

Zeek the Zebra



Materials:

1 yard of black and white fabric
approx. 12 ounces of Soft Touch® fiberfill
2 animal or doll eyes
scrap of black felt for mouth
black wool for mane
scrap of white fabric for ears
fabric glue
thread to match

Instructions

1. Align Zebra body pieces before cutting. Cut out all pattern pieces and add 1/2" to pattern for seam allowance. White fabric with animal print makes the ear. Sew darts on underbody. Sew seams from A around head and back to B. Matching A's and B's and legs, seam underbody to seams, leaving a small opening at the back for turning. Trim seams, clip, turn and stuff firmly. Sew opening closed.
2. Pleat ear - and glue or sew in place. Glue on smile and attach bead or doll eyes with glue to secure.
3. For Tail - cut fabric 4 1/2" x 1" . Fold and seam one side. Turn to right side. Turn in 1/2" on each end. Insert 5 or 6 strands of yarn on one end and glue or sew in place.
4. For mane - using continuous strands, sew 1/2" yarn loops along head and neck seam. Trim as desired.