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COTTON
EMBROIDERED
CUSHIONS**

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PROJECT SHEET

bonjour

mon 
Amour

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EMBROIDERED MON AMOUR CUSHION

i BEGINNER

WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- 4 Seasons Flinders Cotton 8Ply Yarn 50 g Ruby x 1 ball
- 4mm Crochet Hook
- Embroidery hoop
- Tailors chalk
- Sewing Needle
- Yarn Needle
- Scissors, yarn needle, tape measure
- Cushion cover of your choice

INSTRUCTIONS

EMBROIDERY "CHAIN" STITCH

Step 1 - Place the embroidery hoop inside the cushion cover and stretch the fabric taught.

Step 2 - Using tailors chalk lightly sketch "Mon Amour" onto the front of the cushion in your desired position.

Step 3 - Taking a long length of the Flinders Cotton, thread the yarn needle and begin to "chain stitch" over the chalk line.



(Above) Embroidery Chain Stitch.

CROCHET HEART

1st row - Ch4, sl st in 1st Ch to form a loop (alternatively, form a magic ring). Ch4, (4dc, 2tr) in center of loop, Ch4, sl st into loop, Ch4, (2tr, 4dc) in centre of loop, sl st in top of ch4 to join.

2nd Row - Ch4, 1dc into previous sl st, 2dc into each of the next 3sts, (1dc, 1tr in next st), 2tr in the nest st, 3tr in the next st, 1dc into the next 4chs, ch4, sl st into the centre space of the ch4 loop, 1dc in the next 4chs, 3tr in the next st, 2tr in the next st, (1tr, 1dc in next st), 2dc into each of the next 2sts (1dc, 1tr, in last st), sl st into the top of the ch4 to join.

Note - Heart is worked in two rows. First row creates the foundation for the heart shape and the second row creates the heart. The pattern repeats on each side and the heart should be symmetrical.

FINISHING

Weave in all the ends. Take the needle and matching thread and sew the heart in the desired position.

BONJOUR CUSHION

i BEGINNER

WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- 4 Seasons Flinders Cotton 8Ply Yarn 50 g
Off White 50 g
- Pair of pointed 3.75mm knitting needles
- Tailors chalk
- Thread (matching yarn colour)
- Sewing Needle
- Scissors, yarn needle, tape measure
- Cushion Cover of your choice

INSTRUCTIONS

I CORD

Note – Approximately 2m of iCord was used to create the word “Bonjour” across the cushion.

Beg I Cord – Using double pointed 3.75mm needles, cast on 5 sts.

Step 3 – K5, do not turn work but slide sts to the other end of needle, Swap the needle back to your left hand, bring yarn around back of your work and continue knitting. Rep 1st row until cord measures approximately 2m. Cast off.

FINISHING

Step 1 – Using tailors chalk, mark out the letting across the centre of the cushion.

Step 2 – Take the icord and lay it across the cushion cover forming the letters “Bonjour”. Adjust the icord accordingly to ensure that the length is dispersed evenly across all the letters.

Step 3 – Using pins, stabilize the letters to the front of the cushion taking care not to pin through both layers of fabric.

Step 4 – Thread the sewing needle with a thread matching the colour of the yarn and begin to sew the letters onto the cushion from the inside of the cover. This ensures that the thread is not visible

Step 5 – Insert cushion insert.