of the fabric. These will be the centering points for the front and back pieces of the scissor keeper.
2. Hoop your stabilizer and lightly spray with temporary adhesive.
3. Center one half of the fabric in the embroidery field of the hoop, aligning horizontal and vertical lines with notches on hoop.



4. Embroider front of scissor keeper. Remove from hoop and tear away any excess stabilizer.
5. Repeat for back of scissor keeper. After embroidery is complete, rinse out all stabilizer
6. Use included pattern to cut out front and back lining pieces. Lay pattern piece on embroidered linen, centering embroidery. Trace around pattern pieces. Cut out front and back embroidered pieces.
7. With right sides together, use a 3/8" seam allowance to sew embroidered front to back, ending stitching 3/8" from top of front piece. If you are adding a tassel, insert it at the bottom point of the outer pieces (with the tassel on the inside of the 2 layers – this will allow the tassel to hang down once the piece is turned right side out) Repeat for lining pieces. Press both pieces to set seams. Turn lining right-side out. DO NOT press lining after turning.
8. Tuck lining inside embroidered case. Stitch around edges, leaving a small opening for turning along the straight front edge.
9. Turn case right side out, tuck lining inside and press.
10. Attach snap closure to front and inside flap.
11. Hand or machine stitch decorative cord at points where front and back pieces meet.
12. Drop the thimble in the bottom of the Scissor Keep to permanently keep your scissors from poking a hole in the fabric!

