# Word Banners AUTUMN

#### REQUIRED MATERIALS....

- (4) 9" × 12" sheets brown felt
- various scraps of cotton fabric
- fusible webbing
- 2½ yards brown elastic

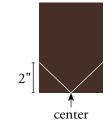
### Cut Pennants.....

If using Shabby Fabrics kit, your felt is laser cut and ready to go! Skip ahead to Appliqué ★

From **brown felt**, cut:

• (16)  $4\frac{1}{4}$ " × 6" rectangles

Fold (1) rectangle in half to find center of bottom edge, and mark with chalk pen. Measure 2" from bottom edge and mark on both sides. Using a straight edge, draw a line from center mark to 2" mark on each side as shown at right. Cut on drawn line.



Repeat for a total of (16) pennants.

## Appliqué.....

If using Shabby Fabrics kit, your pre-fused laser cut applique shapes are ready to go! Skip ahead to ★

Use leaf shape (*right*) and Word Banners Alphabet Tracing Diagram (*on following pages*). Trace (2) leaves and the letters "AUTUMN" onto fusible webbing. Cut shapes apart, leaving a margin around each shape. Fuse each shape onto wrong side of desired fabric. When cool, cut on traced line.

★ Gently peel fusible paper from the back of each shape. Place each shape on a pennant background, centered, about 1" from top edge. Fuse in place. Appliqué in place using the stitch of your choice. For sample, we used a 40wt rayon thread with a decorative stitch for the letters, and a straight stitch for the leaves.

#### Finish Banner.....

Add backing felt to pennant. Pin well. Topstitch around entire pennant with a ¼" seam allowance. Repeat for all (8) pennants.

Using a hole punch, make a hole in the top corners of each pennant. String pennants together with a leaf on each end of the "AUTUMN" letters. Arrange pennants so they are centered on elastic and evenly spaced.

Tie an overhand knot on each end of the elastic to make loops for hanging.



Approx. 6" × 40"

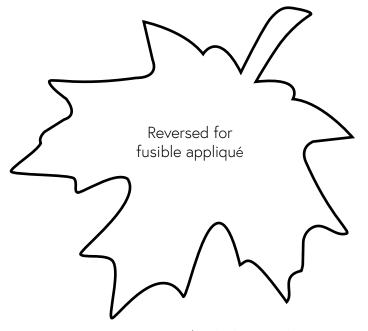
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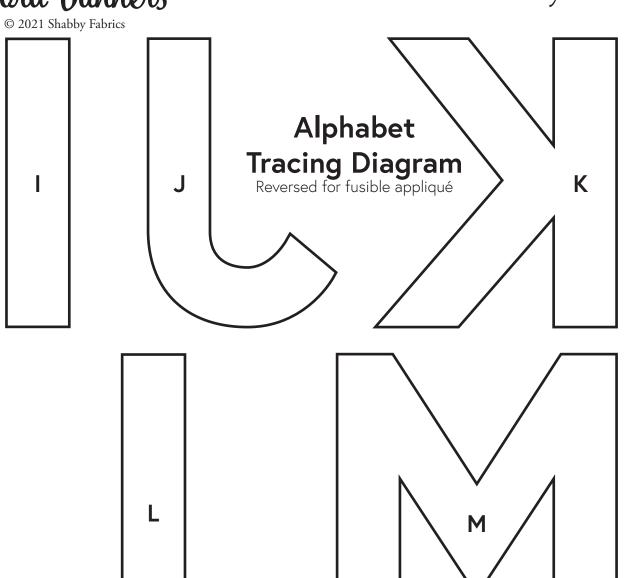
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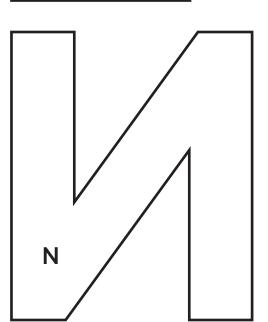
#### RECOMMENDED PRODUCTS\_\_\_\_\_

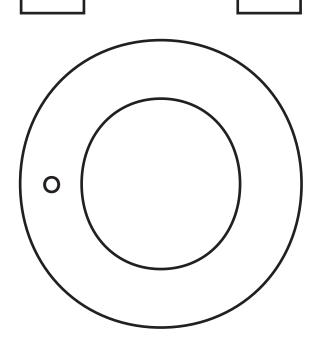
- Clover Chaco Liner Pen Style White
- Olfa 45mm Original Rotary Cutter
- Clover Patchwork Pins
- Clover Magnetic Pin Caddy
- Heat N Bond Lite

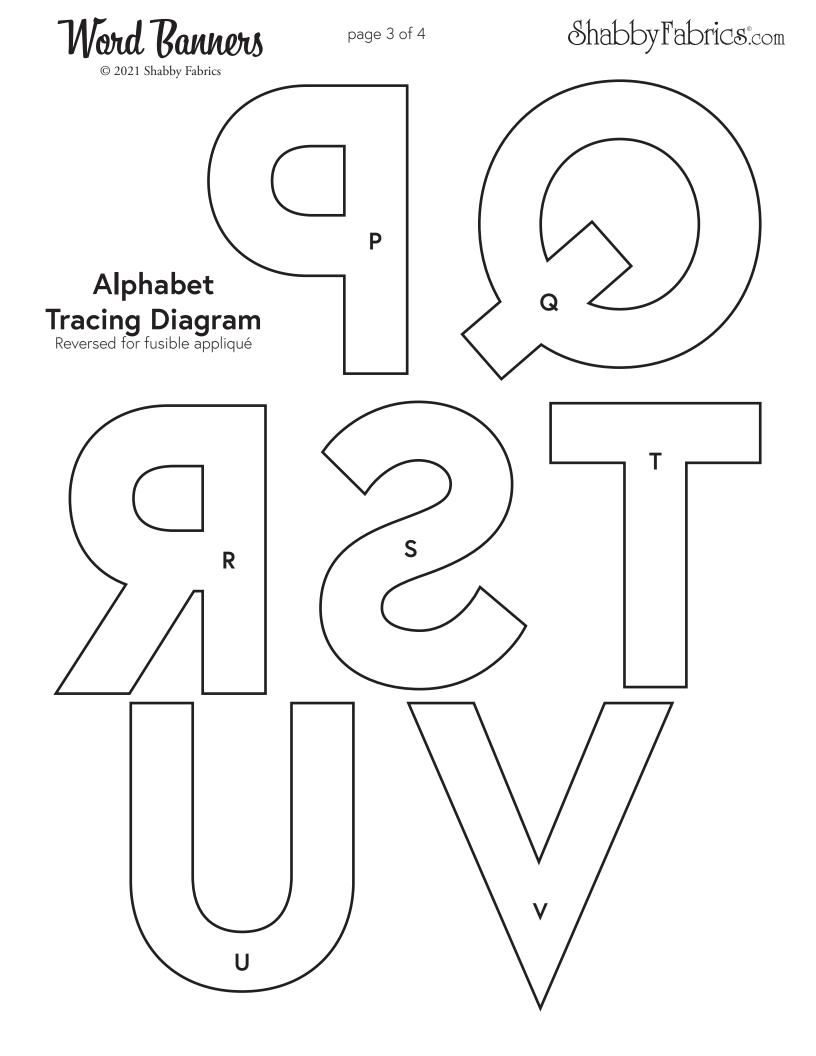
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Alphabet
Tracing

**Diagram**Reversed for fusible appliqué

## cut (2)

(1) for appliqué background (1) for backing

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