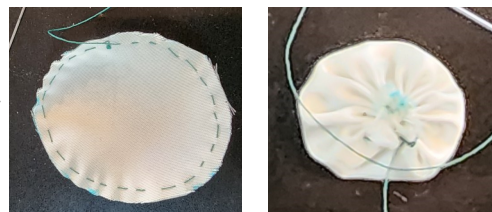


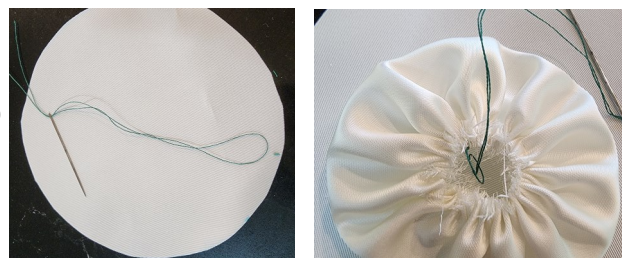
## Yoyo Christmas Tree Pattern:

This project will take less than a 1/4 of a yard of one fabric or many scraps of fabric in multiple sizes. See the attached pattern pieces for your circles. Cut two of each circle. Scissors, matching thread, needle you can thread, 12" of 1/8" ribbon.

Step 1: Do a running/basting stitch around each circle and pull it tight to make a yoyo. You do this by making a larger size knot on the end of your single thread and take small stitches about 1/8" from the edge. Tie your thread off after you pull it tight. There will be a raw edge in the middle of the yoyo.



Step 2: Thread your needle putting both ends through the eye, leaving loop at the end. In one of the smallest yoyos, starting in the center of the raw edges put your needle in a small amount of the fabric pulling the thread leaving the loop for your needle to go through it. Go through the loop. Now that you have secured your thread, you keep stacking the yoyos from the smallest to the largest yoyo. Go through the center of each yoyo with the gathered side up to largest one. Pull them tight. Go back up to the top yoyo and tie your thread off, so your stack will stay tight. Do not cut thread.

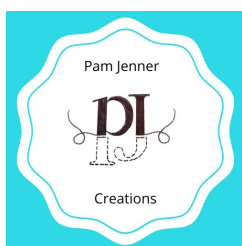


Step 3: Add the star to your thread. Pull the thread tight. Then take your ribbon and hold the ends to find the bottom of your loop of ribbon. Go through the base loop of the ribbon with the needle going crosswise. Basically taking a small amount of the ribbon to anchor your ribbon.



Step 4: Making sure your bead does not come off the ribbon. Tie an overhand knot tight against the bead so it does not move. TIP: Use your needle to move the knot down to where you want it.

Tie another knot up on the ends to be able to hang your tree!



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