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CRITTER MASKS

PDF Instructions and Pattern

Designed to fit 18" Dolls

KOALA - BEAR - BUTTERFLY - PANDA

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You Will Need:

- Felt OR thin craft foam
- Small scissor with a sharp point
- Tacky type craft glue
- Small Paint Brush
- Pen
- Hand sew Needle and Thread
- 8” - 1/4” wide Elastic
- Decorative flat back crystals (for butterfly)
- 2” pipe cleaner (for butterfly)



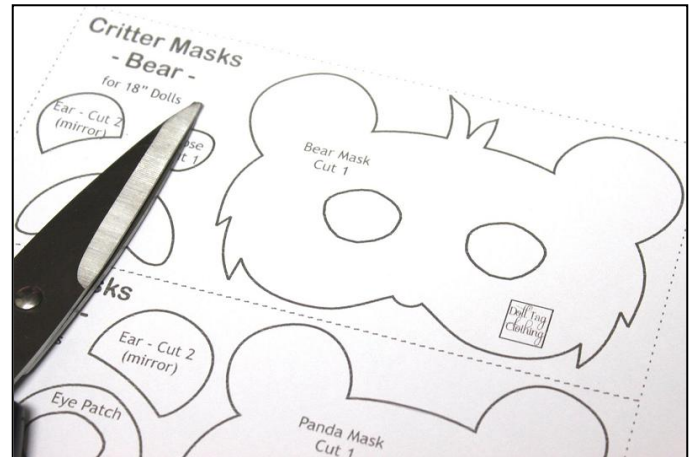
General Notes:

- **PRINTING** – Pattern pieces are found at the end of the instructions. Check the scale of your pattern by measuring the 1” square. Make sure your printer scale is set to “none” or Actual size.
- **FELT OR FOAM** – You can use felt OR craft foam to create these masks. To make these instructions easier I will refer to felt throughout.
- **Sold Separately** – The jumpsuit shown in the photos are made using the “Costume Jumpsuit” pattern. The butterfly is wearing a costume made from the “Ballet Class” pattern.
- **FLOPPY FELT?** – If the felt you are using is very floppy and does not hold its shape well, then iron on some fusible interfacing at the back before cutting out the shape.



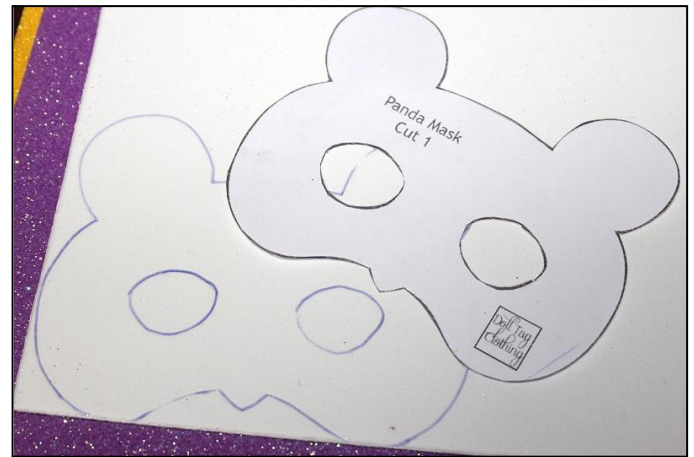
CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Print the pattern sheet and cut out all the pieces you need to create your mask.



2. Cut out all the pieces you will need from the felt. Each element will be in its own color. Remember to cut out the eyes!

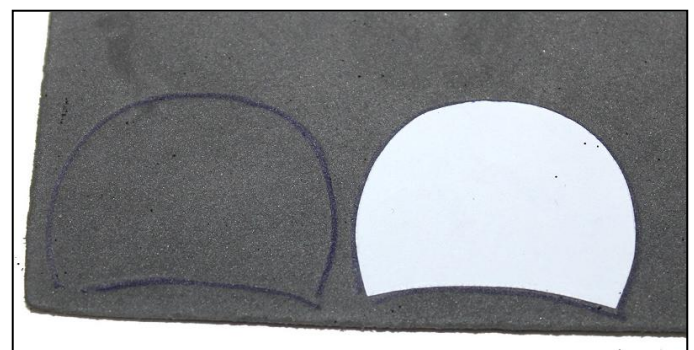
- Option 1: Place the pattern pieces on the felt and trace. Cut out. If you are using a printed or decorative/glitter felt, then trace on the back of the felt so that you cannot see the pen marks on the front of the mask. (this is the best option for foam)



- Option 2: Pin the pattern piece onto the felt. This works well for the larger pieces. Cut out around the pattern piece. (This option will not work for foam)



NOTE: The pattern pieces that are marked “mirror” need to be cut 2 of each, one with the pattern piece facing up and the second one with the pattern piece facing down.



Cut your pieces for the different masks as follows:

- Bear:

- 1x Face - Brown
- 1x Muzzle - Light brown
- 1x Nose - Brown or black
- 2x Inner Ears - Pink



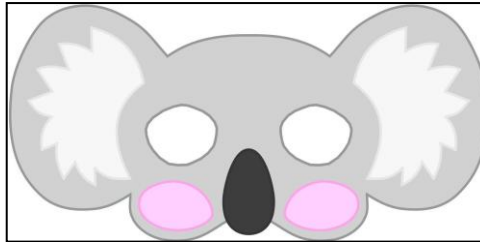
- Butterfly:

- 1x Butterfly - Pink
- 1x Butterfly Body - White
- 2x Wings - Blue



- Koala:

- 1x Face - Gray
- 2x Inner Ears - White
- 2x Cheeks - Pink
- 1x Nose - Black



- Panda:

- 1x Face - White
- 2x Ears - Black
- 2x Eye Patch - Black
- 1x Nose - Black

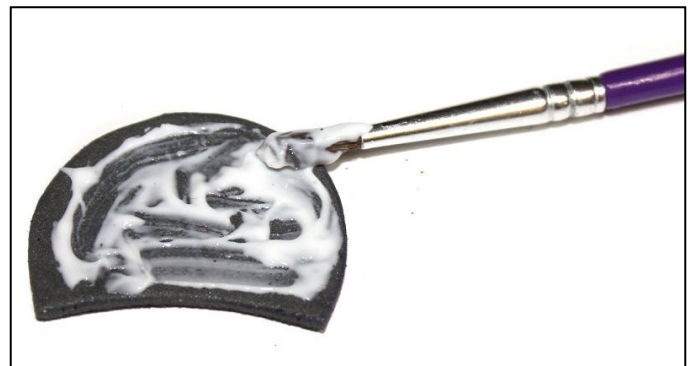


ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

1. Once you have all your pieces cut out you are ready to assemble the mask.



2. Use a small paint brush to spread the glue evenly onto the BACK of the piece you want to glue down. Place it carefully in place and continue with the next element.



3. Continue gluing down all the elements. Use the mask images as a guide for the placement. Let the glue dry.



4. Cut a length of 1/4" elastic - 8" long and sew or staple on either side of the mask. I prefer to sew the elastic down by hand. Use the same color thread as the mask. The elastic must also be level with the eyes.



Note: The photos show the front and the back of the elastic attachment. When sewing through the foam, use the same hole with every time you sew in and out to prevent perforating it too much, causing it to tear.



5. Add some flair to your mask. This is really fun for the butterfly mask. Glue some flat back crystals onto your mask. You may need to use a tweezers to help you with the placement.



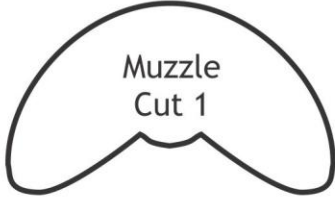
6. Cut a length of pipe cleaner, 2” and fold in half. Glue at the back of the butterfly’s head and stick in place to create the feelers. Place a slightly heavy object onto the feelers till the glue dries.

Your mask is now complete and ready to be added to your doll’s wardrobe!



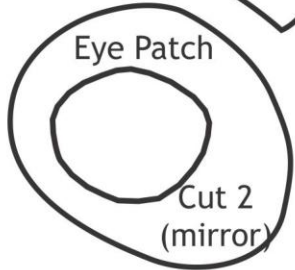
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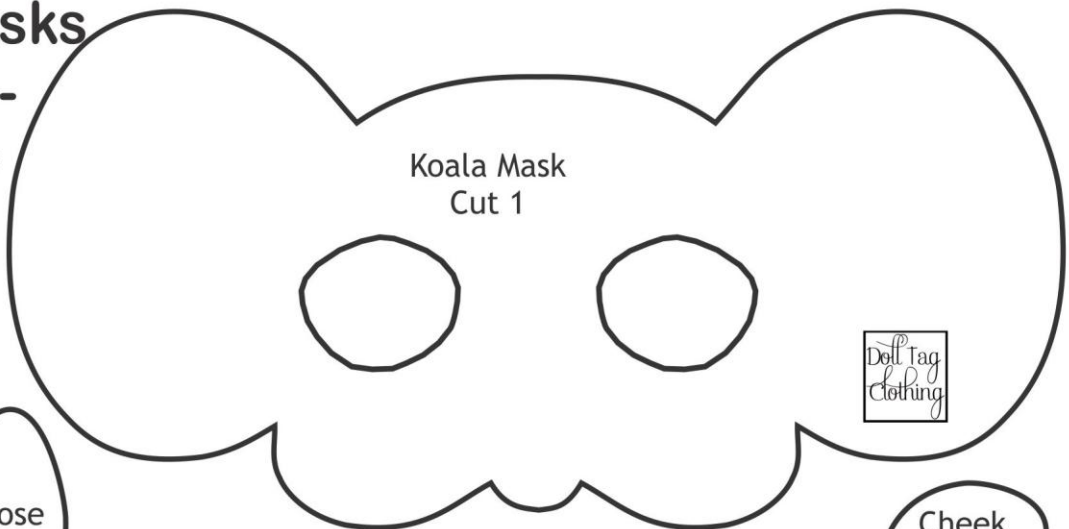
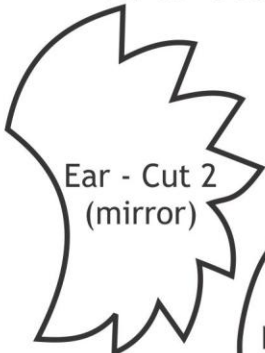
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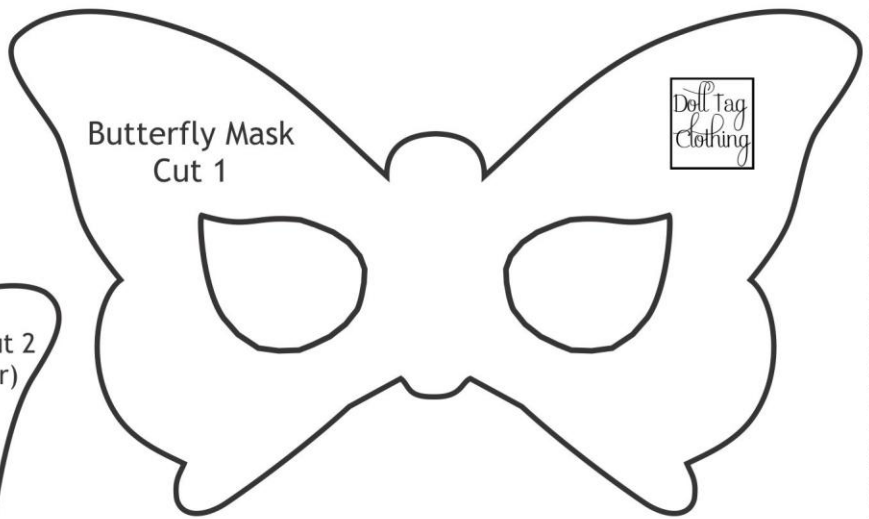
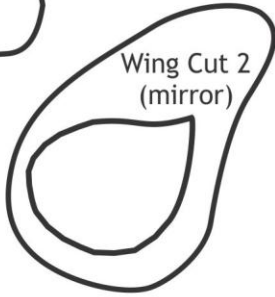
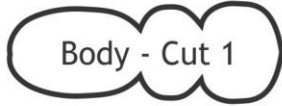
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