

Your Pillow Pal or a Pillow for a Pal



This kit contains what you need to make a pillow. You can keep and cuddle it yourself OR give as a gift to a friend.

The pillow top was made using our FeltLoom machine which lets us use the tiniest scraps of fabric to make a work of art!

Decorate and stuff the pillow however you please to make it your own creation. The kit provides enough materials to make an interesting pillow, but feel free to add other items to personalize it even more.

Kit Contents

- 1 pillow top of fabric made on the FeltLoom at ScrapsKC
- 1 pillow back of coordinating fabric
- Polyester fiberfill to stuff the pillow
- Embroidery thread to stitch the pillow pieces together and/or decorate the pillow
- 1 needle
- 1 needle threader
- Sewing pins
- Various buttons, beads and trim to decorate the pillow



Instructions

Step 1: Decorate the pillow top

Decide what buttons, beads and/or trim you want to use. Consider adding anything else you already have such as a ring, a charm, buttons, badges, etc. Hand sew the items on the front side of the pillow top. <u>Click here</u> to see our YouTube Playlist for ideas, inspiration, and instruction!

Step 2: Make the pillow

Place the pillow back on a flat surface, RIGHT SIDE DOWN. Place the pillow top on the pillow bottom, RIGHT SIDE UP. Line up all the edges and pin the pieces in place.

Using the embroidery thread and needle, begin sewing on the bottom of the pillow about 3 inches from the corner and approximately 1 inch from the edge – see the photos below. You can allow a wider or narrower edge if you like, but try to keep it the same all the way around the pillow. Stop sewing about 3 inches from where you started, leaving an opening for stuffing the pillow. Make a knot to secure your thread.





Step 3: Stuff the pillow

Insert as much of the polyester fiberfill as you like to make a nice squishy pillow. Even out the stuffing so you don't have any unpleasant lumps. Pin the opening closed and stitch with a running stitch.



