

## "In the Deep" wallhanging

Needs list: \_ Suitable fabric for sea 20cms x 25cms  
Wadding " "  
Backing fabric " "  
A piece for hanging sleeve 18cms x 5cms  
A selection of brightly coloured fabrics for fish  
Grey fabric for rocks (or sand coloured fabric  
for sand at the bottom of the sea  
Bondaweb or similar  
Embroidery threads or fancy wools to represent seaweed  
Sequins and beads if liked  
General sewing kit, threads, etc.  
A length of cord and a piece of dowelling for hanging.

Iron Bondaweb onto reverse of coloured fabrics and use templates draw round and cut out fish and rocks shapes and arrange in a pleasing design. Bond into place.

Seaweed: Use few pieces of wool or embroidery threads to depict seaweed, placing the ends just outside the seam allowances. Small couching stitches will be needed to hold the strands into position. Alternatively machine embroidery stitches can be used for seaweed.

Sew on beads/sequins if using.

Hanging sleeve \_ press a 1/4" turning on long edges and short ends. Fold in half right sides together, pin in place on right side of backing fabric approx 4cms down from top, stitch in place.

Layer up, pin and stitch round, leaving a gap for turning. Turn right side out, pushing out corners, close gap.

Add a little quilting to suggest movement in the water, either by hand or machine.

Slide a piece of thin dowelling or a green garden stick through sleeve and tie on approx 30 cms of cord for hanging.





