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Materials and Tools Needed

- Small piece of white lightweight all cotton fabric such as batiste
- Bunka, embroidery thread or craft thread in red
- Red ribbon (preferably silk but polyester can do) 1/8" for 1", 1/16" for smaller scales
- *Optional:* cotton fabric printer paper
- Scissors
- White glue that dries clear (Tacky, Elmers, or other)
- A little stain or dirty paint water

1", 1/2" & 1/4" scale Apron

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1. Place small piece of fabric over pattern (Figure 2) and trace outline onto fabric. Trace pocket in a separate place. Cut fabric along the lines.
2. Pull on one thread at end of bunka cord to unravel. You will then have a curly thread. Or just use another thick thread as is.
3. (Optional) If possible, copy the NAME logo border and logo onto fabric. You can use the paper but it will be stiffer. Peel off backing and adhere to bottom of apron. You may need to add a small bit of extra glue to secure the strip.
4. Place a thin bead of glue – about 1

inch at a time and carefully glue the bunka around all edges of the apron. You can decide how much curl you want by stretching it more or less as you glue it on.

5. Adhere logo to pocket (optional). Glue edges of pocket to apron. Outline with bunka glued on to cover edges of pocket. (Tip: leave a little sagging gap at top of pocket to show it is well used)
6. Cut a 2-inch strip of ribbon and glue ends to each corner of apron bib for the "over-the-head" part.
7. Cut remaining ribbon in half and glue one end to each corner of apron under the arms.

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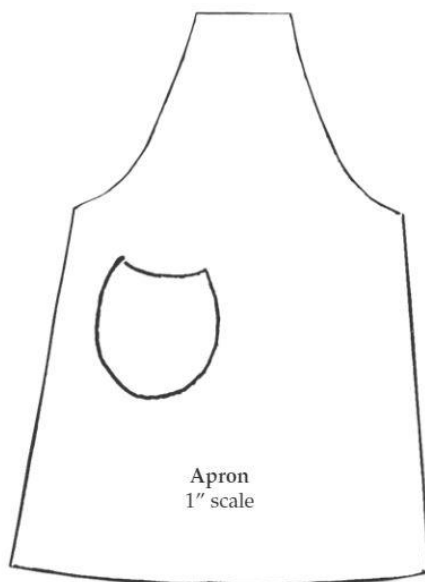
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To Drape Apron On Hook

Paint apron with thinned layer of white glue or fabric stiffener. Shape in draped position and lightly tape or clip in shape until dry. Hang on hook.

Use stain pen and paintbrush to drybrush on stains and paint smears to make that "well-used look"

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Apron - Figure 2

