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diecutting files instructions

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CUPCAKE PENCIL CASE INSTRUCTIONS

This project is meant to be a "quick-to-put-together" project. You can jazz this sewing project up with accessories or sewing it without the frayed edges (with right-sides together). You can also do this in paper with glue and a staple gun! This is a great project to do with kids!

1. Cut Out Your Diecut

Cut out the diecut with your machine using the Sewable Fabric Interfacing (purchased at your local craft shop or at

With wrong-sides together, place the two Wrap Around (C) pieces together and sew along all four edges. Note: This is a project is sewn together so that the edges will FRAY over time as a stylistic feature. If you do not want this, you can choose to sew pieces with right-sides together and turn the pieces right-sides out. However, this is more difficult with the sewable interfacing. Use our helpful hints for doing this at

silhouetteameria.com. Use the instructions on the package to prepare for cutting. Use the diagram to the right to cut out the

correct number of pieces.

A-Lower Cupcake 1 (Cut 2) B-Pencil Holder (Cut 1)

C-Wrap Around (Cut 2)

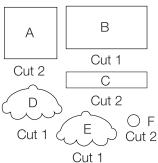
D-Upper Cupcake 1 (Cut 1) E-Upper Cupcake 2 (Cut 1)

2. Sew Together the Wrap Around (C)

http://www.carinagardner.com/silhouette/

F Cherry (Cut 2)

Note: You'll notice a square in the right hand corner of the diecut file. This square needs to be 1 in. x 1 in. If it is not, select all of the diecut pieces and scale up or down using the SHIFT key to keep the pieces proportional.



illustrations not to scale

# MATERIALS LIST

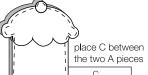
- main fabric for the Upper Cupcake (two 12" x 12" pieces) -main fabric for the Lower Cupcake (two 12" x 12" pieces)

- scrap fabric of red for Cherry
- contrasting fabric for pencil holder (one 12" x 12" piece)
- contrasting fabric for the wrap around (one 12" x 12" piece)
- Velcro

3. Sew Together the Cupcake Sew one Cherry's wrong-side (F) to the right-side of one of the Upper Cupcakes (D). Sew along the edge of the Cherry to adhere it to the Upper Cupcake either with a straight stitch or a blanket stitch (on the machine or by hand). Repeat with the second Cherry (F) and the other Upper Cupcake (E). Then center one Upper Cupcake (D) above one Lower Cupcake (A) overlapping about 1 inch as in illustration to the right. Sew a straight stitch along the curved edge of the Upper Cupcake (D) to secure the two pieces together. Repeat with the other Upper Cupcake (E) and the other Lower Cupcake (A) using the first sewn pieces as a guide for were to match up the pieces. Note: The Upper Cupcake pieces are mirror images of each other so that when you place them with wrong-sides together they will match up.

sew on chern sew on upper cupcake blanket stitch

D



fold twice

fold once

Then place wrong-sides together of the sewn together Cupcake pieces. Place the Wrap Around (C) between the Cupcakes on the lower right side (shown in illustration to the right). Sew about 1/4 inch from the edge of the cupcake being sure to catch the Wrap Around in the stitching.

## SUPPLY LIST

- diecutting machine
- sewing machine
- thread
- scissors
- zipper foot
- pencil
- fabric marker

### 4. Sew on the Pencil Holder

Fold 1/4 inch of every edge to the wrong-side of the Pencil Holder fabric (B). Press folds into place. On one long edge, fold another 1/4 inch. Press. Place the wrong-side of the Pencil Holder (B) to the right-side of the Cupcake with the double folded edge of the Pencil Holder towards the top (closest to the Cherry). Sew along the edge.

Place a zipper foot on the sewing machine. Place a pencil beyween the Cucake and the Pencil Holder (B). Use the zipper foot to sew next to the pencil to create a casing. Pull the pencil out. Repeat until the entire length of the Pencil Holder (B) is sewn or you have come to the edge of the Monster Main Body (A). Note: This will depend on how tight or loose you sew in each pencil. Should produce between 10-15 casings. Finish off the Pencil Holder by sewing down the pre-pressed/folded edge or tucking any raw edge of the fabric that is left over. Then press the casings to one side and sew along the bottom of the Pencil Holder to close the casings.

5. Attach Velcro

Place a pencil in each casing. Then roll the pencil case up and mark the two places that the Wrap Around piece meets. Sew Velcro to these two places to keep the holder shut.

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