

## Sewing Patterns – Level 2 Easy Hat and Mittens

## Skills learned during this project:

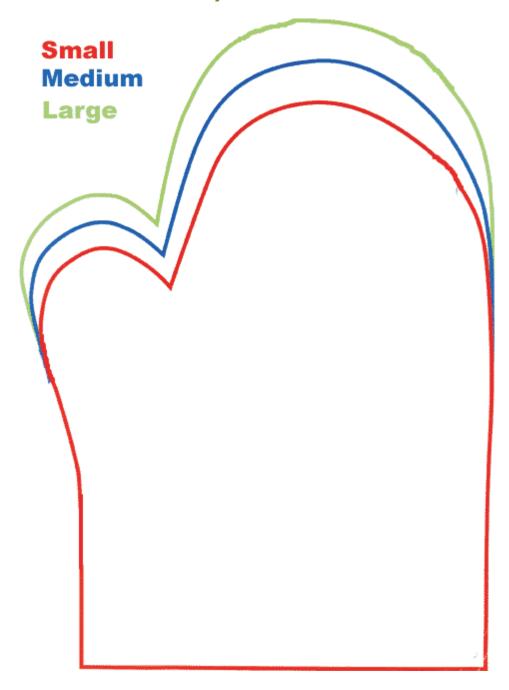
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## Discovery:

The following techniques will help you achieve a high quality product:

- Select a light to medium weight fleece or textured knit fabric for your hat. Purchase ½ yard for hat. Mittens require 4 remnant pieces of fleece (10" x 8")
- Purchase 1/2 yard (1 3mm) Single Fold Bias Tape, 1/2 yard (I 3mm) of 1/4" (6mm) wide elastic, Matching thread
- Thread your machine with matching thread.
- For hat: Download instructions for CK Easy Hat from Liberty's Hope Website. Follow instructions to make your hat.
- For hat: Fold the long tube in half to create a double thickness before adding the top circle (crown).
- For hat: Cut the fabric so the stretchiest part of fabric goes around your head.
- For mittens: Follow instructions on guide sheet below to make your mittens
- For mittens: The bias tape on the mittens should be sewn straight and meets evenly at the seam line below the thumb
- Trim all loose threads from finished project.

Let's Make Mittens - A Project from The Kid's Corner Mitten



## You Will Need

- 4 remnant pieces of double sided fleece or felt: 10" x 8" (25.5cm x 20.5cm) each
- 1/2 yard (1 3mm) Single Fold Bias Tape
- 1/2 yard (I 3mm) of 1/4" (6mm) wide elastic
- Matching thread
- Pattern
- 1. Trace one mitten size from this page to use as your pattern. Cut four mitten pieces from the fleece or felt.
- 2. With right sides together, stitch two mitten pieces together from the outside lower edge to the point between the fingers and thumb.
- 3. Press the seam open at the lower edge. To form the casing for the elastic, on the wrong side, position the bias tape 1" (2.5cm) from the edge. Stitch close to the long edges of the bias tape.
- 4. Cut two pieces of elastic the size of your wrist plus 1 1/4" (3.2cm). Attach a small safety pin to one end of the elastic and thread it through the casing, keeping the ends even with the raw edges. Baste the elastic in place at the ends.
- 5. Stitch from the point between the fingers and thumb up around the top of the thumb down to lower edge. Clip to, but not through, the point between the fingers and thumb. Trim the seam allowances to 1/4 " (6mm).
- 6. Turn the mitten right side out. You're done!









