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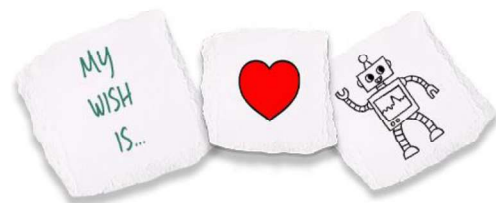
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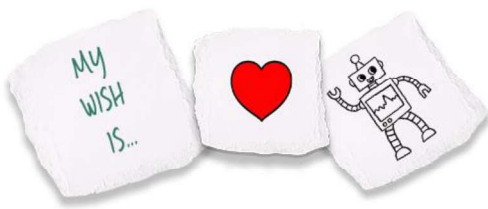
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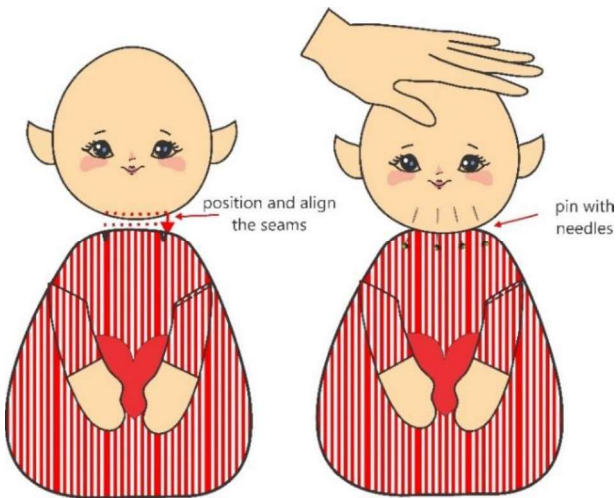


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08. HEAD TO THE BODY

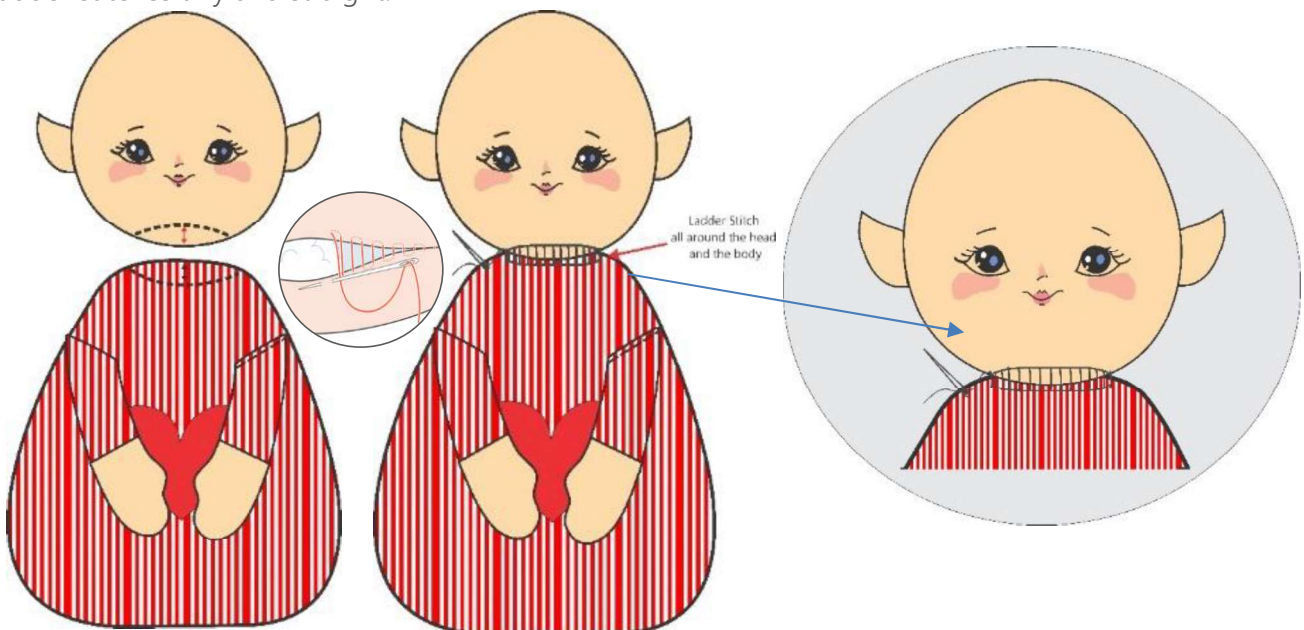
♥ You Tube Video tutorial showing How to sew | Head to the body: https://youtu.be/oOI56l4z_ws?t=1484

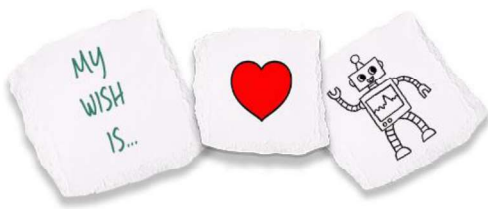


- ♥ Position the head onto the body so that the lateral head seam line fit the lateral body seam line.
- ♥ When positioning, gently push the head with your hand toward the body and pin with a few needles (I find this the easiest way to decide where the seam shall be).

- ♥ Next, thread your sewing needle with matching stronger thread (I use upholstery floss) and knot the end.
- ♥ For sewing head to the body use Ladder stitch. One round of stitches shall be enough.
- ♥ First, start sewing at the side seam, and sew from right to left around the head. Use small ladder stitches and always make 2-3 stitches and then pull the thread to close two sides of the seams evenly.

TIP: If you feel that the head is not attached securely or is tilting after one round of stitches, feel free to stitch one more round. Take the Ladder stitches for a bit lower down on the neck and a bit higher on the face. Keep your ladder stitches tiny and straight.

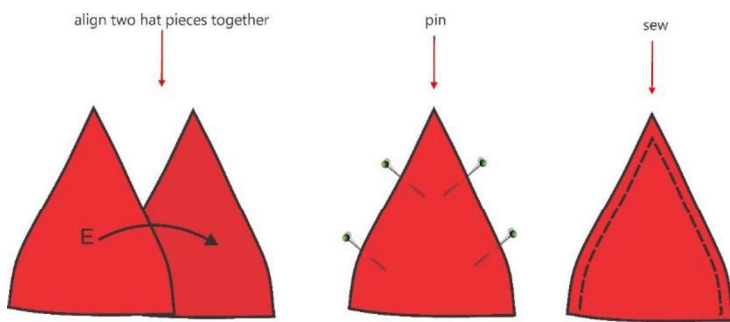




10. HAT AND COLLAR

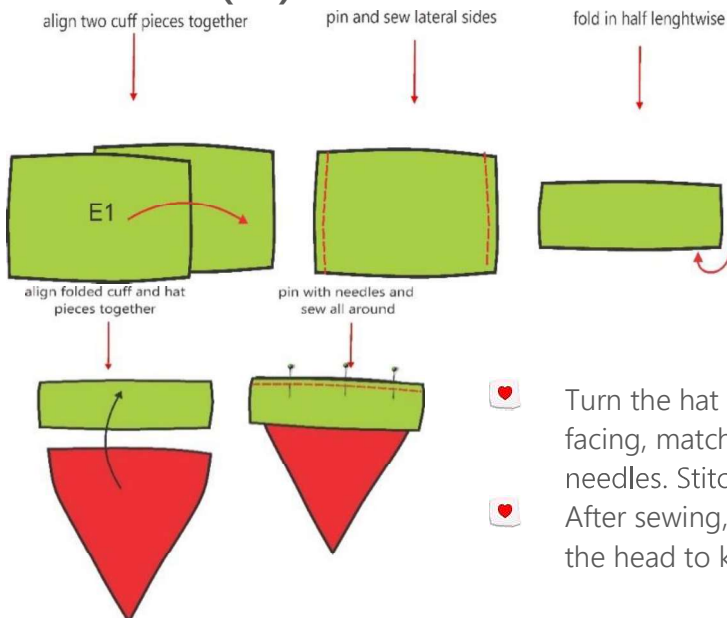
10.1. HAT

- ♥ You Tube Video tutorial showing How to | Sewing the hat for girl: https://youtu.be/oOI56l4z_ws?t=2250
- ♥ You Tube Video tutorial showing How to | Sewing the hat for boy: https://youtu.be/oOI56l4z_ws?t=2370



- ♥ Use your paper pattern to cut out the parts for the hat. I'm using anti pill fleece fabric.
- ♥ You can choose between two options for the cuffs. The hat piece (E) is the same for both.
- ♥ Align front and back of the hat pieces (E) together, right sides facing. Pin with needles and sew them together, leaving the bottom free.

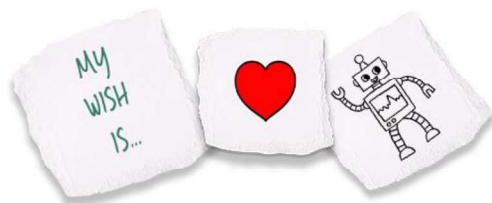
10.2. CUFF (E1)



- ♥ Next, align front and back of the cuff, right sides together and pin with needles. Sew both lateral sides, leaving the top and bottom free.
- ♥ Then fold the cuff lengthwise, wrong sides facing.

- ♥ Turn the hat right side out and insert it into the cuff right sides facing, matching the side seams. Align the top edges and pin with needles. Stitch with 1/4" (0.7 cm) seam allowance all the way around.
- ♥ After sewing, position the hat onto the head and ladder stitch for the head to keep it in place.





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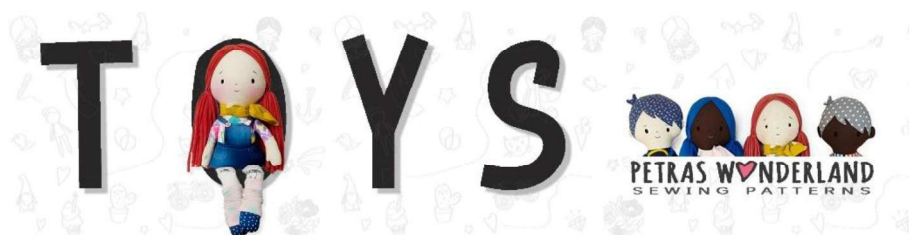
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