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Puzzle Book Assembly

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SUPPLY LIST:

- My Fair Lady Puzzle Book Designs found at www.myfairladydesigns.com
- 1/4" grommets
 - 4x4 Book - 39 Grommets
 - 5x7 Book - 65 Grommets
- 2-3 yds ribbon (Actual length of ribbon depends on which book you are making and how tightly the book is bound)
- Sewing and bobbin thread
- Size 80/12 Universal sewing needle
- 1/4" (or 3/16") hole punch
- Hammer
- Setting Mat
- Tapestry needle



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These instructions are for a book made from felt, fleece, or fabric that will not fray. If you used something else, you will need to either finish your edges or stitch the pages along three sides, then turn them right side out and finish the last side.

1. Stitch each of the monthly puzzle pages, covers, and tabs. Follow the instructions included in each set.
2. Trim the stabilizer around the design on the back of each page.
3. Place the Front Cover and January Page 1 wrong sides together.
4. Place the tab with the button in between the two pages as shown. The tabs are extra long to accommodate a very thick book. You will want to stack all the pages together (with the accessories in the pockets) and adjust the tabs to the correct length before sewing!
5. Sew the pages together around the edges. Use a 1/4" seam allowance. A walking foot is recommended.
6. Place January Page 2 and February Page 1 together, and sew around the edges. Continue sewing the rest of the pages in this fashion. The second page of each month will be sewn to the first page of the next month.
7. Before sewing the last page and the back cover, insert the tab as shown. Make sure that the tabs are long enough to fasten. Sew in place.



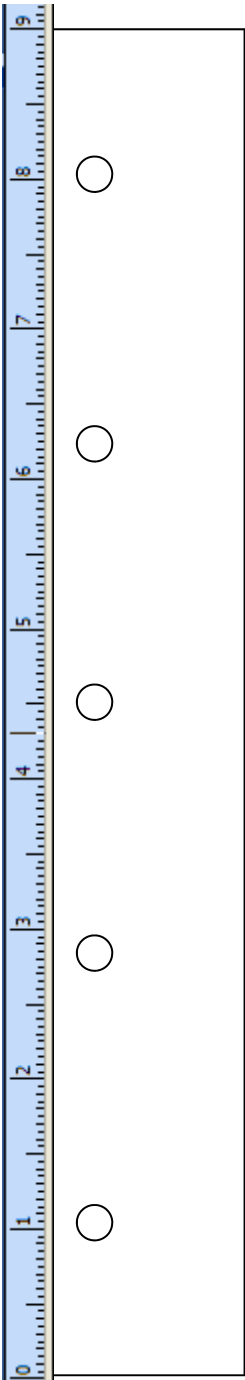
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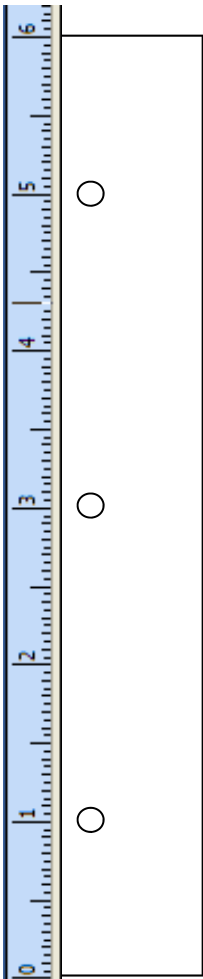
8. Mark the placement for the grommets 1/2" from the edge on each page as shown below. Grommets can also be called eyelets, but make sure that they have a top and bottom. Buy at least one package with the tools included.



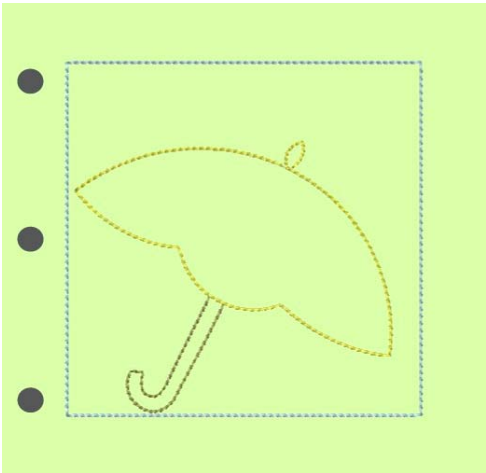
7x9 Grommet Guide
(Pages made from the 5x7 designs)



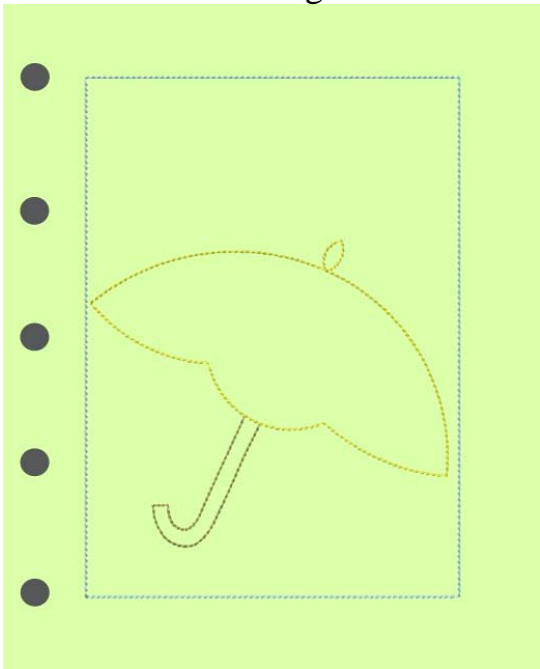
6x6 Grommet Guide
(Pages made from the 4x4 designs)



6x6 Page



7x9 Page



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9. Use a ¼" (or 3/16") hole punch and hammer to punch holes for the grommets in each set of pages.
10. Set the grommets in each of the 13 sets of pages. Follow the instructions on the back of the package.
11. Bind the book with ribbon as shown below. The length of the ribbon depends on how thick your book is and how tightly you want it bound. Thicknesses will vary depending on the fabric used. The 6x6 book will need about 2 yards of ribbon. The 7x9 book will need 2½ - 3 yards of ribbon.



12. Thread the ribbon through a tapestry needle. Thread the tapestry needle through the top grommet on the back cover and out through the top grommet on the front cover. The dotted black line in each diagram shows the path of the ribbon inside the pages. Leave a long enough tail to tie a bow or knot.
13. Bring the ribbon over the spine of the book, through the next grommet on the back cover, and out through the next grommet on the front cover.



14. Follow this pattern till you reach the last grommet. If you are making the 7x9 book, there will be five grommets instead of three.
15. Bring the ribbon over the spine and back through the grommets as shown.

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16. Follow this pattern back up the spine of the book. Tie the ribbon tails in a knot or a bow.

Resources



- Ric-rac, ribbon, and other neat trims: www.ribbonjar.com
- Hole punches and setting mats (also can be found at any store that sells scrapbooking items—if you don't have any, I strongly recommend getting some, as they are very handy and inexpensive): www.save-on-crafts.com
- Grommets: Walmart or JoAnne Fabric
- Stabilizer, needles and thread at incredible prices: www.AllStitch.net

Button Conversion Chart

7mm	(1/4 inch)
9mm	(3/8 inch)
11mm	(7/16 inch)
12mm	(1/2 inch)
16mm	(5/8 inch)
19mm	(3/4 inch)
22mm	(7/8 inch)

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