

CrossStitcher ©Felicity Hall

Designed by: Felicity Hall Stitch count: 50 high x 88 wide

Design size: 9x15cm (3½x6in) Stitch time: 10 hours

This design was stitched on 14 count perforated paper.

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Choose your own colour combinations for the wings to use up any spare threads in your stash

## Make a... butterfly card

### Step 1

**STITCH** the butterfly in two halves, leaving a block of 19x21 squares of unstitched perforated paper attached to each side of the butterfly's body.

### Step 2

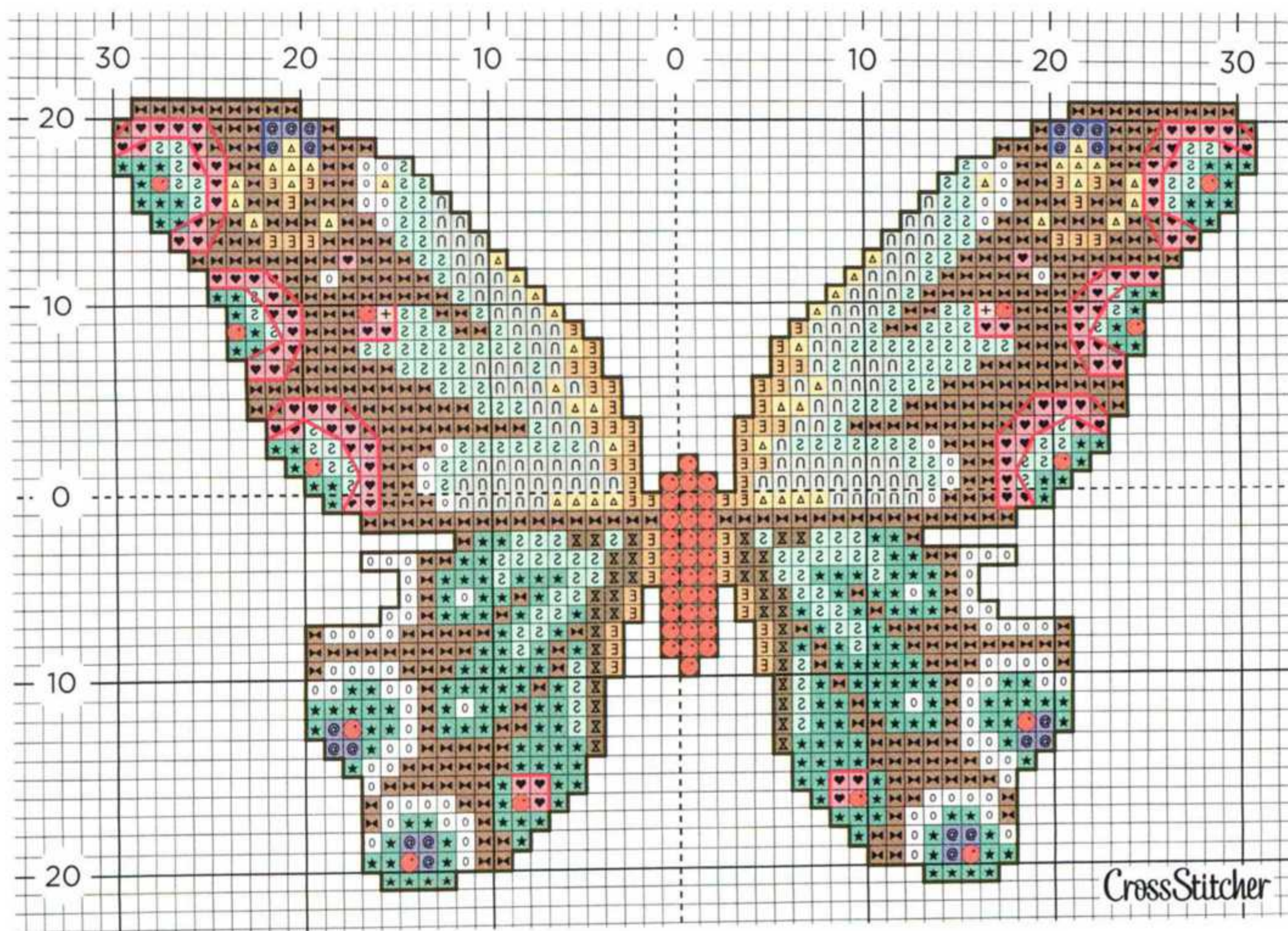
**CUT** around the design, one square outside the stitching, using small sharp scissors, leaving the block of unstitched perforated paper attached to each side of the butterfly.

### Step 3

**WORK** on the right side of the stitching – fold back the unstitched block of paper onto the back of the butterfly. Repeat for the other butterfly's wing.

### Step 4

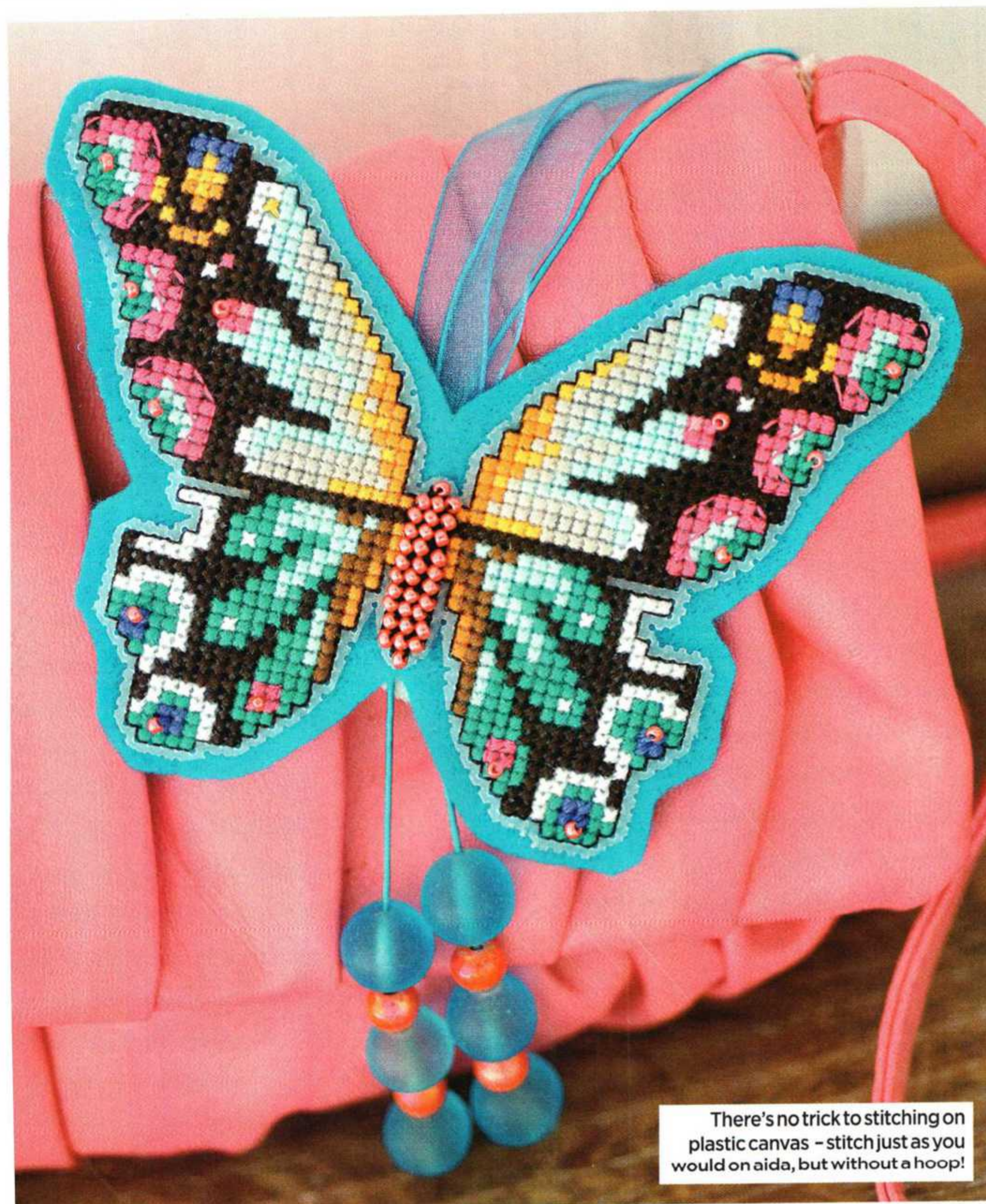
**FOLD** both sides of the card over to meet at the centre. Press the two vertical folds firmly in place. Lay each wing on the card front, wrapping the unstitched paper block around and onto the inside of the card. Use double-sided tape to attach the unstitched blocks to the card.



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<b>Backstitch in one strand</b>			
	158	941	0914
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	wings		

<b>Attach beads with cotton</b>			
	Mill Hill beads		
	00968		
	body, wings		



There's no trick to stitching on plastic canvas - stitch just as you would on aida, but without a hoop!

## Make a... bag charm

### Step 1

**ONCE** you've finished stitching, trim your design all the way around. Be sure to leave at least one plastic canvas block all the way around the design.

### Step 2

**ATTACH** your butterfly to a piece of felt. We've used a glue gun, but you could also handstitch it to your felt. Trim the felt so it follows the shape of the butterfly.

### Step 3

**KNOT** the ends of a few lengths of cord and string on some beads. Knot the opposite ends and stitch in place on the back of your felt to secure. Finish with a loop at the top.