

# Free Design

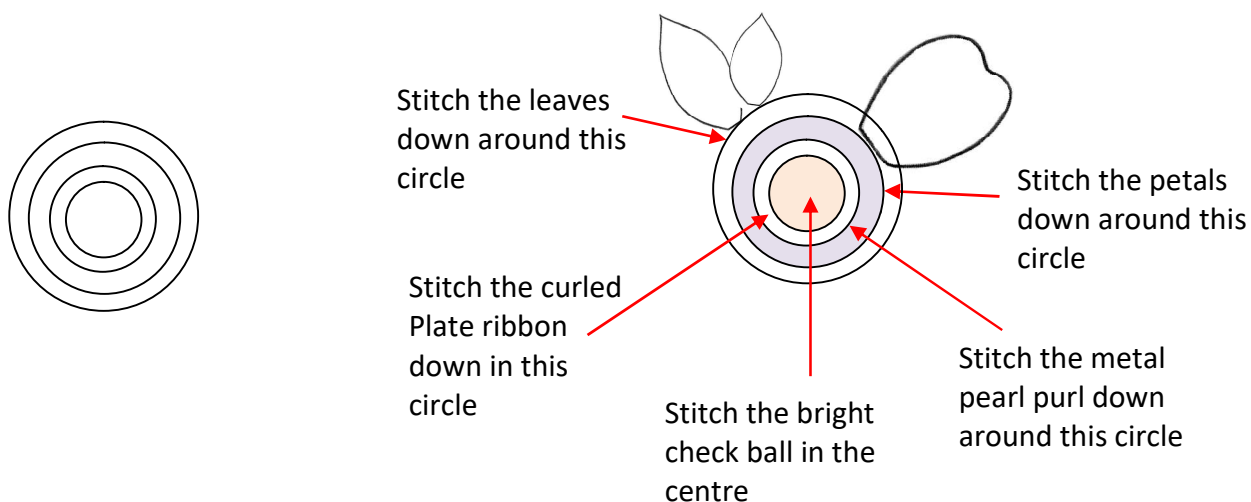
## Creative goldwork rose



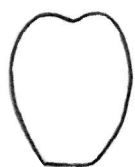
Watch my video '5 Creative Goldwork Techniques' to have a go at this Creative goldwork rose design.

Print off this page and trace the flower centre circles below onto your fabric for the centre of your flower (this makes a 5cm diameter flower).

### Circles to trace and placement of elements



### Petal and leaf templates

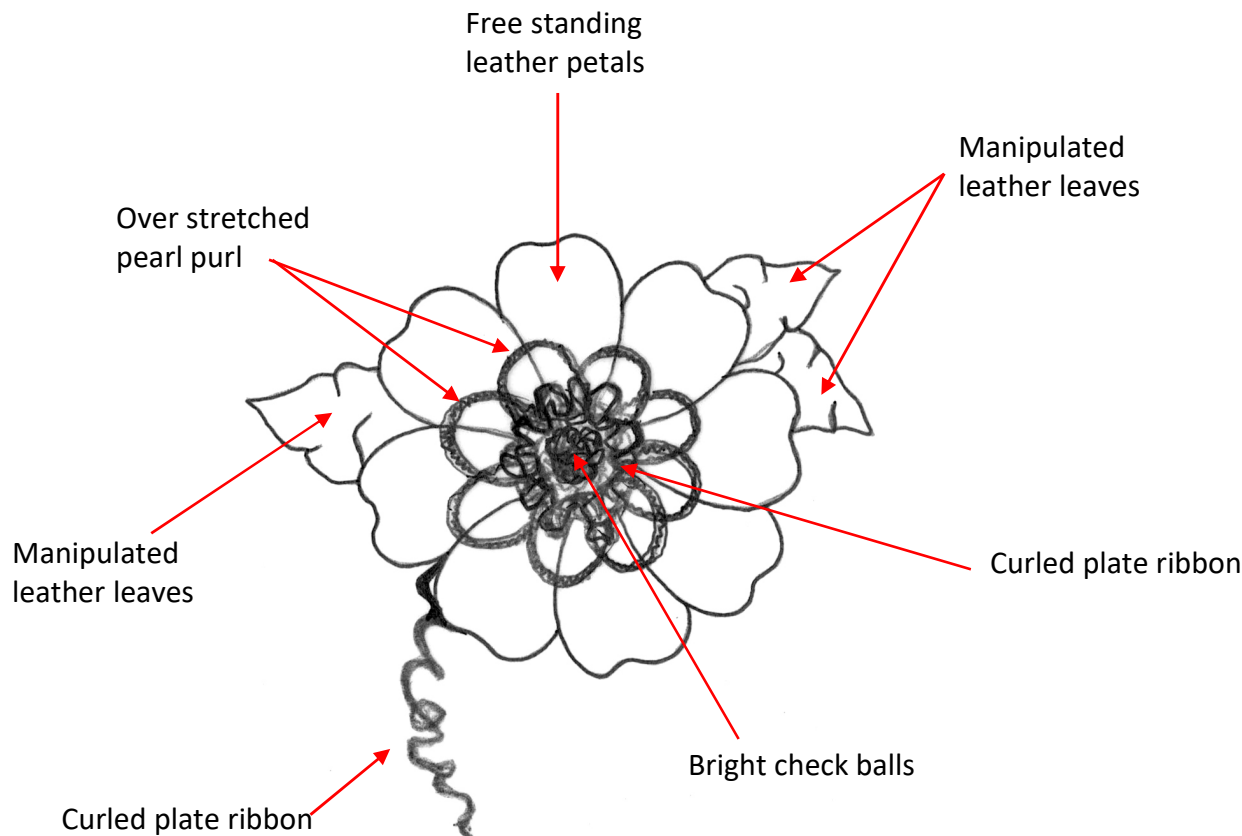


Cut 8 petal shapes out of leather (or more if you want to work the gathered petal)



Cut one of each of the above leaf shapes out of leather

## Stitch Plan (to work as I have in the video)



### You will need:-

A printer to print off these pattern pieces

### Materials I used:

- Leather for the flower petals and leaves
- Metal purl wire (Pearl purl)
- Bright check purl
- Plate ribbon

### Fabric

I've stitched this design onto a cotton fabric with a cotton calico backing

### Other items you will need:

- Ordinary matching sewing thread to sew down your leather and metals
- Embroidery scissors and scissors for gold metals
- Paper scissors to cut out the pattern pieces
- Needles, suggested embroidery size 10
- Beeswax
- Embroidery hoop or stretcher bars to fit your background fabric
- Optional - Versatile table clamp to hold the frame still

## Stitch order

- 1) Trace your circles onto your fabric to mark the centre of the flower and the placement of the other elements
- 2) Cut out the paper templates
- 3) Cut out your leaf shapes and stitch in place on the outer circle
- 4) Cut your petals out and stitch into place on the circle indicated on page 1
- 5) Stretch, cut and bend your metal pearl purl into shape and stitch down on the circle indicated on page 1
- 6) Make your bright check ball and sew down in the centre circle
- 7) Curl your plate ribbon and stitch into place around the bright check ball
- 8) Add on worms and tendrils if you like!



Check out our other videos on how to frame up your fabric, how to thread your needles, how to start and finish your threads and The Goldwork Embroidery playlist; just search **Sarah Homfray Embroidery** on YouTube to find our channel and click on the red **SUBSCRIBE** button to bookmark our page.

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