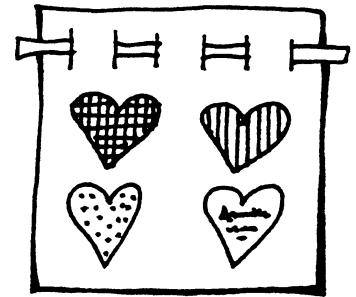
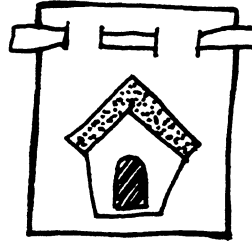


NO-SEW WALL HANGING

Materials:

Poster board
 One twig or dowel about 12 inches long
 Fusible web
 Four coordinating printed fabrics
 One piece of heavy, solid colored fabric,
 torn to measure 8" x 10"
 Assortment of buttons
 Iron
 Scissors
 Glue: hot-glue gun, white glue, etc.



1. Decide on the shape or geometric design you want to use on your wall hanging. (See examples above.) Make a template of that shape from a piece of poster board.
2. Decide which of the printed fabrics you will use for the hanging strips. Tear or cut three strips, 3/4" by 24".
3. Using your poster-board template, trace three shapes onto the fusible web; cut them out.
4. Take the shapes from the fusible web and place them—paper side up—on the **wrong side** of each of the three fabric pieces you have chosen. Iron hem in place (hold the iron down for 1-2 seconds). Let the paper cool, then cut around the outline of the shape, and peel off the paper backing.
5. Place your heavy, solid-colored fabric on the ironing board, right side up. Decide where you want to place your fabric shapes. Leave a border at least 2 inches wide at the top of the fabric and a 1 1/2 inch border on the other sides of the fabric. When you are pleased with the arrangement, fuse the shapes in place (hold the iron down for 4-6 seconds). Allow to cool.
6. Select several buttons you would like to use on your hanging. When you have decided where you want them placed, glue them onto the hanging.
7. Make 1/2-inch slits in the top of the wall hanging. One slit should be in the middle of the fabric and the other slits should be 1 1/2 inches from each edge.
8. Take one hanging strip and pull half of it through one slit. Tie a loose bow or double knot. Repeat this process with the other hanging strips.
9. Slide the twig into the hanging strips, adjusting the strips, as necessary.
10. Congratulations! Your wall hanging is completed!