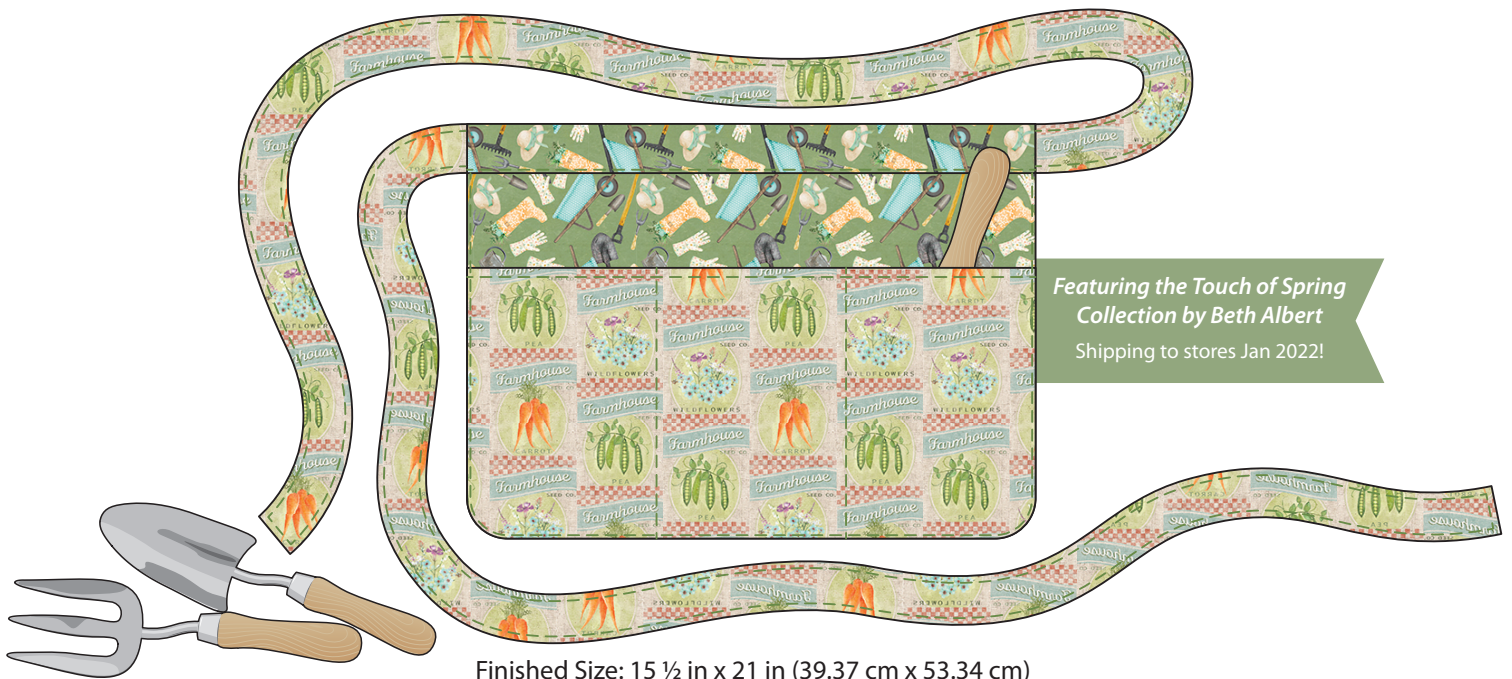




TOUCH OF Spring Gardening Apron



Featuring the Touch of Spring Collection by Beth Albert
Shipping to stores Jan 2022!

Finished Size: 15 ½ in x 21 in (39.37 cm x 53.34 cm)

Fabric Needed

3 Wishes Fabric® Touch of Spring Collection

- ¾ yd – Garden Tools (18752-GRN-CTN-D)
- ⅝ yd – Seed Packets (18753-BGE-CTN-D)

Additional Supplies Needed:

- Removable marker
- Coordinating thread
- Basic Sewing Supplies
- Sewing machine
- Iron and pressing surface

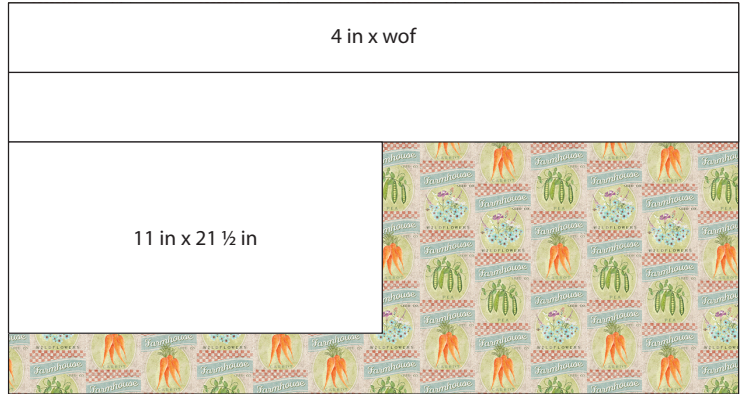
Before You Begin

Read all instructions before beginning project. Do not pre-wash fabrics. Press fabrics with a dry iron on cotton setting before cutting. Use a ¼ in (6.35 mm) seam allowance and sew fabrics with right sides together (RST) unless otherwise noted. Press seams in the direction of the arrows. wof = width of fabric

Cutting



Garden Tools (18752-GRN-CTN-D) ¾ yard
 Cut 2 - 14 in x 21 ½ in (35.56 cm x 54.61 cm) - Apron & Apron Lining
 Cut 1 - 4 in x 21 ½ in (10.16 cm x 54.61 cm) - Waistband

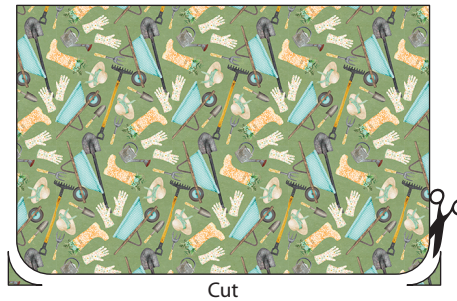
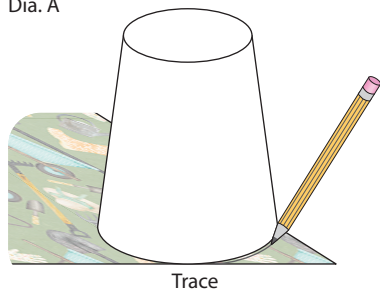


Seed Packets (18753-BGE-CTN-D) ¾ yard
 Cut 2 - 4 in (10.16 cm) x wof - Waist Ties
 Cut 1 - 11 in x 21 ½ in (27.94 cm x 54.61 cm) - Pockets

Sewing

- Use a glass to draw a curve and cut a rounded corner on each side of the bottom edge 21 ½ in (54.61 cm). Repeat for the bottom edge of the Apron Lining and Pocket (Dia. A).

Dia. A



Apron & Apron Lining

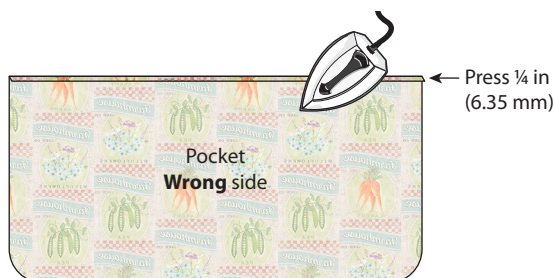


Pockets

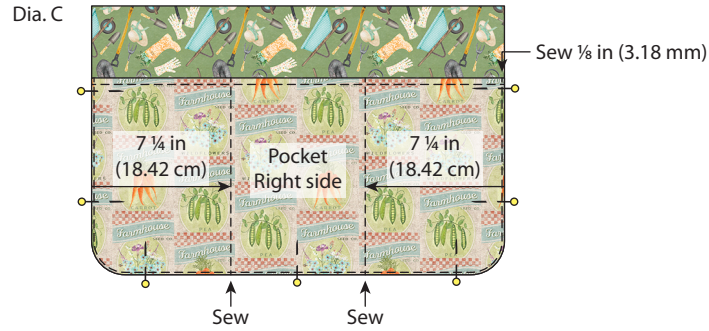


- To hem the top edge of the Seed Packet Pocket 11 in x 21 in (27.94 cm x 53.34 cm), press ¼ in (6.35 mm) to the **wrong** side. Press again ½ in (1.27 cm) to the **wrong** side and sew close to the inner fold (Dia. B).

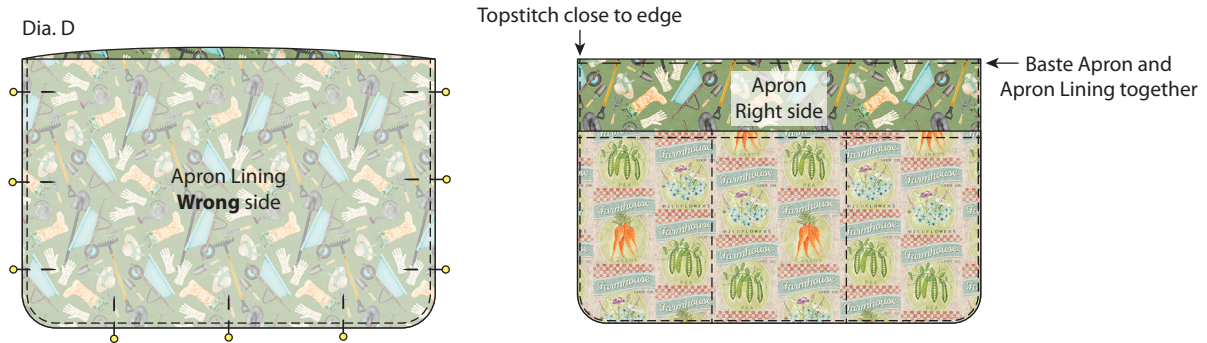
Dia. B



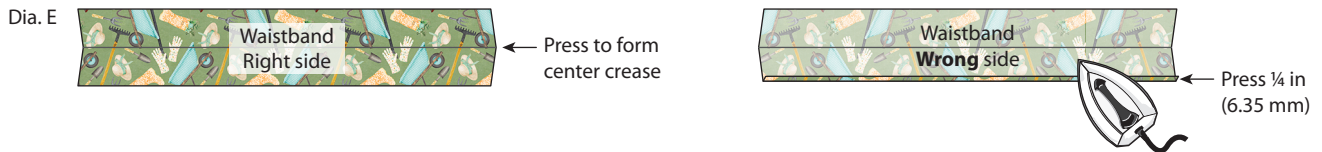
- Place the Pocket right side up on the right side of the Garden Tools Apron 14 in x 21 1/2 in (35.56 cm x 54.61 cm) with sides, curved corners and bottom edges matching; pin. Using a 1/8 in (3.18 mm) seam allowance, sew along the sides and bottom to attach the Pocket. Measure in 7 1/4 in (18.42 cm) from each side of the Pocket and draw a line from the top edge to the bottom edge. Sew along the two drawn lines to create three pockets (Dia. C).



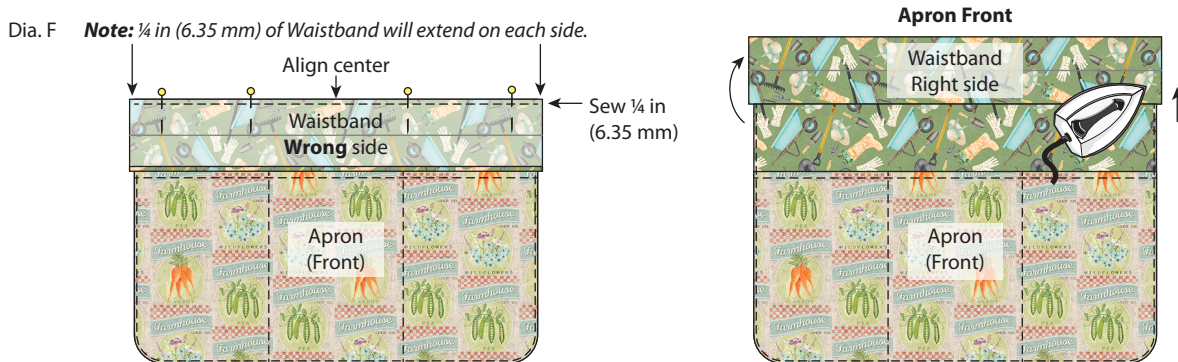
- Refer to Diagram D to pin the Apron and Apron Lining with RST and edges even. Sew along the sides and bottom, turn right side out and press edges flat. Topstitch close to sewn edges. Baste the top edges of the Apron and Apron Lining together.



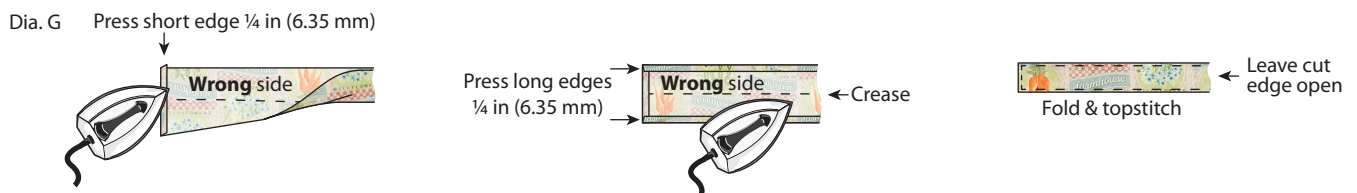
- Press Waistband in half longways with RST to form a center crease. Press one long edge of the Waistband 1/4 in (6.35 mm) to the **wrong** side (Dia. E).



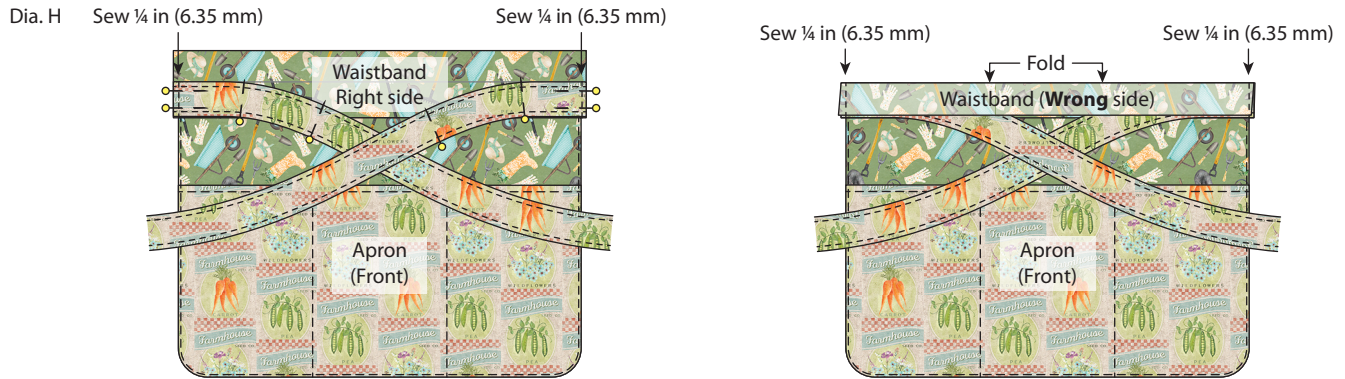
- Center the Waistband on the front of the Apron and pin the cut edge to the top edge of the Apron with RST; sew and press (Dia. F). **Note:** Waistband will extend 1/4 in (6.35 mm) on each side.



- Press one short end of a Waist Tie 1/4 in (6.35 mm) to the **wrong** side. Fold long edges **wrong** sides together so they meet; press to create a crease. Open and fold each long edge 1/4 in (6.35 mm) to the **wrong** side; press. Fold again so folded edges meet and press. Topstitch close to each folded edge (Dia. G). Repeat to make the other Waist Tie.

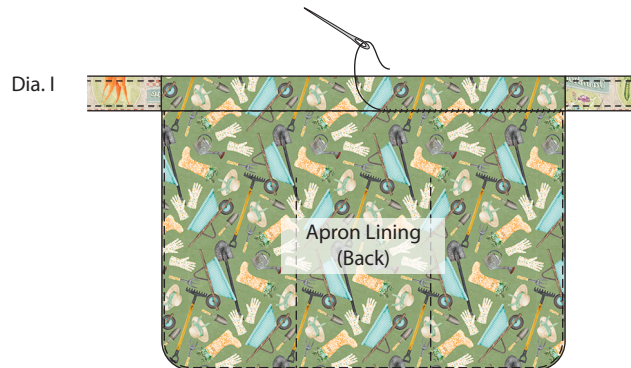


- On the right side of the Waistband, pin the cut end of a Waist Tie to each side edge directly above the seam with edges matching. Sew $\frac{1}{4}$ in (6.35 mm) from the edge to attach. Fold the Waistband with RST so side edges align; sew sides (Dia. H).



Finishing

- Turn the Waistband right side out and fold to the back; press. Align the folded edge to the Waistband seam and pin; hand stitch (Dia. I). Topstitch close to the bottom edge of the waistband on the right side.



Finished Care Instructions

Machine wash in cold water; gentle cycle. Do not bleach. Hang to dry.