

FABRIC DESIGN

Turn an ordinary bolt of cloth into your own fabric creation with SPEEDBALL Textile Screen Printing Inks. You can print on just about any smooth fabric surface except nylon. **IMPORTANT:** Before starting this or any project, be sure to read and understand the directions in the enclosed booklet, "SPEEDBALL Screen Printing Instructions".

1. Use the pattern supplied below or design your own. Colonial, Oriental, contemporary, French, southwestern... it's up to you and your imagination.
2. Transfer your designs to stencil paper. While most any paper will do, one with a coated or shiny surface will last longer.*
3. Using an X-ACTO® No. 1 knife with No. 16 stencil blade or scissors, cut out the traced pattern. Be careful not to tear the paper or leave ragged edges.
4. If you are printing more than one color, block out the areas of the stencil you do not wish to print with paper or masking tape placed between the bottom side of the screen fabric and the stencil. Another method is to prepare and cut separate stencils for each color.

Then, just follow the directions on page 7 of your "SPEEDBALL Screen Printing Instructions" booklet for applying ink to your screen and printing your design!

HINT: Due to the porous, uneven surface of fabric, it may be necessary to touch up your design after printing. SPEEDBALL Fabric Painters™ Paint Markers are perfect for quick touch-ups.



ADVANCED METHODS FOR PREPARING ARTWORK: You may also try using SPEEDBALL Drawing Fluid/Screen Filler Method or Photographic Emulsion Method. See your "SPEEDBALL Screen Printing Instructions" for details about each of these methods.



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