



Five Little Ducks Bag

INSTRUCTIONS

Materials

Felt or Craft Foam Sheets or material (orange, yellow, black, white)

Yellow wool or tapestry thread.

One button.

Sticky Tape and PVA Glue

Scissors

Small Hole Punch (preferable)

Thick Cardboard (not at all necessary but very useful)

Make up the templates for this little duck bag and then let your child learn the basics of sewing. No needles involved but for young children you have to be careful of any choking hazards.

Print out the templates, cut them out and place them on to the material as shown.



Then place the templates on the material and cut out. So that you have the body of the duck, its wings, eyes, and beak.



Next cut out the holes round the edge of the duck on the yellow material and also as shown on the wing (orange material). If you are using a hole punch, it is much easier if you put some thick cardboard behind it and punch that as well.



To mark out the holes for the wings in the right place on the duck, place the wings on the duck as shown and draw through the holes with a pencil.



Then hole punch these final holes.



The duck is now ready for your child to sew together.

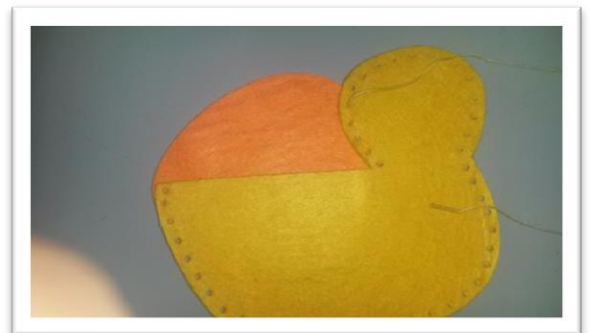
First we need to put on the wing to the back piece of the duck. Tie this on and leave enough wool for your child to thread with.



At the end of the sewing thread roll some sticky tape round the end so that it is like the end of a shoelace. Your child can then use this to thread rather than a needle. Show them where to thread on the wing and then tie off for them.



Then they need to sew the two main body pieces together. Again help them with the knots.



It is then nice but not necessary to add on a button as shown so that the wings act as a flap over for the bag.



Once all sewn stick on the beak and eyes as shown to complete.



