Dancing skeletons border

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.7 × 1.5 in (11.9 × 3.8 cm).



Which color goes where.

Three ways to transfer the pattern

1. **Fabric you can see through**
   Tape page 2 to a sunny window or lay it on a light box, tape the fabric over it and trace the lines with a sharp pencil or a water-soluble pen.
2. **Fabric you cannot see through**
   Lay dressmaker's carbon paper colored side down on the fabric with page 2 on top, tape the layers and trace the lines firmly with a ballpoint pen.
3. **Iron-on**
   Go over the lines of page 3, the mirrored page, with an iron-on transfer pen, lay it ink side down on the fabric and press with a dry iron.

Pages 2 and 3 are the pattern at actual size. Print them at 100% with scaling turned off.

Floss

- **DMC 3835 Medium Grape**
  Ground line, top hat and skirt band, hair bow (lighter)
- **DMC 471 Very Light Avocado Green**
  Tendrils, bow tie and flower stem, grass skirt (lighter)
- **DMC 946 Medium Burnt Orange**
  Tutu and pumpkins (darker), tutu waist and flower heart
- **DMC 741 Medium Tangerine**
  Tutu and pumpkins (lighter), flower and hat band
- **DMC 469 Avocado Green**
  Grass skirt (darker), pumpkin leaves, pumpkin stems, flower leaves and bow tie knot
- **DMC 712 Cream**
  Skulls, leg bones, arm bones and hands and feet (lighter), ribs and 4 more parts
- **DMC 310 Black**
  Eye sockets, smiles, noses, hip marks and laughing mouth, teeth (darker)
- **DMC 3033 Very Light Mocha Brown**
  Breastbone and neck and spine knots, skulls and leg bones (darker) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 3834 Dark Grape**
  Hat brim, hair bow (darker)

Stitches

- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Ground line, pumpkins, pumpkin leaves, hands and feet, arm bones, leg bones, hips, ribs, breastbone, skulls, eye sockets, laughing mouth, and 11 more
- **Back stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
  Tendrils, smiles
- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Pumpkin stems, fingers, hip marks, noses, teeth, grass skirt
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  Neck and spine knots, bow tie knot, tutu hem knots, hair bow, flower heart
- **Stem stitch**, 2 strands
  Flower stem

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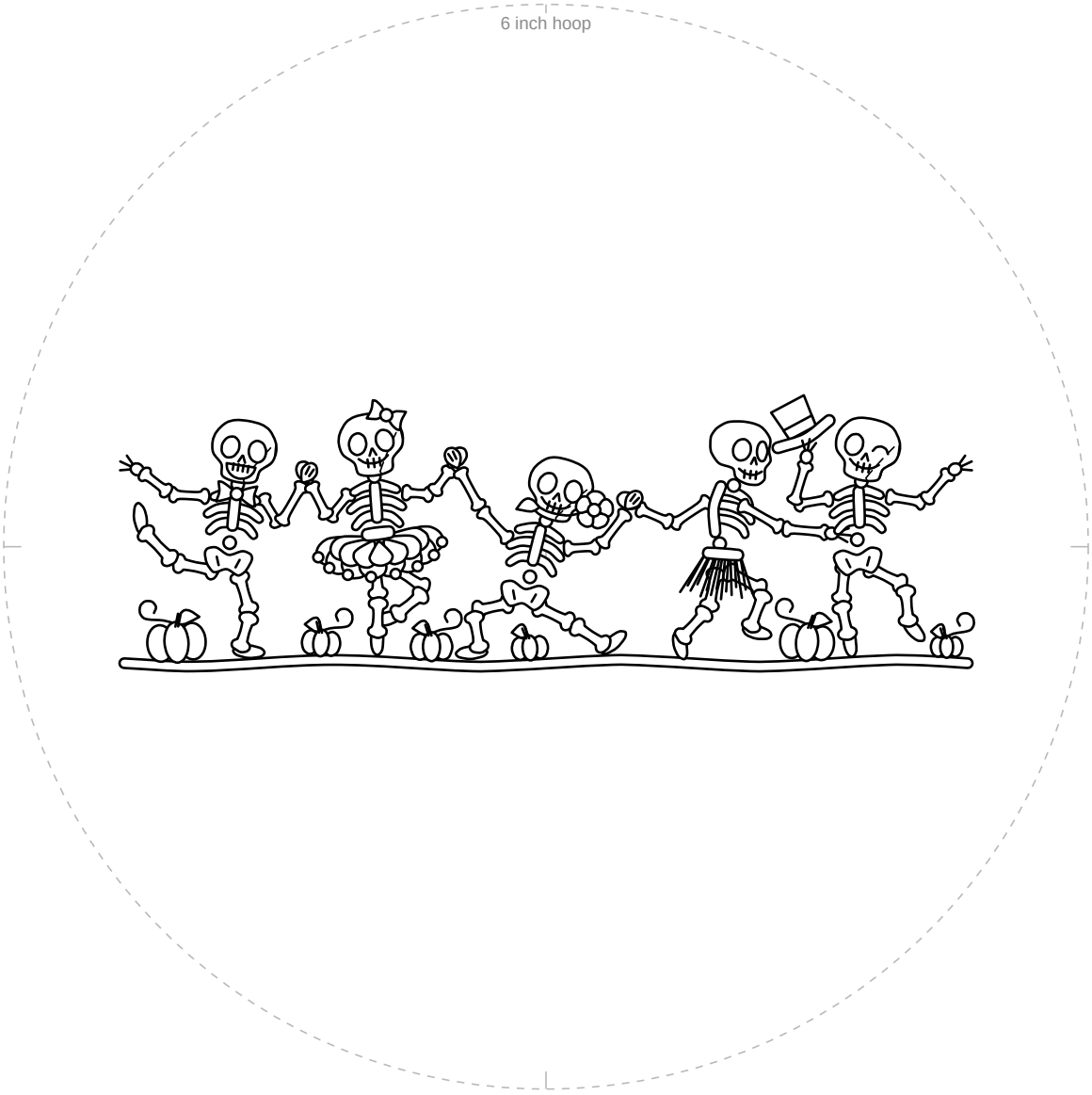

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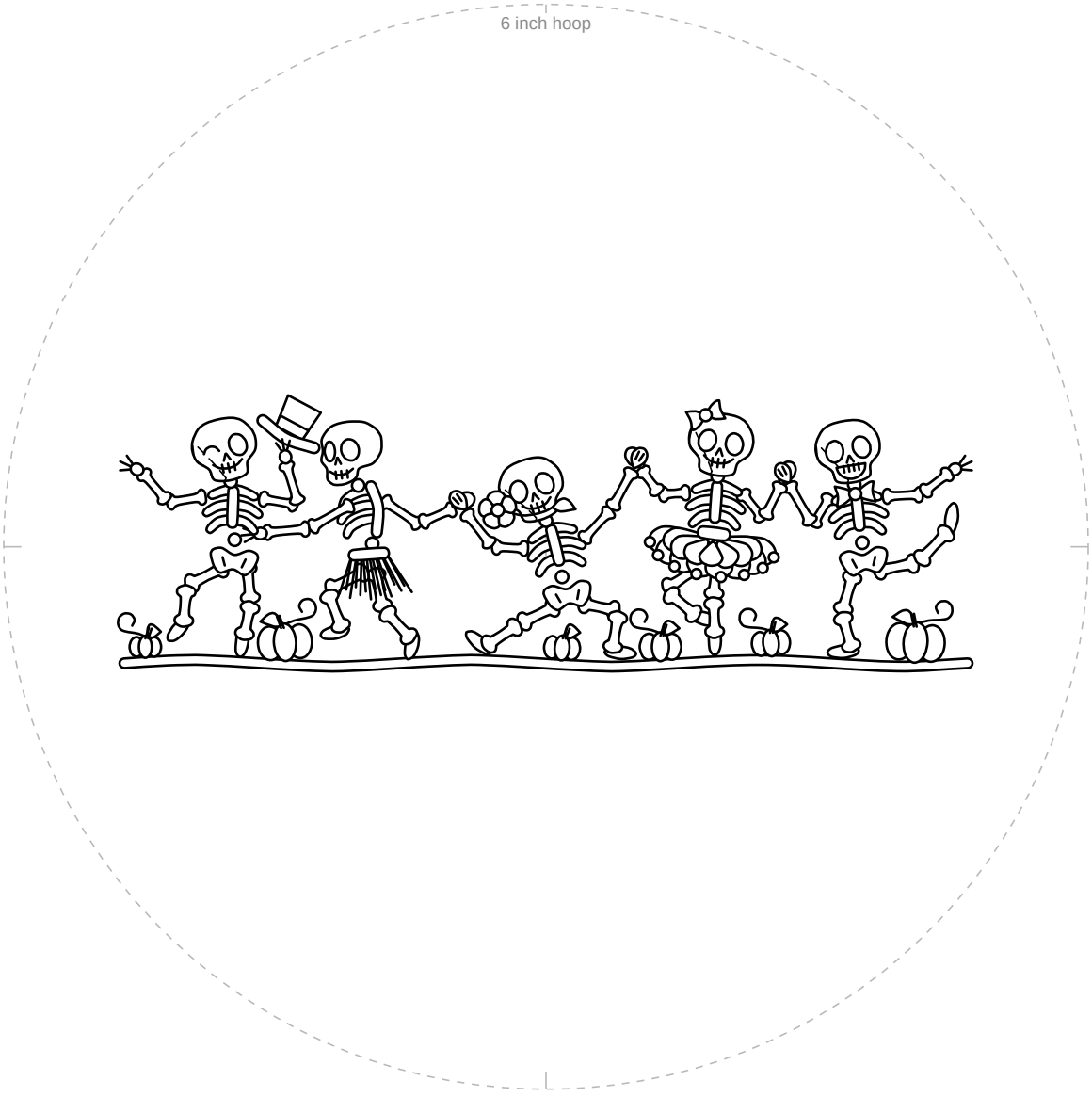
Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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