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This whimsical folk art onesie is the perfect gift for any little person in your life. All you need is a blank onesie, your ScanNCut, an iron, and twenty minutes! You can also use this technique to create a custom tote bag, apron, t-shirt, and so much more!

### MATERIALS:

Brother ScanNCut Machine\*; White Paper; Black Cardstock; Scissors; Photo Scanning Mat; Standard Mat 12" x 12"; Iron-On Transfer Flocked Sheets; Onesie; Iron; Ironing Board; Pressing Sheet (fabric)

**step 1.** Cut a starter template from a piece of plain paper.

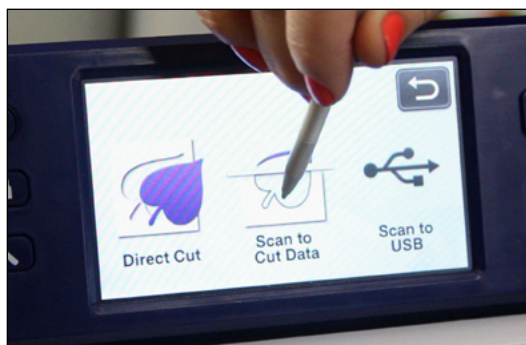


a. Fold it in half and cut a heart along the fold line using scissors.



b. Add additional cuts by folding and cutting using scissors.

**step 2.** Scan the heart template into the ScanNCut using the Scanning Mat.



### step 2. Continued

Put a piece of black paper behind the heart so that the machine can better detect the design. Scan>Scan to Cut Data>Grayscale>Start



### step 3. Choose the second scanning choice, the region detection button, which scans the inside and the outside of the design. Drag the red arrows so that they fit snugly around the design and choose Save. I saved the design to the machine.



### step 4. Hit the Home button to return to the Home Screen.

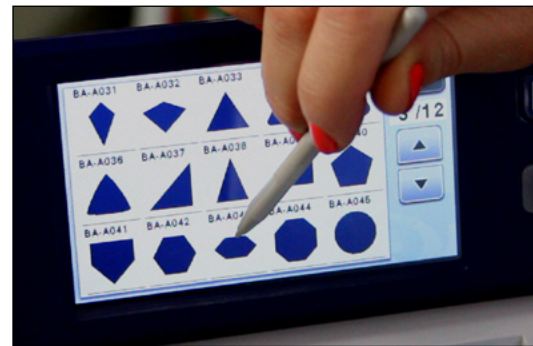
### step 5. Unload the Scanning Mat and load a Standard Mat with the heat apply flocking on it. The Iron-On Transfer Flocked Sheet (shiny clear sheet) facing the mat



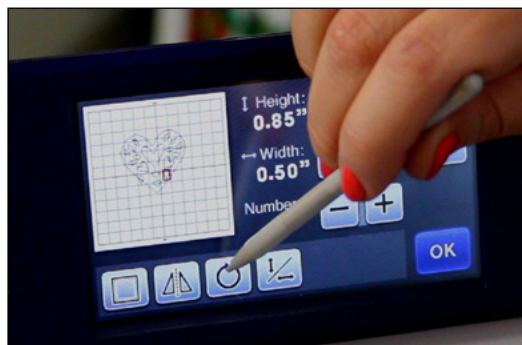
**step 9.** Choose "Add."



**step 10.** From the Shapes Menu choose any of the shapes that look interesting to you. Add as many or as few as you wish.

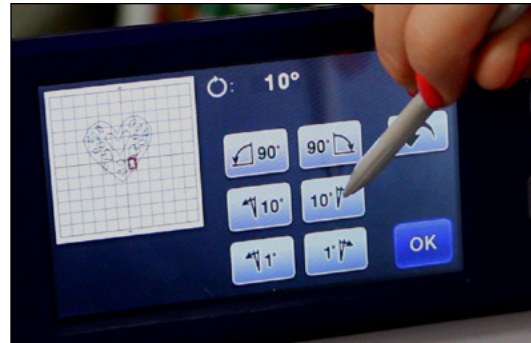


**step 11.** Once you've chosen your additional shapes, navigate to the editing menu and resize them to fit your design.

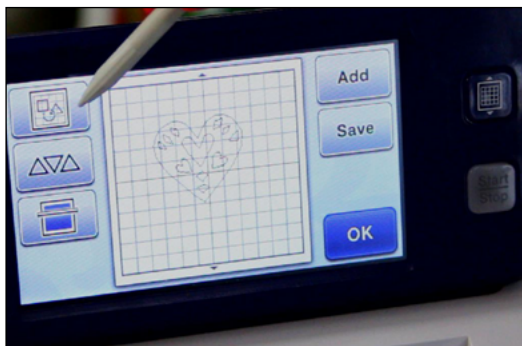




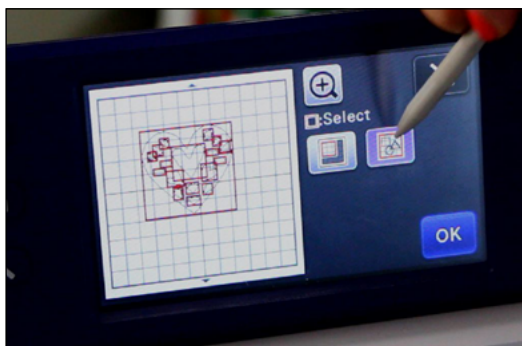
**step 12.** Drag the new shapes into your design. You can also use the editing menu to rotate the shapes.



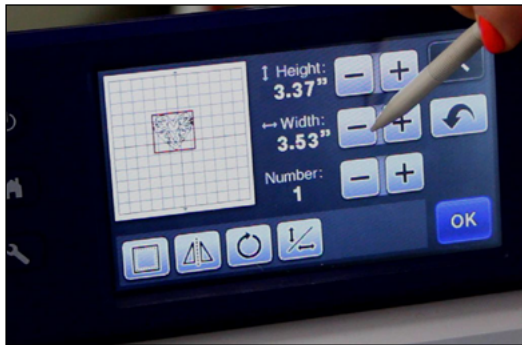
**step 13.** Add additional shapes as you wish, repeating steps 10-12 until you're satisfied. Use the zoom function to place each shape exactly where you want it.



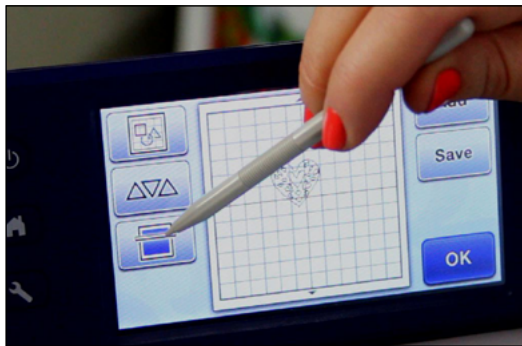
**step 14.** Group the design by selecting all the parts and then choosing the unify function.



**step 15.** Resize the entire heart design so that it fits on your onesie.



**step 16.** Use the Scan Button to scan in the Iron-On Transfer Flocked Sheet and then drag the design so that it fits on the Iron-On Transfer Flocked Sheet.



**step 17.** Set your Pressure, Speed, and Blade Depth. I used a Cut Speed of 1, Pressure of 5, and Blade Depth of 2, but you should do a Test Cut to see what settings work best for you. You only want to cut through the top layer and not through the transfer sheet.



**step 18.** Choose Cut>Start

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**step 19.** Once the ScanNCut has finished cutting, unload the mat, remove the Iron-On Transfer Flocked Sheet, trim around the design with scissors, and weed the design. Do not discard the inner parts of the design that you weed away.



**step 20.** Create a sandwich to iron – onesie, weeded design (transfer sheet facing up), pressing sheet. Use an iron on the cotton setting, with no steam to fuse the Iron-On Transfer Flocked Sheet to the onesie.



**step 21.** When you're finished ironing, let the onesie cool for a moment and then peel off the transfer sheet.



**step 22.** Place the extra bits you weeded away on the onesie to augment your heart design. Use as many or as few as you wish.



**step 23.** Replace the pressing sheet and iron until the bits are adhered to the onesie.

