

LIVING DIY STYLE PRESENTS TO YOU A TUTORIAL FOR:

Funky Fox Ears

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What You'll Need

Materials List for Fox Ears:

- Pre-washed 1/4 yard of red or orange polar fleece.
- Pre-washed 1/4 yard of black polar fleece.
- Pre-washed 1/4 yard of white polar fleece.
- Matching thread

Tools List

- Sewing Machine
- Scissors
- Fabric pencil or chalk
- Pins
- Measuring tape for measuring your head.
- Ruler

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Part 1: Cutting out the pattern



✿Step 1 :

In order to figure out what size paper pattern you need to cut out, we need to measure first. Measure around your head with measuring tape as shown here. Use this measurement to find your size. For example, if your child's head measures 21 inches or 21 & 1/2 inches around, cut out the pattern pieces for size 21 or 22.



✿Step 2:

For the "Top Pattern" fold the fabric over and lay the paper pattern on top. Place the side of the pattern that says "place on the fold here" along the fold of the fleece as shown here. I like to pin the paper pattern to the folded fleece and then cut it out. Use whatever method is most comfortable for you.



✿Step 3:

Now flip the "Top Pattern" over, pin, and cut out one more.

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Cutting Out the Pattern Continued...



✿Step 4:

For the “Underside Pattern” place on the fold , pin, and cut as you did in step one. You only need one “Underside Pattern”. Repeat this process for the “Strap Pattern”.



✿Step 5:

At this point you should have **two Top Patterns**, **two Strap Patterns**, and **one Underside Pattern**.



✿Step 6:

Fold red fleece, pin, and cut out “Ears Pattern”. Repeat for white fleece. Use same cut out method for the “Back of Ears” pattern.



✿Step 7:

Now you should have **two red Ear Patterns**, **two white Ear Patterns**, and **two Back of Ear Patterns** cut out.

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Part 2: Sewing the Ears



✿Step 1:

Lay Back of Ear pattern on top of red Ear Patterns. Stitch in place as indicated in picture here. Sew as close to the edge as possible. Keep ears facing up like this for the next step.

Use a 1/4" seam allowance.



✿Step 2:

Now lay the white Ear Patterns right on top of the back of ears. Then sew around using a 1/4" seam allowance. Only stitch where I have indicated in this picture.

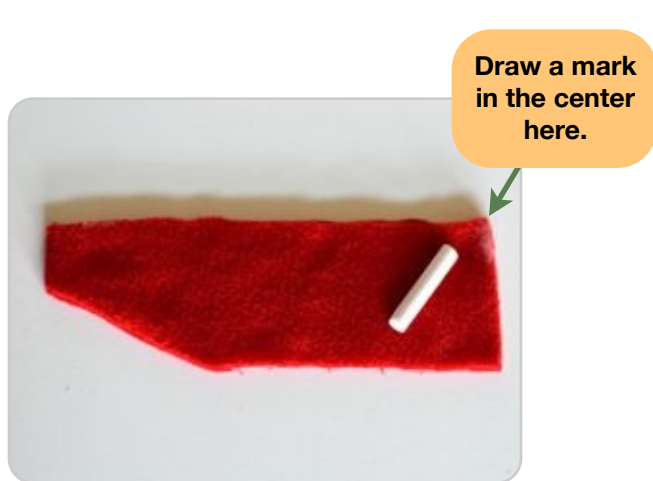


✿Step 3:

Now turn the ears right side out, fold ends till they meet in the middle, and stitch in place as indicated in this picture. Sew as close to the edge as possible. 1/16" - 1/8" seam allowance would be ideal.

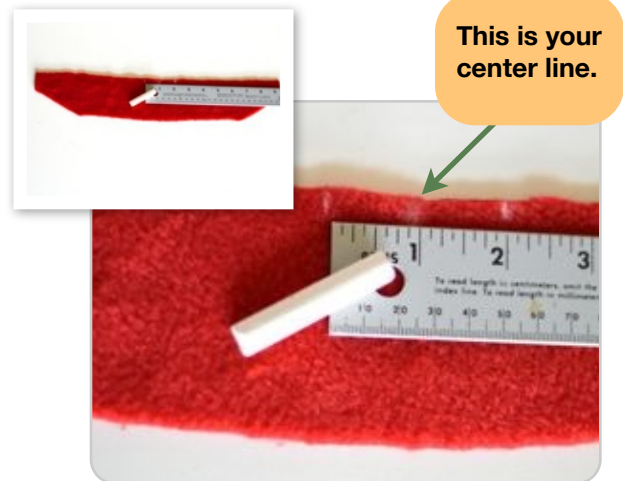
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Part 3: Sewing In the Ears



✿Step: 1

Fold one of the Top Patterns in half and draw a little line at the center. We are preparing for ear placement.



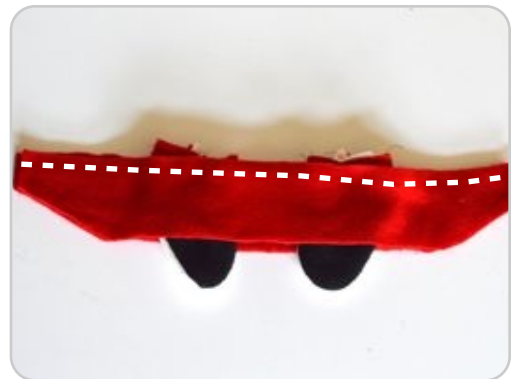
✿Step 2:

Now open up the Top Pattern piece and line up the 1" mark on the ruler with your center line that you drew in earlier. Draw a mark at the beginning of your ruler and also at the 2" mark as shown.



✿Step 3:

Lay the ears down with back of ears facing up and pointing inward as shown here. Place the left inner ears on lines you drew in at step 2.



✿Step 4:

Now lay the other Top Pattern on top. The bottom of the ears should hang out of the seam a little bit. This ensures that ears will be completely sewn in without parts being missed. Pin it and sew using a 1/4" seam allowance.

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Part 4: Finishing the Project



✿After the ears are sewn in it should look something like this.



✿Step 1:

Place the ends of the straps at both ends. Sew in place using a 1/8" seam allowance.



✿Step 2:

We are now preparing to sew the Underside on. We need to prevent the ears from getting sewn in the Underside pattern seam, so roll them up and use a safety pin to keep them rolled up and out of the way.



✿Step 3:

On the backside of the Underside Pattern we need to prepare for making an opening in order to turn the project right side out when we are done sewing it. A 3" opening should be perfect.

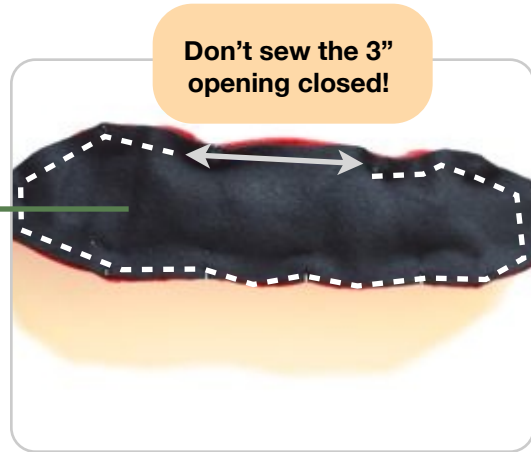
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Finishing the Project Continued...



✿Step 4:

Lay the Underside Pattern on top of the rolled up Fox ears.



✿Step 5:

Pin the Underside Pattern and then sew around using a 1/4" seam allowance. Avoid sewing the 3" opening shut.



✿Step 6:

Reach inside and pull the ears right side out.



✿Once you turn it right side out you should have an opening like this.

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Finishing the Project Continued...



Whohoo, you're done!!!

✿Step 7:

Tuck the edges of the opening inside and sew the opening closed.

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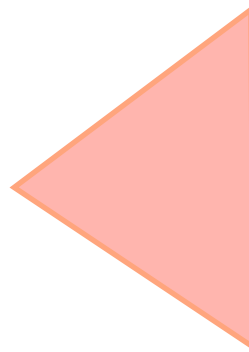
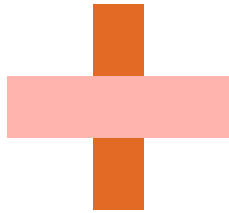


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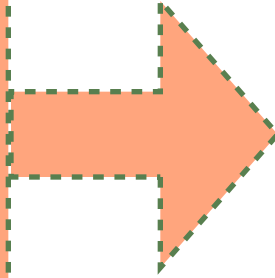
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Directions for switching out the bear ears for fox ears are including in this hoodie pattern found here: <http://www.livingdiystyle.com/product/hoodie-cowl-animal-hat-sewing-pattern>

**Congratulations,
you're done.....**

**Now let's see you brag
about it!!!**



**Let's see what
you've made!**

**Please post a
picture of your
finished fox ears on
my Facebook page!**

**Or just send me a
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picture and I'll**

**share it on
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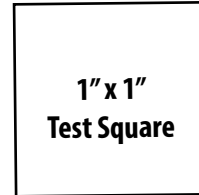
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**Print this page and measure this
1" x 1" test square to make sure
the paper patterns have printed
correctly.**



Fox Ears Pattern

Underside Pattern



(Cut 1 on the fold)

Place on the Fold Here

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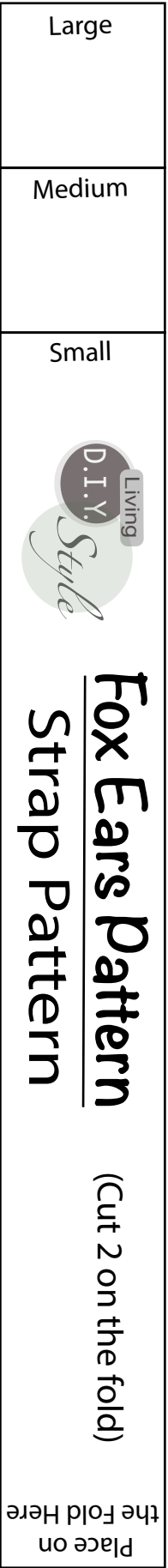
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Fox Ears Pattern

Ear Pattern

(Cut 1 Exterior and 1 Interior)



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Size
Small

Back of Ear Pattern

(Cut 2)



Size
Large

Back of Ear Pattern

(Cut 2)



(Cut 2)

Back of Ear Pattern

Size
Medium

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