

“MonogramWorks Personalized Head Band”



Create this adorable head band using MonogramWorks from Designer’s Gallery. You won’t stop with just one make an accessory for every outfit or every season of the year.

Skill Level: Easy

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Supplies:

MonogramWorks from Designer's Gallery®

Embroidery and sewing machine

Aqua Set Tear-Away Stabilizer from Baby Lock


Embroidery thread

1 ½" Wide Gross Grain ribbon (orange and white striped)

1" Wide elastic

Steam-A-Seam Fusible Web

At the Computer:

1. Open the program by clicking on the MonogramWorks  icon on the desktop.
2. Click on the menu View and select Hoop Size from the drop-down menu. When the dialog box opens, select the 130mm x 180mm hoop. Place a checkmark next to Rotate 90° and click on OK.
3. To create the name, follow the next set of steps:


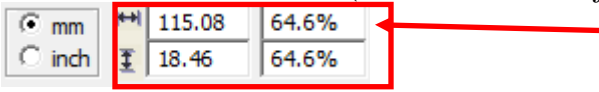
- Click on Create Monogram  icon on the top toolbar.
- Type the name in the Text field.
- Click on the down arrow next to the fonts. Scroll down and select the Philly font.
- With the letters selected type in the 115mm in the width field under the Size and Position Control (*as shown in the following*

illustration). 

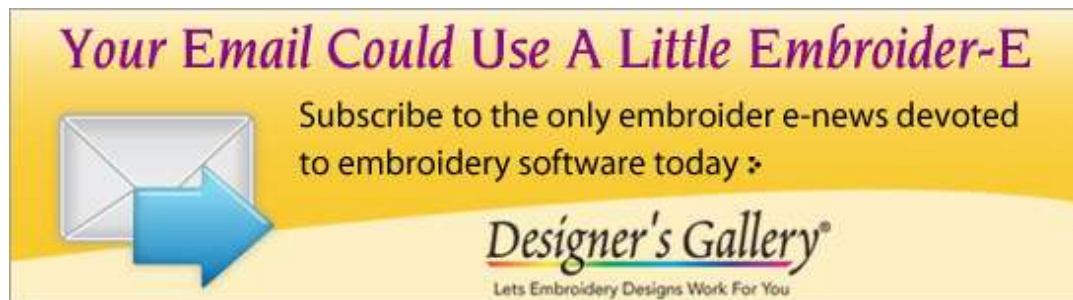
4. Click on File Save As and send to the media source in the format that your machine will read.
5. Click on the Print icon on the top toolbar and print out a template of the design.

At the Machine:

1. Cut two pieces of ribbon 12" long from the ribbon. Set one aside for now.
2. Pin the printed template to the center on one of the ribbons.
3. Hoop the stabilizer and following the manufacturer's directions to water- activate the stabilizer.

4. Place the ribbon over the hoop, being careful that the template is centered in the hoop and finger press in place.
5. Place the hoop on the embroidery unit.
6. Center the needle over the cross marks on the template. Remove the template.
7. Embroider the monogram design. Black thread was used.
8. Remove the embroidered ribbon from the hoop and stabilizer.
9. Cut out a piece of the Steam-A-Seam the same size as the ribbon. With wrong sides facing, fuse the embroidered section to another piece of ribbon cut the same size as the embroidered section.
10. Fold the ends in 1/2" and press.
11. Measure your child's head and cut a section of elastic to fit. In the sample, an 8" piece was used.
12. Machine sew the elastic to each folded end.

Option: if you want to embroider hand towels or finger tip towels, resize the monogram to a smaller size.



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