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“BIG KID BIB”

Great Gifts for Shut Ins, Father’s Day,
Hospital Stays, Older Wheelchair Bound Children,
Toddlers, Teenagers who love comic books.

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Description: This pattern was designed for the “Big Kid” who wants to cover up while eating but wants to do it with style or FUN! The neck closure is 6 inches. Bias tape or Material can be sewn for tied closures or Velcro can be used. The finished size can be 11”X17” or 11”X 14” depending on whether you wish to embroider the front and sew a long bib or leave it plain and make a shorter one.



Large BIB with embroidery

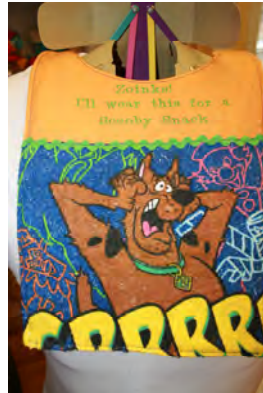
Towels in packaging



The decorative bottom is a shrink-wrapped towel that can be purchased from Dollar Tree or any Party Store. Once they are washed, they expand. These character towels are trademarked so this pattern is meant for personal use only and not to be made and sold.



Example of Short BIB



Example of Long BIB

Materials Needed

1—Character Towel—Wash in cold, Dry on Low and Iron on low so it is flat and as square as you can make it. The Towel will be very wrinkled once it is dried due to the cotton fibers.

1/2 to 3/4 yard coordinating fabric. (1/2 yard will make a short bib, 3/4 will make a long bib with extra material left over)

1/2 to 3/4 yard lining fabric. This can be waterproof fabric, washable felt, thick knit

Matching thread

12 inches ric rac or decorative accent

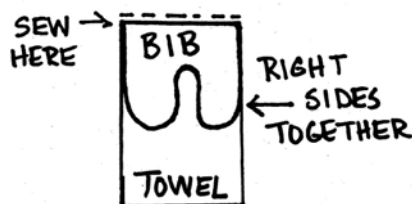
Velcro if not sewing tied closures

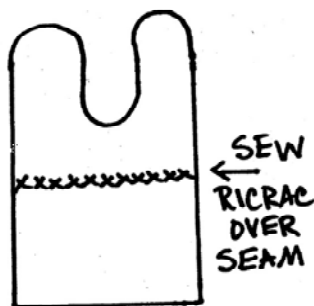
If machine embroidering, stabilizer will be needed

All seams are 5/8 in unless noted

INSTRUCTIONS:

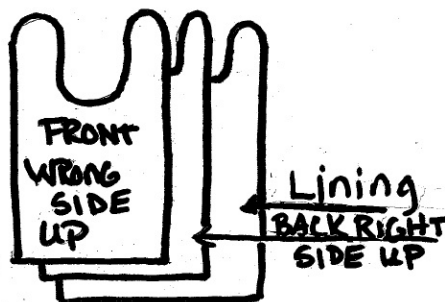
1. Print off pattern. Each pattern piece should fit exactly on an 8 1/2 x 11 piece of paper. Cut out the pattern pieces. Tape Back A and Back B together.
2. Pin the pattern pieces to the coordinating fabric on the right side and cut. Pin to the lining fabric and cut out. NOTE: There is a fold line on the front and back pattern pieces that you can use if you are going to make a short bib with no embroidery on it. For a long bib do not fold before you cut it out.
3. If using machine embroidery, stabilize your front fabric piece and proceed with the embellishment. Make sure your towel has been washed in cold, dried on low and lightly ironed to make it as flat and square as possible. You may need to trim the towel to fit your material as they are not always exactly square.
4. Sew the front of the bib together by placing the right side of the top to the right side of the towel. Pin the areas together and sew. "Make sure that your towel character is the right way before you sew the seam"





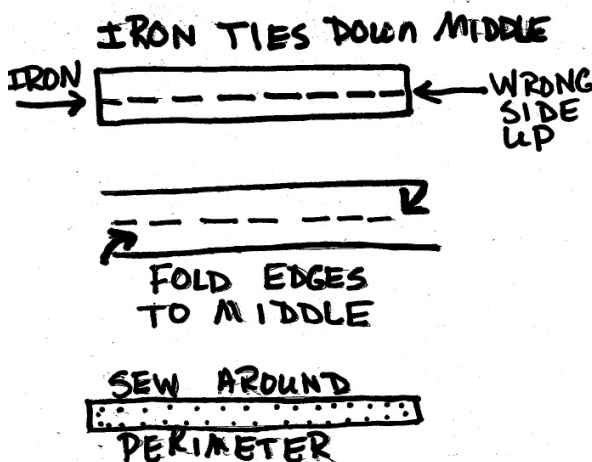
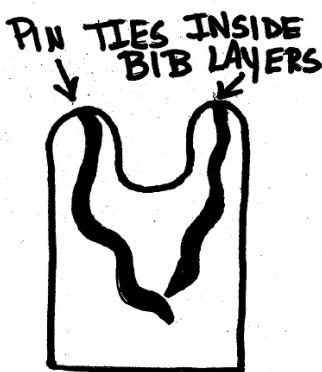
5. Pin the RicRac over the seam line you have just sewn and stitch over the previous seam to decorate.

PLACE FRONT AND BACK

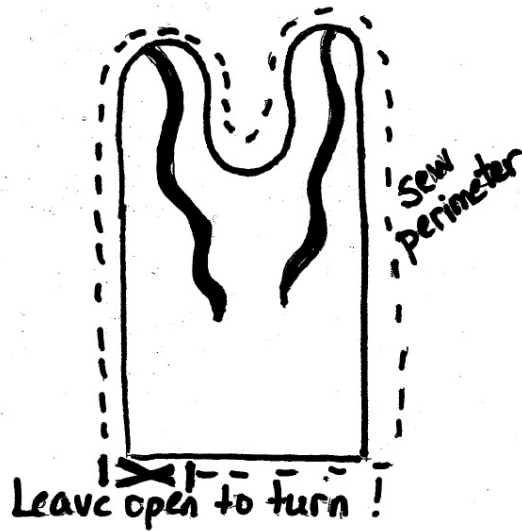


RIGHT SIDES TOGETHER

6. Place lining fabric down and lay back fabric on top of it right side up. Place the Front Bib piece right side down so the Right sides are facing each other.



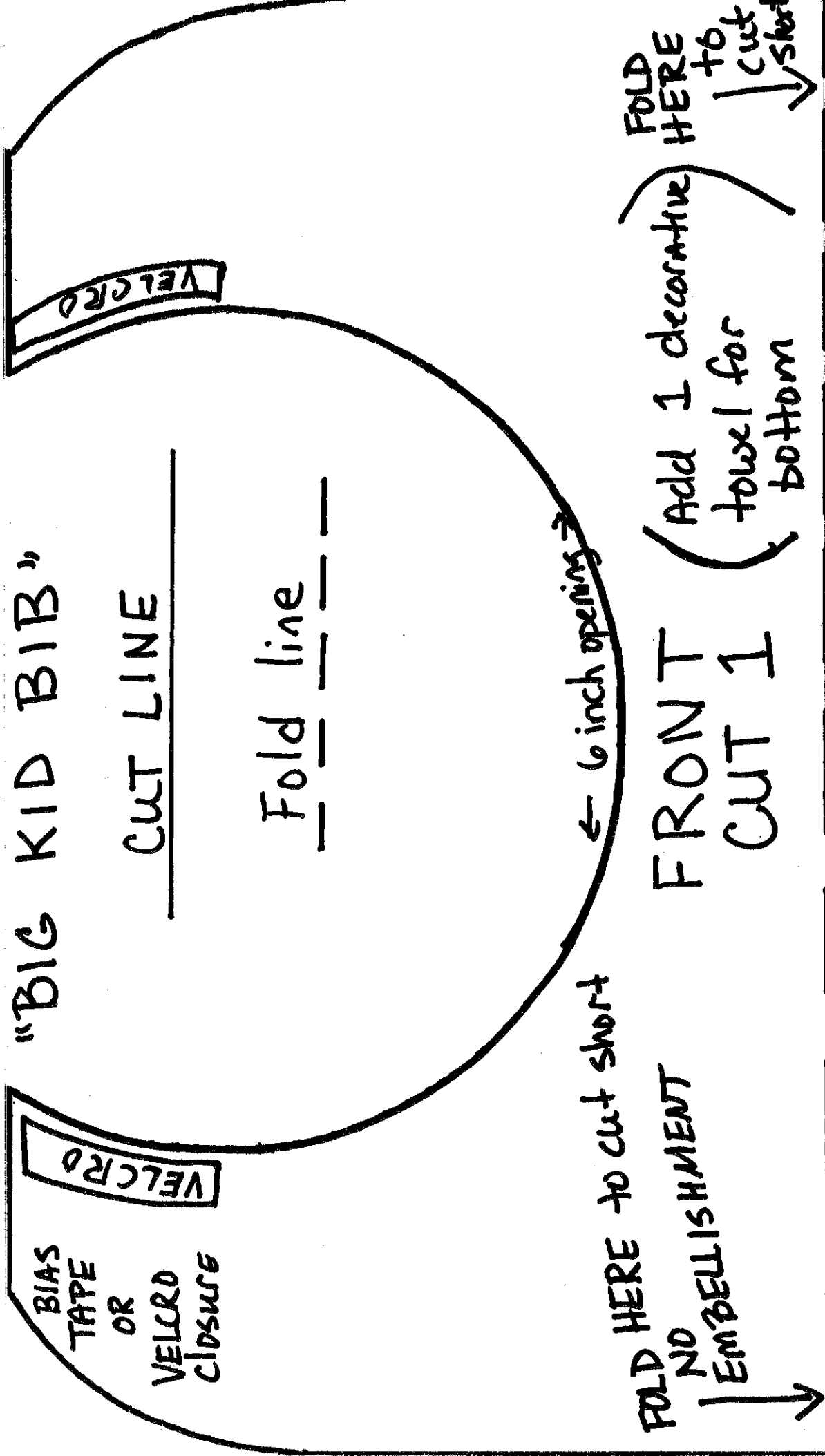
7. If using bias tape for the ties, place one end of the tape in between the layers of fabric and make sure that the length of the tie is inside the fabric. The best place is in between the lining and the back fabric so the ends can not be seen from the front once sewn. If you cut out fabric for ties (2 pieces 18" by 2"), take each piece and iron it in half lengthwise. Open it back up and fold each side in to the fold tucking in the ends and then fold over once more to make a long tube. Sew a seam on each tube and then for additional structure sew a seam all the way around the perimeter of the ties. If using these, once sewn, sandwich in between the front and back layers so the outer seam will "catch" them. Note: Disregard ties if using Velcro for closure.



8. Sew a seam around the perimeter of the bib (making sure you don't catch the ends of the ties.) ***except for a few inches that will allow you to turn it.*** Take it off your machine and turn the bib right side out. Sew the remaining open seam on your machine and then topstitch around the entire bib to give a professional finish. If you are going to use Velcro, place each piece on the appropriate areas of the bib and sew.

Enjoy your BIG KID BIB!





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CUT LINE

Fold line

FOLD HERE to cut short

NO EMBELLISHMENT

FRONT

CUT 1

(Add 1 decorative towel for bottom)

FOLD HERE to cut short

(Embellish Here if Preferred)

cut here for long

cut here for long

xxxxxxx Ric Rac Here xxxxxx

tape B to A here

"BIG KID BIB"

BACK (B)

tape B to A here

Fold here to
↓ cut short

Fold here
to cut short ↓

Short Bib with no Embellishment uses $\frac{1}{2}$ yd

Long Bib with Embellishment uses $\frac{3}{4}$ yd.

* For ties cut 2 strips 18" x 2" fabric or use bias tape
Velcro closure

"BIG KID BIB"

CUT LINE

FOLD LINE

BACK (A)

cut 1 outer material

cut 1 lining material

tape A to B here

tape A to B here