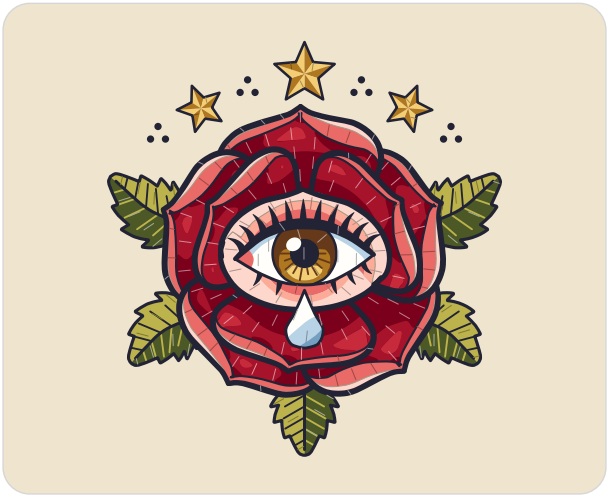
Eye tattoo style with a rose

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.7 × 5 in (11.9 × 12.7 cm).



Which color goes where: by number on page 2.
Fabric: blush pink cotton or linen.

Three ways to transfer the pattern

1. **Fabric you can see through**
   Tape page 3 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 3 on top, tape the layers and trace the lines firmly with a ballpoint pen.
3. **Iron-on: the lines stay**
   Go over the lines of page 4, the mirrored page, with an iron-on transfer pen, lay it ink side down on the fabric and press with a dry iron, as the pen's packet says.

Pages 3 and 4 are the pattern at actual size. Print them at 100% with scaling turned off. Then put the fabric in the hoop: inner ring under, drawing up, tight as a drum.

Floss

- **1 DMC 733 Medium Olive Green**
  Leaves and leaf veins (lighter)
- **2 DMC 310 Black**
  Outline, lashes, upper lash line, pupil and dots, leaf veins (darker)
- **3 DMC 936 Very Dark Avocado Green**
  Leaves (darker)
- **4 DMC 814 Dark Garnet** Petals (darkest)
- **5 DMC 498 Dark Red** Petals (dark)
- **6 DMC 321 Red** Petals (light)
- **7 DMC 666 Bright Red** Petals (lightest)
- **8 DMC 351 Coral**
  Turned lips and inner corner, heart petals (dark)
- **9 DMC 353 Peach** Heart petals (light), pale edges
- **10 DMC 3341 Apricot** Heart petals (middle)
- **11 DMC BLANC White**
  White of the eye (lighter), tear (light), light in the eye
- **12 DMC 3325 Light Baby Blue**
  White of the eye (darker), tear (middle)
- **13 DMC 801 Dark Coffee Brown**
  Iris (dark), iris spokes
- **14 DMC 782 Dark Topaz**
  Stars (darker), iris (middle)
- **15 DMC 3821 Straw** Stars (lighter), iris (light)
- **16 DMC 334 Medium Baby Blue** Tear (dark)

Stitch in this order

Filled parts from the back of the picture forward, then lines and knots.

1. **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
   Leaves, turned lips, pale edges, outline, inner corner, pupil, light in the eye, lashes, upper lash line, stars
2. **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
   Petals, heart petals, white of the eye, iris, tear
3. **Straight stitch**, 1 strand
   Leaf veins, iris spokes
4. **Split stitch**, 2 to 6 strands
   Outline
5. **Stem stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
   Outline
6. **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
   Dots

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How to read it

Floss is six strands. Cut 18 inches (45 cm), pull out the number given one at a time, and lay them together.

Inside a filled shape start with two or three tiny stitches, which the filling covers. Start a line with a small knot on the back. End each thread by running the needle under the backs of a few stitches.

Each small ring is one French knot. A fine broken line inside a shape is where two shades meet: trace it, do not stitch it.

A number on the picture is a color of the list of floss on page 1. The fine lines on the colors show which way the stitches lie.

Every stitch in pictures: flossfield.com/embroidery/stitches. The first time: flossfield.com/embroidery/guides/how-to-start.



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Print at 100% and check the square below with a ruler. Fold the fabric in four: the folds meet the four ticks of the ring.



1 in
25.4 mm

Check square: 1 inch (25.4 mm) on each side.
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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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