Hoopoe Teaching-Stories

How To Make a Finger-Puppet The Magic Horse

Step 1:

- 1. Roll BODY around your finger so it's snug
- 2. Sew along open edge

Step 2:

- Line up **HEAD** pieces and sew along the upper edge
- 2. Place stretched cotton ball inside HEAD
- 3. Sew rest of open edge around **HEAD** and neck
- 4. Draw Prince Tambal's face or glue on a copy

Step 3:

- 1. Line up **HEADDRESS-FRONT** and **HEADDRESS-BACK**
- 2. Sew along **HEADDRESS** edge attaching it to **HEAD**

Step 4

- 1. Place **HEAD** along top edge of **BODY**
- 2. Sew to attach

Step 5:

- 1. Place body on top of SHIRT-BACK
- 2. Place **SHIRT-FRONT** on top of body, lining up front and back
- 3. Sew edges of SHIRT: shoulders, under-arms and sides

Step 6:

- 1. Place each **HAND** between two **ARM** pieces
- 2. Sew around edge of each ARM

Step 7:

- Place each ARM inside the bottom of the sleeves on the SHIRT
- Add stitches to attach each ARM

Step 8:

1. Add a belt and other decorations

Have fun!



Step 1



Step 2



Step 3



Step 4



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Step 6



Step 7

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A CAUTION: Avoid injury! Adult supervision recommended, if necessary. This project includes cutting with scissors, using a sharp sewing needle and sharp straight-pins!

Finger-Puppet Supplies & Pattern Pieces

Supplies:

- 1. Cotton ball
- 2. Felt: light-peach, purple and white
- 3. Markers, fine point: black and red
- 4. Sewing needle
- 5. Scissors
- 6. Straight-pins
- 7. Thread

Optional:

- 1. Photocopy of Prince Tambal's face
- 2. Glue

NOTE: Paper Craft Glue works best!

