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Monogrammed Nautical Pillowcases

Skill Level: Beginner

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This is a fun, graphic way of personalizing pillowcases in clever and modern-looking nautical alphabetic code! In this project, an 'R' pillowcase is created. Photo above shows the 'R' and 'K' letters. For other letters of the alphabet, search online and construct them in the same manner as the methods in this project. Have fun! Sample used Timeless Treasures 'Nautical Motifs', Samarra C2412 - Blue, Dream C1807 - Red, Royal, and Sun fabrics. Finished size of pillowcase is 22" x 32½".

Fabrics Needed - Makes one pillowcase

Timeless Treasures 'Nautical Motifs' Samarra C2412 -Blue	1 yd
Timeless Treasures Dream C1807-Red	¼ yd
Timeless Treasures Dream C1807-Royal	¾ yd
Timeless Treasures Dream C1807-Sun	½ yd

Materials Needed

Pellon® EZ212 EZ Steam® II	½ yd
Pellon® TWP2028 Hypo-Allergenic Twin Pack Bed Pillows (optional)	1
Thread	

Tools Needed

Sewing machine and related supplies
Rotary cutter and related supplies

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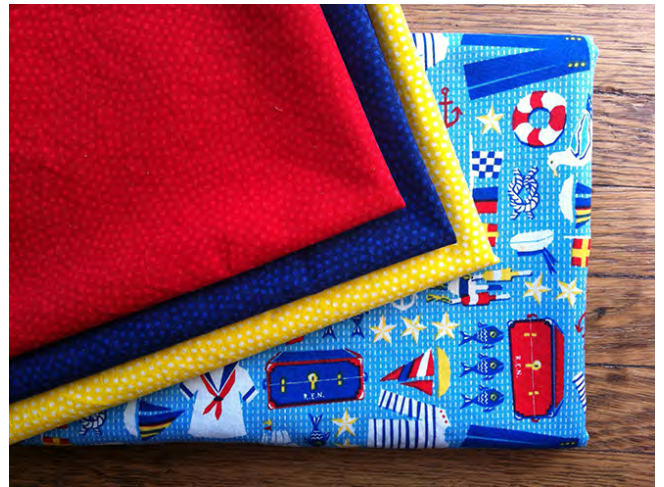
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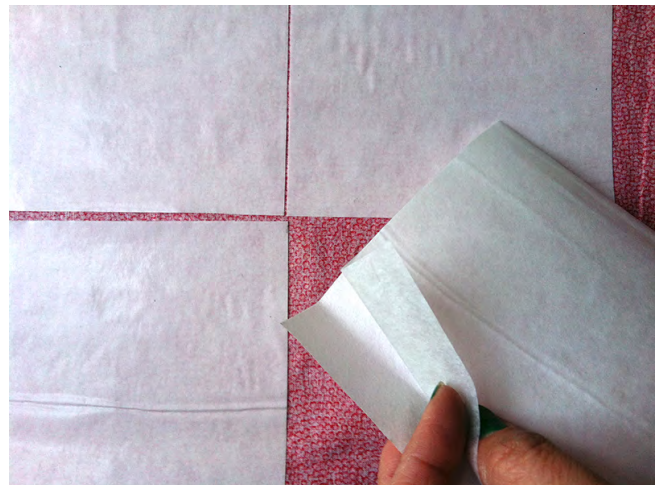
Assembly

Step 1. Cutting instructions.

Nautical Motif fabric	One 23" x 38" rectangle. One 23" x 6" rectangle. One 23" x 11" rectangle.
Dream Royal fabric	One 23" x 23" rectangle.
Dream Sun fabric	One 14" square.
EZ-Steam® II	Cut four 5¾" squares.



Step 2. Peel the waxy (heavier, shiny) backing off each square of EZ-Steam® II and finger press them on the wrong side of the Dream Red yardage.



Step 3. Cut out each red fabric square.



Step 4. Peel off the remaining paper backing from the red squares. Align one red square in each corner of the Dream Sun square. Finger press in place.



Step 5. Once all are positioned, fuse them together following manufacturer's instructions. This is the nautical 'R' letter.



Step 6. Center the nautical 'R' square onto the right side of the Dream Royal 23" square. Pin in place. Zigzag along all edges within the letter 'R' and around the entire alphabet square.

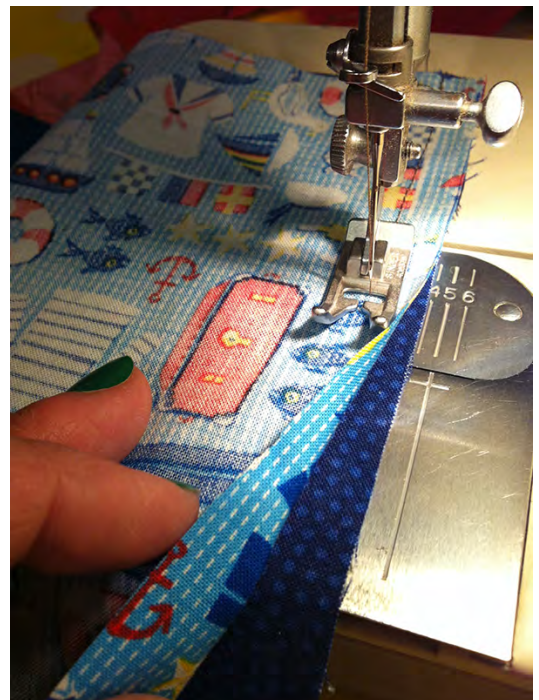
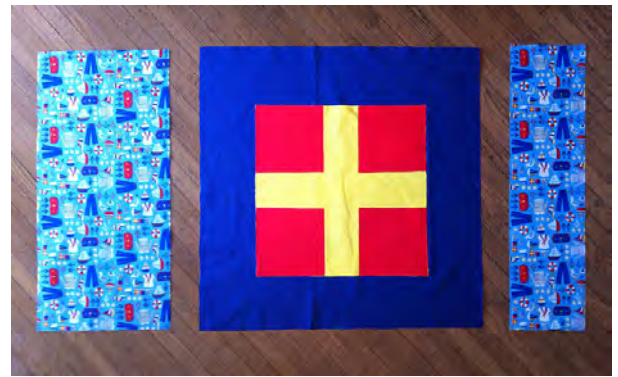


Step 7. With the letter right side up, place the 23" x 11" rectangle of Nautical Motifs right sides together with the left edge of the Dream Royal square, aligning the 23" edge.

Step 8. Place the 23" x 6" rectangle of Nautical Motifs right sides together with the right side of the Dream Royal square, aligning the 23" edge and ensuring that the direction of the fabric is the same as the left side.

Step 9. Stitch both edges with a 1/2" seam allowance. Press seam in one direction.

Step 10. Place the front of the pillowcase right sides together with the 23" x 38" rectangle of Nautical Motifs, ensuring that the direction of the pattern matches the front of the pillowcase. Pin together. Using a 1/2" seam allowance, stitch around each of the three edges, leaving the 23" x 11" edge open. Trim off corners.



Step 11. Fold the remaining open edge in 5 1/2". Press fold flat.



Step 12. Fold the raw edge under by ½". Pin and stitch this edge through all layers.



Step 13. Turn pillowcase right side out. Place pillow inside pillow case.

