

LITTLE BIRD PATTERNS

Women's Apron Pattern

So simple and easy to make – whip this one up in half an hour!

Materials Required

Size Small requires 60cm of fabric (where print runs selvage to selvage rather than parallel to the selvage) (a border print). Plus 65cm for the waist and neck ties.

Size Medium requires 70cm of fabric (where print runs selvage to selvage rather than parallel to the selvage) (a border print). Plus 65cm for the waist and neck ties.

Size Large requires 80cm of fabric (where print runs selvage to selvage rather than parallel to the selvage) (a border print). Plus 65cm for the waist and the neck ties.

Cutting the Fabric

This pattern has three super simple cuts:

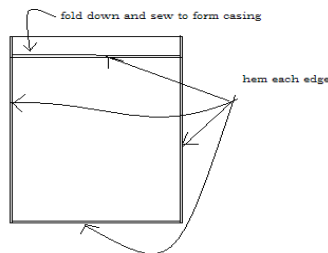
- 1) Rectangular Apron Panel
- 2) Neck tie
- 3) Waist tie

Cut out the pattern panels in accordance with the following sizing chart:

	Apron panel	Neck Tie	Waist tie
Size Small	60cm wide x 90cm long CUTS X 1	70cm long x 7 cm wide (CUTS X 2)	60cm long x 16cm wide (CUTS X 3)
Size Medium	70cm wide x 95cm long CUTS X 1	70cm long x 7 cm wide (CUTS X 2)	70cm long x 16cm wide (CUTS X 3)
Size Large	80cm wide x 1m CUTS X 1	70cm long x 7 cm wide (CUTS X 2)	80cm long x 16cm wide (CUTS X 3)

Sewing the Pattern

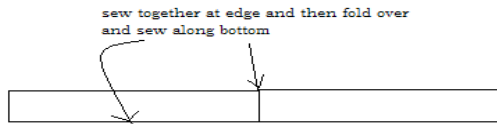
Step 1 – fold the fabric over 6mm and 6mm again on all sides of the apron panel and sew using a neat top stitch, to form a hem along each edge of the panel. Fold the top of the apron down 4cm with wrong sides of fabric facing, and sew along bottom edge only to form a casing for the neck tie.



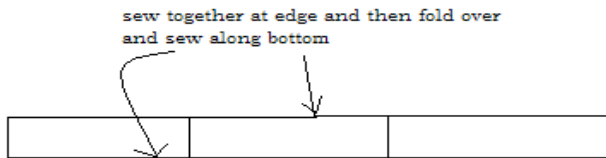
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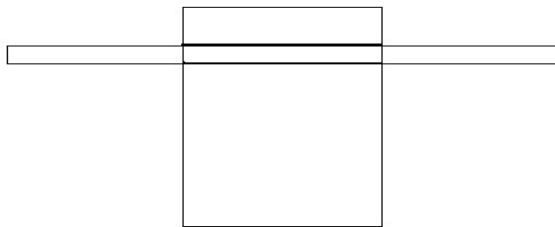
Step 2 – with the right sides together sew together the two neck ties along the short edge to form one long panel. With the right sides together, fold the neck tie in half along the length of the fabric and sew together along the long edge and at one end. Turn the neck tie the right way around through the open end and close open edge with a top stitch or simply tie the end.



Step 3 – with the right sides together sew the three waistband panels together at the short ends to form one large panel. With the right sides together, fold the waistband in half along the length of the fabric and sew together along the long edge and at one end. Turn the waistband the right way around through the open end and close open edge with a top stitch.



Step 4 - centre the waistband onto the apron with the top of the waistband 20cm from the top of the apron. Sew into place with a neat top stitch along the top and bottom edge of the waistband.



Step 5 – attach a pin to the end of the neck tie and feed it through the casing. Your apron is now finished.

