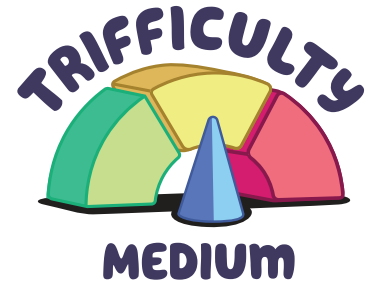


HOW TO make YOUR OWN BROWN BEAR PUPPET!

These puppet makes are designed for grownups to craft and involve cutting, gluing and sewing, but there are also plenty of fun parts where kids can jump in and help out, too! They can be a bit involved, so look out for our Trifficulty Level as a guide.



MATERIALS

- Body: Light brown fleece
- Shirt: Green felt and White fleece
- Tie: Yellow and Orange fleece
- Glasses: Black, Dark grey and Light grey craft foam
- Nose and Mouth: Black felt
- Light brown thread
- Stuffing

TOOLS

- Brown Bear puppet pattern
- Pen for tracing patterns
 - Optional: Chalk for tracing on dark materials
- Scissors
- Fabric glue
- Sewing supplies (needle, pins/clips)



A FEW HELPFUL NOTES:

- When we say to “attach” something to the puppet, feel free to use fabric glue or sewing supplies. Fabric glue will make it a simpler project, sewing will make it a sturdier project.
- If you find the perfect colour in fleece, but we’ve listed felt, the fleece should work just fine. Same for the other way around!
- **If your fabric has a different front and back**, pay attention to this when tracing your patterns. If you need to trace a pattern multiple times on this type of fabric, be sure to flip your pattern over when you trace it a second time. This ensures you get the correct side of the fabric on the outside of your puppet! When sewing these fabric pieces together, place the front side of the fabric on the inside, so that when you turn it right-side out, the correct side of the fabric will appear on the outside! **If your fabric is the same on both sides, you don’t need to worry about this!**
- Over time, some of the stuffing may get compacted or come out of your puppet. Simply replace it with fresh stuffing as needed!
- Watch our video if you want to see how we made it!

STEP BY STEP INSTRUCTIONS

BODY

1. Print out the Brownly Bear puppet pattern from Bluey.TV, and cut out the pattern pieces.
(Note: his body pattern is in two parts, so you'll need to tape them together before you get started.)
2. Trace the body pattern onto your light brown fleece two times and cut them both out.
3. Sew the body pieces together, leaving the bottom open.
4. Turn the body right-side out, and add stuffing to the head and arms.

OUTFIT

5. Trace the shirt pattern two times on the green felt, and cut them out.
6. Sew the shirt together. Note: Just avoid sewing the top neckline, ends of the sleeves, and bottom of the shirt!
7. Flip the shirt right-side out.
8. Trace the shirt collar pattern onto your white fleece and cut it out.
9. Match the middle of the collar to the inner middle of the shirt's neck hole. You can use the middle point on the shirt and collar pattern as a reference. Attach the collar to the inside of the shirt's neck hole, ensuring that most of the collar sticks out of the neck hole. Then wrap the rest of the collar around the inner edge of the neck hole, gluing (or sewing) as you go. The ends should meet in the middle. Use the video as a guide if needed.
10. Fold down the collar over the shirt's neck.
11. Trace the tie pattern on your yellow fleece and cut it out.
12. Trace the tie stripe patterns on your orange fleece and cut them out.
13. Arrange your orange stripes onto your tie (use our video or Brownly Bear's picture as a reference) and attach them by gluing or sewing.
14. Glue or sew the tie at the top of his shirt where the collar meets, at the top of his shirt.
15. Dress Brownly Bear in his new shirt. Fancy!

EARS

16. Trace the ear pattern on your light brown fleece four times and cut them out.
17. Sew them together two by two, leaving a small hole to turn them right-side out.

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18. After turning them right-side out, finish sewing the ears shut. Position them on the back of Brownny Bear's head, near the top corners. Sew or glue them in place.

FACE

19. Trace the glasses pattern on your black craft foam and cut it out.
20. Trace the glasses lens pattern two times on your dark grey craft foam and cut them out.
21. Glue the two lenses onto the foam glasses, centring them in the black rectangles.
22. Trace the lens highlight pattern two times on your light grey craft foam and cut them out.
23. Glue a lens highlight to the upper-left corner of each glasses lens.
24. Trace the nose pattern on your black felt and cut it out.
(Pro tip: if it's hard to see your pen line, you can use chalk or simply pin the pattern to the felt and cut around it.)
25. Glue the nose to his glasses. It goes right between the lenses, on the bottom half.
26. Glue the glasses and nose onto Brownny Bear's face.

NOW YOU HAVE YOUR VERY OWN BROWNY BEAR TO HELP SOLVE ALL YOUR CASES! OR TO JOIN YOUR BAND, IF YOU NEED A DRUMMER!



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