



Technique:	Hand Sewing
Skill Level:	Beginner/Easy
Crafting time:	An Evening

Materials

Dual Duty® Button & Carpet thread (Art 250 or S950).
Christmas Print Fabrics *: scraps or fat quarters. * We used Hallmark Christmas from FreeSpirit Fabrics.

Additional Requirements

Hand Sewing Needle.
*Polyester fiberfill.
Jingle bells.

Instructions

1. For each ornament, cut circles 1 through 4 from the assorted Christmas fabrics (see pattern). Sew a hand running stitch around the edges of each circle for gathering. Place a small amount of fiberfill in center of circle, then pull thread to gather edges. Secure thread.

2. Stack the yo-yos, having the largest at the bottom and the smallest at the top. Starting at the top of the yo-yo tree, push threaded needle down through the center of all four yo-yos.

Slip the bell over the needle and hold it at the bottom of the largest yo-yo. Bring the needle back up through the center of the tree and take a stitch to secure. Do not cut thread.

Take another stitch leaving a 4" loop for hanging the ornament; take a stitch to secure. Do not cut thread.

3. Cut a 15 inch piece of ribbon. Place center of ribbon over last stitch and take a stitch through ribbon to hold in place. Secure thread and cut. Tie a bow in the ribbon.

