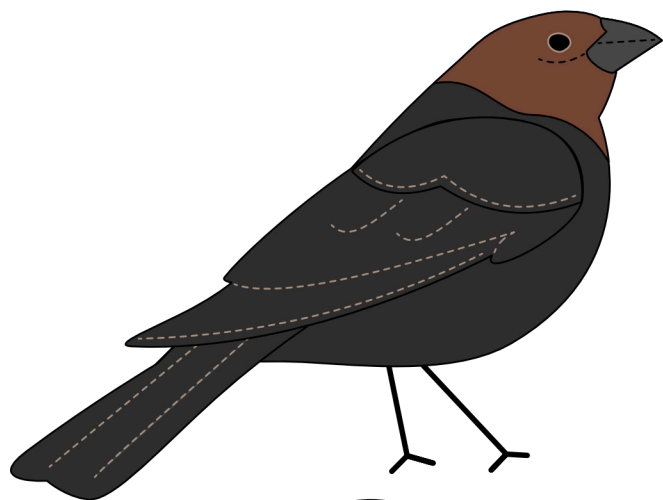


Downeast Thunder Farm Brown-headed Cowbird

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Notes: Use one strand of floss unless noted. Create two mirror image birds.

- Position the head and sew with a black running stitch along the bottom edge.
- Position the beak and tack with a black running stitch for the mouth.
- Position the eye; tack with a black seed bead or French knot. Sew the black running stitch beneath the eye.
- Position the tail and tack with a few stitches.
- Position the wing and wing cap; pin. Sew the top edge of the wing cap with a black blanket stitch. Sew a running stitch along the bottom of the wing cap with brown floss (2 strands) as illustrated. Sew the remaining running stitches on the wing and tail with brown floss (2 strands).
- If desired, add wire legs to the back of one of the bodies.
- Sew the bodies together using a black blanket stitch; pause to lightly stuff with fiberfill before finishing.

Have fun!

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