

Year 5 will be building on the sewing they have previous learnt in year 3 and 4. In year 5, we learn how to applique.

Applique is when pieces of fabric are sewn or stuck to a backing piece to form a picture. Year 5 will be creating either a space or an endangered animal picture using applique.



## Key skills:

- Using j2e to create design portfolio.
- Selecting suitable material and equipment.
- Designing and making the template.
- Choosing materials.
- Recording the process.
- Blanket stitch.
- Overstitch with hemming
- Adding decorative buttons and sewing to create features.
- Threading a needle and finishing off stitching.
- Problem-solving.
- Evaluating final piece.

## Vocabulary:

- applique
- blanket stitch
- overstitch
- hemming
- measure
- material
- design
- templates
- seam
- accurate
- decorative
- thread
- Fraying
- sustainability

## At home:

Try your own sewing project.

Decorate a cushion or t-shirt using applique.

## Careers

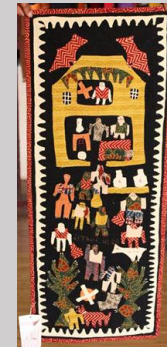
- Toy Designer
- Fashion Designer
- DT Teacher
- Display Designer
- Interior Designer
- Set and Costume designer
- Fashion Illustrator
- Product Designer
- Graphic Designer

## Applique History and Rani Ben

Applique is an ancient art. The earliest piece of applique found was dated back to Egypt 980BC! It was used in Middle Ages for emblems and in various cultures to tell stories. Rani Ben appliqued all her life into her 80's and used traditional Indian designs sewn by hand to tell a story. Applique is popular in U.S.A. for quilting designs. With the use of sewing machine, some artists produce amazing pieces of art.



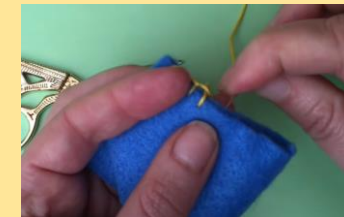
Rani Ben



One of Rani Ben's applique designs.



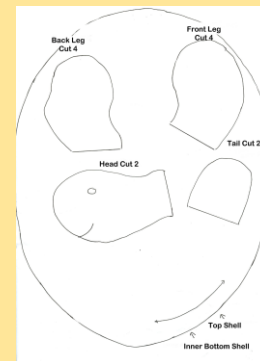
Modern art using applique.



Blanket stitch



Hemming using overstitch



Template