



Fun and easy felt leaves
for fall decorating.
Use as a garland!

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EMBROIDERED AUTUMN LEAVES



MATERIALS:

Wool felt in several autumn colors (usually found on a bolt, not in the kids craft section)
Embroidery floss in 3 or more colors
Embroidery needles
1/8" ribbon (or string)
Printable leaf template

INSTRUCTIONS:

1) Print pages 3 & 4. Cut at the outer line.

2) Trace the leaf shapes onto wool felt and cut the number of leaves desired.

3) Trim the paper templates to the smaller size, and cut the same number of corresponding smaller felt leaves. Try to pair them with contrasting colors.

4) Using all 6 strands of embroidery floss, thread the needle and tie a knot. Use a running stitch, starting at the back of the stem, and following around the inner leaf edge. Finish by stitching a line up the middle. Or be creative and try your own designs! You can use loose leaves to decorate the mantle or table.



5) To make a garland, use 1/8" ribbon threaded through the embroidery needle to stitch them together. If you use just one small stitch, you will be able to adjust the spacing after you hang the garland.





