

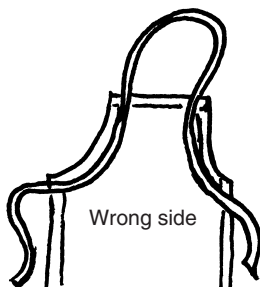
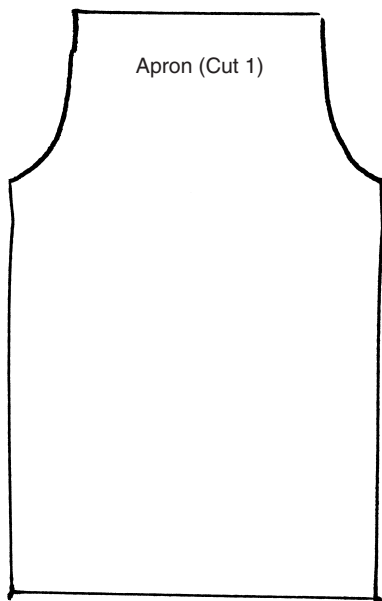
Potholder, Oven Mitt & Apron

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Outfit your kitchen with these charming must-haves. Each item uses only a small scrap of fabric. Make a set for yourself and one for a friend!

What You'll Need

- Scrap of 100% cotton fabric
- Scissors
- Craft glue
- Pencil
- Crochet thread
- Felt



Apron

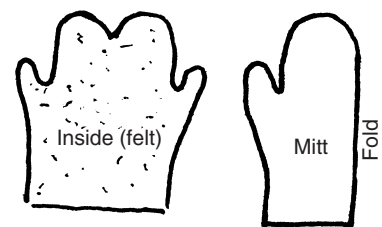
1. Trace apron pattern on fabric and cut out. Trace heart pattern on red or yellow fabric, or raid your fabric stash and for a small design like the fruits shown. On reverse side, coat heart or small design thinly with glue. Let dry. Cut out and glue to apron.

2. Fold $\frac{1}{8}$ " hems to wrong sides of apron on all straight edges. Glue.

3. Leaving a 2" tail and working from wrong side, lay crochet thread $\frac{1}{8}$ " inside one curved edge. Lightly glue to apron, leaving loop for head. Glue thread down other curved edge. Leave a 2" tail and cut thread. Fold edge over thread. Glue.

side of fabric rectangle. Fold other side of rectangle over felt. Glue. Round corners.

4. Glue crochet thread around edges, ending with a loop.



Mitt

1. Fold fabric in half. Put mitt pattern on fold and cut. Open mitt and glue wrong side to felt. Cut out.

2. Fold mitt on fold line. Glue edges together.

3. Glue thread around outside edges, forming a loop at one end. ■

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Potholder

1. Cut fabric $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 1".

2. Cut felt $\frac{1}{2}$ " x $\frac{1}{2}$ ". Trim a small amount from all sides. Round off all edges of felt square.

3. Glue felt square to one