

Sunglasses Case ITH Embroidery Design

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Make a cute sunglasses (or glasses) case entirely in the hoop of your embroidery machine. This design requires only two hoopings in a 5x7 or larger hoop.

The finished size of the Sunglasses Case is approximately 3 3/4" wide by 6 3/4" long.

Fabric and notions:

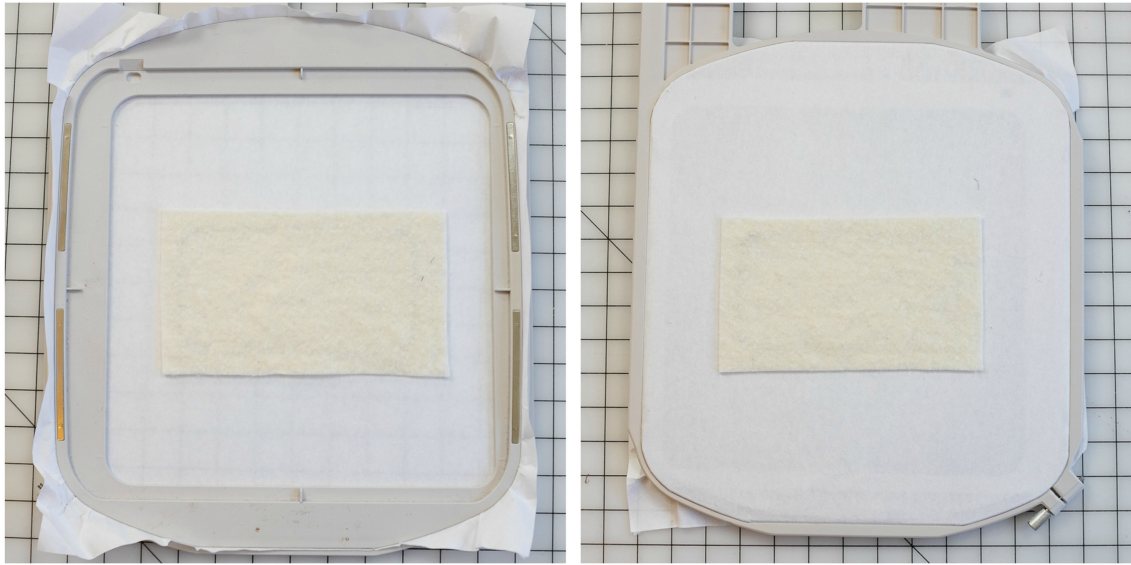
- 2 rectangles of fabric 4 1/2" x 7 1/2" for the case exterior
- 2 rectangles of fabric 4 1/2" x 7 1/2" for the case lining
- 4 rectangles of quilt batting 4 1/2" x 7 1/2"
- Tear-away embroidery stabilizer
- Spray adhesive for embroidery (such as Sulky KK 2000)
- Coordinating embroidery thread for the needle and the bobbin
- A marking pen the same color as the embroidery thread (optional)

Embroidery Design Steps for Sunglasses Case Hooping 1 (the back of the case):



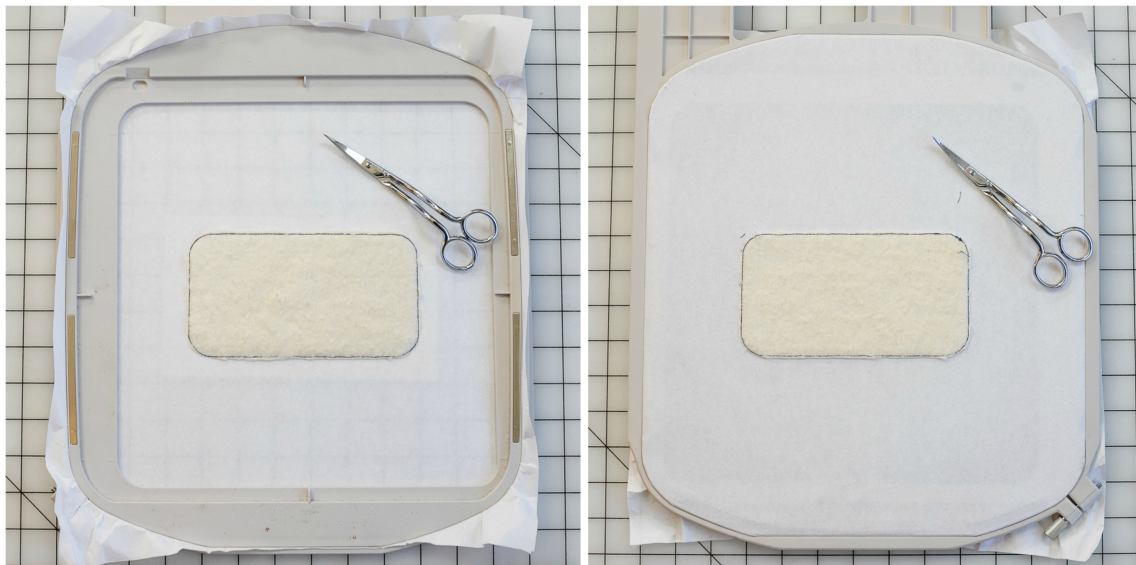
1. Placement step for batting.





Remove the hoop from the embroidery machine. Spray one side of a batting piece with adhesive and adhere over the placement stitches on the front of the hoop. Spray another batting piece with adhesive and adhere over the placement stitches on the back of the hoop. Place the hoop back in the machine.

2. Tack down stitches for the batting.



Remove the hoop from the embroidery machine. Trim around the tack down stitches for the batting pieces on the front and back.



Spray the back of a fabric piece for the case exterior with adhesive and place it over the batting on the front of the hoop. Spray the back of a fabric piece for the case lining with adhesive and place it over the batting on the back of the hoop. Place the hoop back in the machine.

3. Tack down stitches for the fabric pieces.

Remove the hoop from the embroidery machine. Trim around the tack down stitches for the fabric pieces on the front and back. Place the hoop back in the machine.

4. Embroidery fill design.

Make sure that the bobbin thread matches the top thread before running the next step.

5. Satin stitches at the opening of the case.

Remove the piece from the embroidery hoop and tear away as much of the stabilizer as possible.

Tip: Trim away the jump stitches in between the flower motifs for a prettier finish.



Embroidery Design Steps for Sunglasses Case Hooping 2 (the front of the case):

Run embroidery design steps 1-5 following the same instructions as the back of the case.



Remove the hoop from the embroidery machine and turn it over. Place the back of the case over the front of the case with the lining pieces facing each other and the satin stitches lined up together.



Tape the back of the case in place with masking tape - matching both sides up as much as possible.



6. Satin stitches around the rest of the case.

These stitches attach the two sides as well.



Tip: Use the marker to color any stabilizer that shows so that it matches the thread.