



### May Flaum

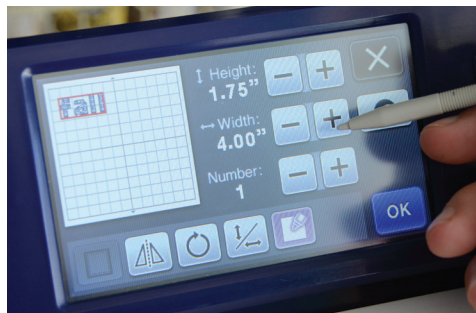
When it comes to Autumn, I can't get enough of crafting décor items to bring the season inside my home. I especially love ideas and projects that have multiple applications, such as a mason jar that can be used as a candle holder, gift, or even a centerpiece. This project has quickly become a favorite here in my house, as it is not only fun to make and look at, but it uses the incredible new "Fill Pattern" option for the ScanNCut. Drawing with my ScanNCut has never been so fun, and I can't wait to show you what I've created.

#### MATERIALS:

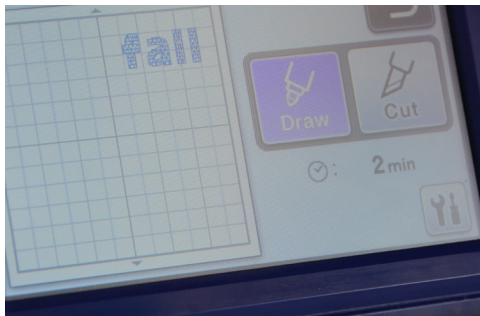
ScanNCut Machine; Universal Pen Holder; Pens; Jar; LED Tealight Candle; Patterned Paper; Cardstock; Buttons; Twine

*Note: Be sure to update your ScanNCut/ScanCut2 machine with the latest firmware at Brother Support: <https://www.brother-usa.com/support/>*

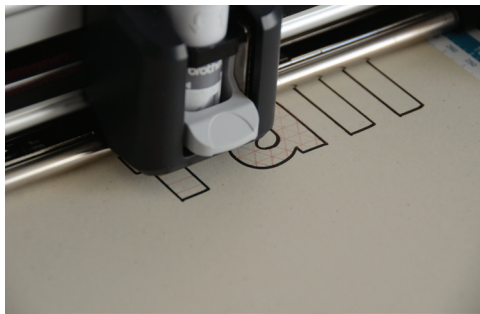
**step 1.** First, create the word "fall." Select the font letters in the ScanNCut and then size them. (I used a size of 4" wide for the total width.) Then, select the "Draw" tool, place the universal pen holder in the blade carriage, and draw the outline.



**step 2.** Once the drawing is done, remove the pen and put a gold glitter (or other color) pen in. (Do not remove the mat or move the paper!) Now, select the button (see photo) on the screen where you're able to edit the word "fall." This also enables the "Fill Pattern." Now, continue as if you will be drawing, but click the "Toolbox" icon (don't press "Draw" yet!) and scroll down to adjust the fill pattern, size, and angle. Once you are satisfied with how it looks, draw the pattern.



**step 3.** Keep the mat and word "fall" still in place exactly where they are. Once the drawing is done, replace the universal pen holder with the standard blade and cut the word out.



**Tip:** By not moving anything, the word will cut out perfectly! What to do if you forget and remove the paper or mat? Simply use the Scan function to scan in your paper and cut it out that way. That's the beauty of the ScanNCut!



- step 4.** Cut out several leaves (between ½" – 2" wide), tags (1 ¾" high), and any other elements you wish from the built-in ScanNCut designs. Gather these as well as your letters, jar, and adhesive to assemble the project.



**Tip:** When you have scraps of paper you don't want to keep, cut them up! Use basic shapes and designs from the ScanNCut and then store them in a drawer or container so that you have extras when you're creating.

- step 5.** Using various twines, string the tags (with the "fall" letters) on and tie around the top of the jar. Then, use hot glue or another strong adhesive and add buttons and leaves.



- step 6.** To finish your jar, add treats, a candle, buttons, or anything else you like and display!

