

Christmas Stars

quick to make Christmas decorations.

Using my famous nesting hexagons you create these Christmas stars quickly and easily.

These examples have been made using the 6" and 4" hexagons.

Materials:

Scraps of fabric - christmas, glitzy etc.
Scraps of cotton batting or similar.
Narrow ribbon - 7" long.

Cutting instructions:

Using the 6" hexagon cut one hexagon from your background fabric.

Using the 4" hexagon cut one hexagon from your feature fabric and one hexagon from the batting.

Sewing instructions:

Press a $\frac{1}{4}$ " hem around the outside edge of the 6" hexagon.

Place the 4" hexagon inside the 6" hexagon - look at the diagram opposite for placement.

Press the corners of the 6" hexagon over the raw edges of the 4" hexagon and pin in place.

Slip the folded ribbon at the top of the star between the two hexagons. Pin to hold.

Stitch close to the folded edge of the 6" hexagon catching in the ribbon at the top.

You may wish to add a small tassel or bell at the bottom of the ornament or add beads etc to highlight your design.

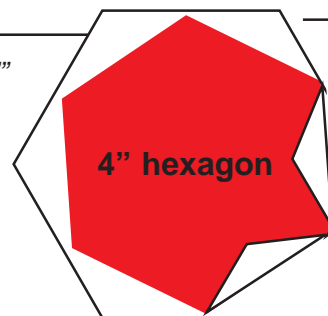
Hang and enjoy!

Mary



Highlight different fabrics in the centre of the stars.
Embellish with beads and ribbon as desired.

6" hexagon
press under a $\frac{1}{4}$ "
hem.



Fold these
points over



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