



STAR

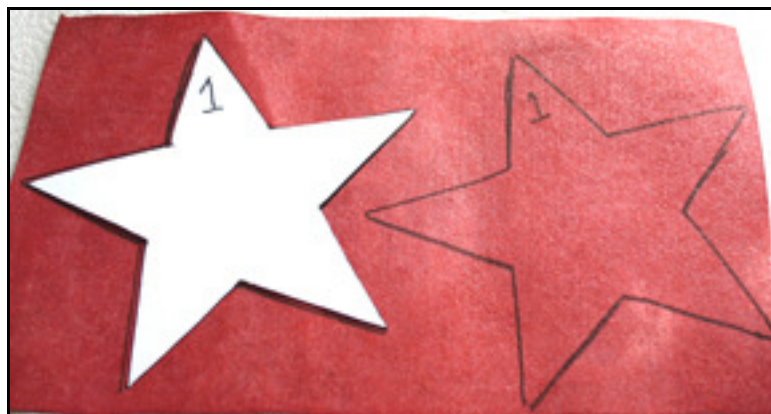
Once you have created your base fabric from the information found in the [Fusible Vilene](#) tutorial you will be ready to make a star.

There is a template at the end of this tutorial which gives a 6½" (16.5 cms) star, you can of course choose to make one larger or smaller if you prefer.

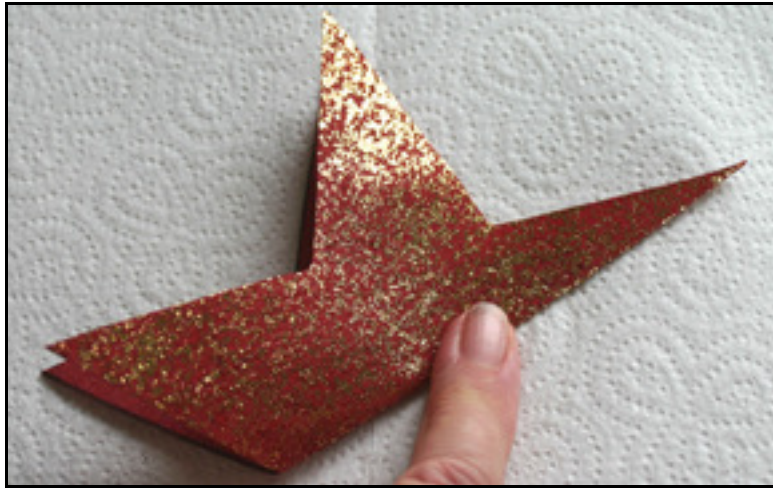
Lay your template on the **wrong side** of the base fabric, and draw around the star, mark the number 1 on your fabric, on the same point as the template.

Once you have drawn around the first star, flip the template over to give a mirror image and this will make sure the stars match up when you come to sew them together. Draw around the template a second time.

Remember to mark the number 1 on this one as well.



Once your stars are cut out, begin the folds,
Starting at the tip of one point, fold the fabric **wrong sides**
together and press along the length until you reach the middle
of the star. Run your finger along the fold to ensure a good
crease. Repeat this on all five points ,



It will now look like the picture below.



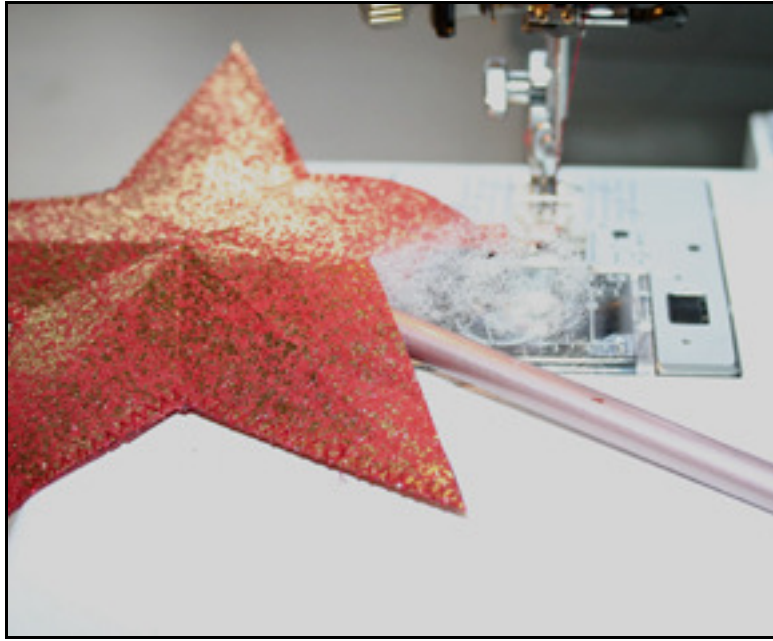
Now turn the star over and pinch a fold with **rightsides** of the fabric together on the V of the star between the points, until you reach the middle, because you will have used a firm Vilene, the fabric should now hold the crease.



Place both pieces of your fabric **wrong sides** together. Make sure both of the number ones are lined up and your star should be a perfect match,

Set your machine to a narrow zig zag or a satin stitch if you prefer.

Begin to stitch the edges of the star together, and when you reach the last point, begin to push small pieces of wadding inside. I only pushed a small amount into the centre of the star to create the raised effect. Finish stitching the edges of the star together.



Lastly, thread a large needle with embroidery floss and push through the top point of the star to create a hanging loop.



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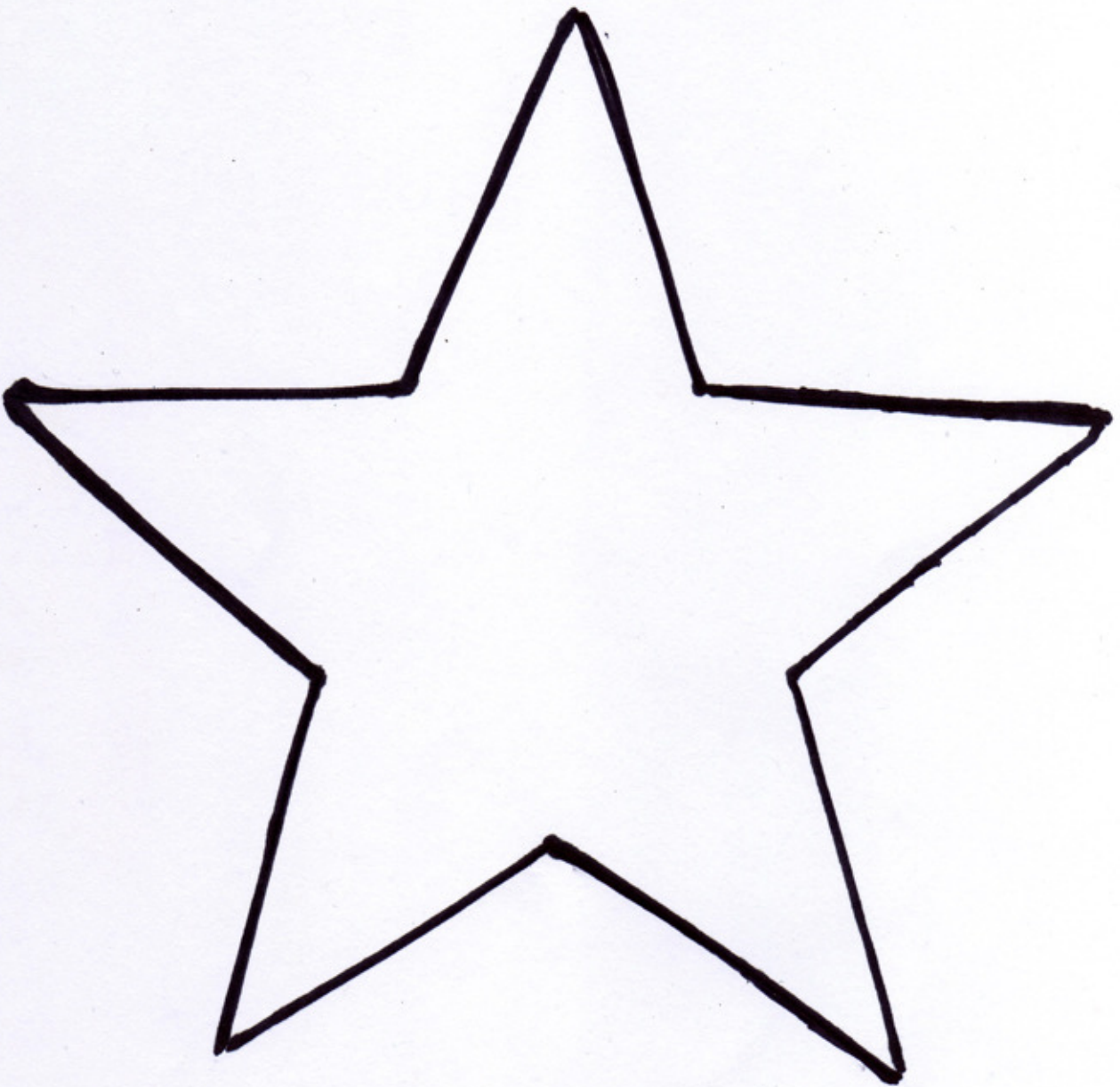
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Full Size Template 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ "
Cut your star inside the black line