

Best Dad Ever Mug Rug Skill Level: Beginner





What dad would not be proud to receive this for Father's Day? Use Lutradur® to make this quick and easy mug rug for the special dad in your life. This is an excellent and fun project for children and mothers to make together. Finished mug rug is 8" x 10". Sample was made by Charlene Allison, age 12.

Fabrics Needed

Light cotton fabric for background Scraps of bright cotton fabrics for stripes Cotton fabric for the backing

Materials Needed

Legacy™ by Pellon® 100% cotton batting Pellon® 100 gram Lutradur® Pellon® 805 Wonder-Under® Thread Fabrico® fabric pens One 8-1/2" square

Eight 1-1/2" x 2-1/2" rectangles of various colors

One 8-1/2" x 10-1/2" rectangle

One 8-1/2" x 10-1/2" rectangle

One 8-1/2" square One 8-1/2" square

Various colors

Tools Needed

Sewing machine and related supplies Rotary cutter and related supplies (children should be supervised)

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Print template found on the template page.

Trace the letter templates onto the paper side of the Wonder-Under®.

Place the fusible side of the Wonder-Under® against one side of the Lutradur®. Fuse following manufacturer's instructions.



The lettering on the Wonder-Under® should show through the Lutradur®. Trace the lines onto the Lutradur® if necessary. Color the letters in using the Fabrico® fabric markers on the Lutradur®. Let dry.

Iron the letters to heat set them. Cut letters out using sharp scissors. Remove the paper backing.

Arrange letters as desired. onto the 8-1/2" square of cotton fabric. Fuse into place following manufacturer's instructions.



Place two $1-1/2" \times 2-1/2"$ rectangles right sides together and stitch one 2-1/2" side using a 1/4" seam allowance. Press seam in one direction.

Repeat until all eight rectangles are sewn together.



Place the rectangle section right sides together on the right side of the appliqued block aligning raw edges. Stitch using a 1/4" seam allowance. Press seam toward the appliqued block.



Place the back and the front of the mug rug right sides together. Place the batting on top of the back of the mug rug. Pin to hold. Stitch around entire perimeter of mug rug, leaving a 4" opening on the end of the appliqued block.

Trim all four corners at a slant to reduce bulk.



Turn mug rug right side out through the opening. Topstitch around entire perimeter, right on the edge and again 1/4" in from the previous stitching.



Best Dad Ever Letter Templates Set printer to 100%. Check gauge.

1" Gauge



