

# Hoopoe Teaching-Stories™

## How To Make Felt-Board Characters

### *The Silly Chicken*

#### SUPPLIES:

1. Felt: blue, brown, green, light-peach, orange, purple, red, white and tan
2. Good all-purpose glue or craft fabric bonding glue (works best!)
3. Markers, fine-point: black and red
4. Scissors

#### ANOTHER OPTION:

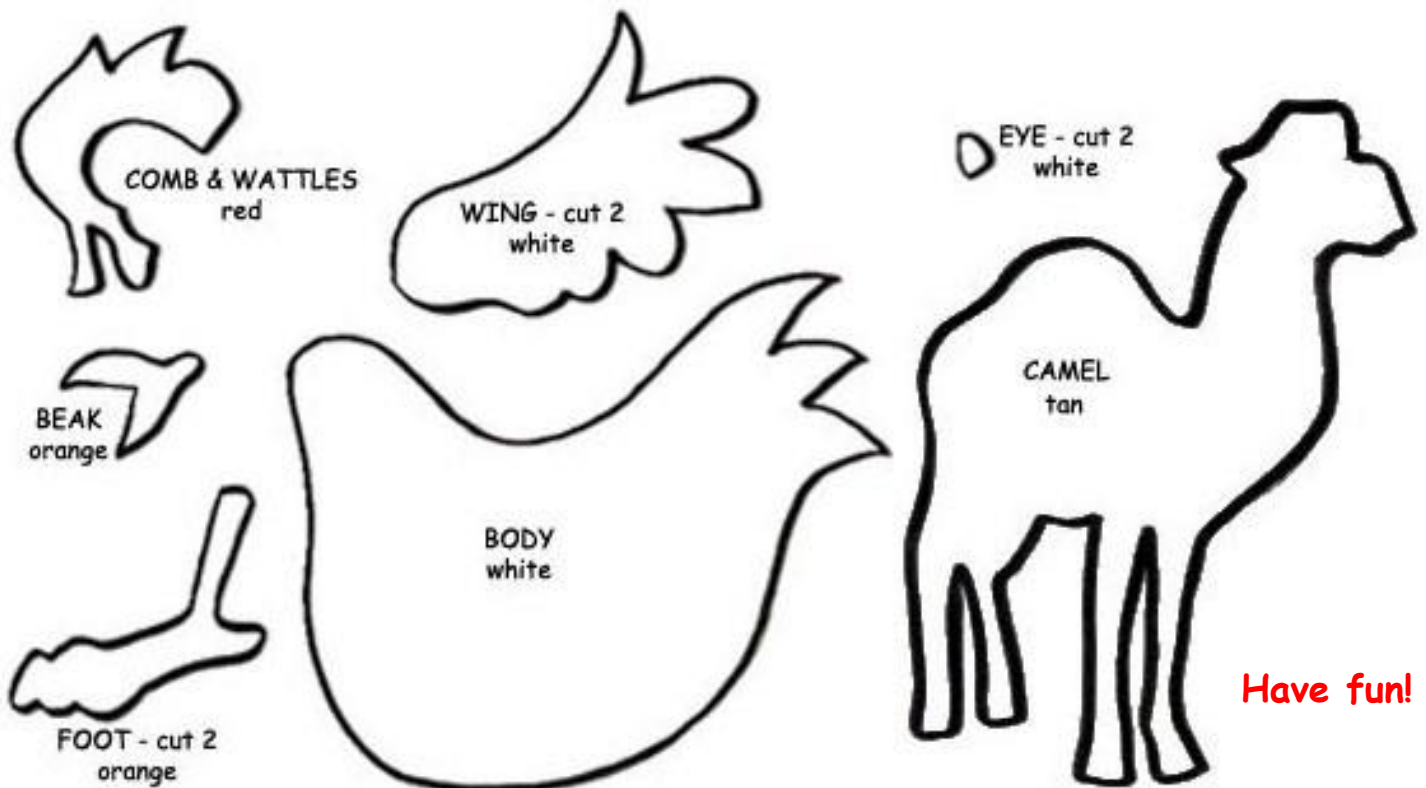
1. Make color copies of characters from the book
  2. Glue them to felt and trim
- NOTE: Paper Craft Glue works best!

#### CHICKEN:

1. Cut out **BODY**
2. Glue **COMB & WATTLES** to **BODY**
3. Glue each **FOOT** to back of **BODY**
4. Glue one **WING** on back and one on front of **BODY**
5. Glue on **BEAK**
6. Draw eyes



See below and next page for pattern pieces that you can copy and use for making this scene. For help on making a felt board, go to [www.hoopoekids.com](http://www.hoopoekids.com).



*The Silly Chicken* by Idries Shah, illustrated by Jeff Jackson, © ISHK 2000

**⚠ CAUTION:** Avoid injury! Adult supervision recommended, if necessary.  
This project includes cutting with scissors!

**WOMAN:**

1. Cut out **DRESS**
2. Glue **HEAD, HANDS** and **PANTS** to back of **DRESS**
3. Glue **SHOES** to back of **PANTS**
4. Glue **HAIR** to **HEAD**
5. Glue on **SCARF**
6. Draw face or glue on color copy

**CAMEL:**

1. Cut out **CAMEL**
2. Glue on each **EYE**
3. Draw rest of face

**EARTH:**

1. Cut out **EARTH**
2. Glue **LAND** on top

