

Hoopoe Teaching-Stories™

How to Make Felt-Board Characters

The Lion Who Saw Himself in the Water



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.

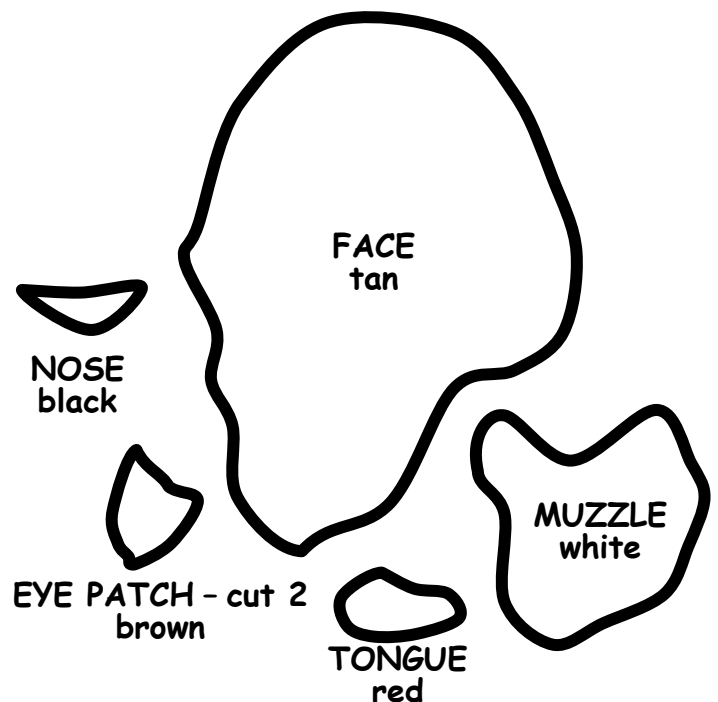
SUPPLIES:

1. Felt: black, brown, light-blue, light-orange, purple, red, tan, yellow and white
2. Good all-purpose glue or craft fabric bonding glue (works best!)
3. Markers, fine-point: black and other colors you want
4. Scissors, Needle & Thread

LION:

1. Cut out **BODY** and glue on **MANE**
2. Glue on **FACE, FRONT LEG** and **BACK LEG**
3. Glue on **MUZZLE** and **TOES**
4. Glue **TUFT** to tip of tail
5. Glue on each **EYE PATCH, TONGUE** and **NOSE**
6. Glue on each **EYE**
7. Draw the eyelid and pupil on each **EYE**
8. Draw the smile and whisker dots

For head & reflection, cut 2 of all head parts.

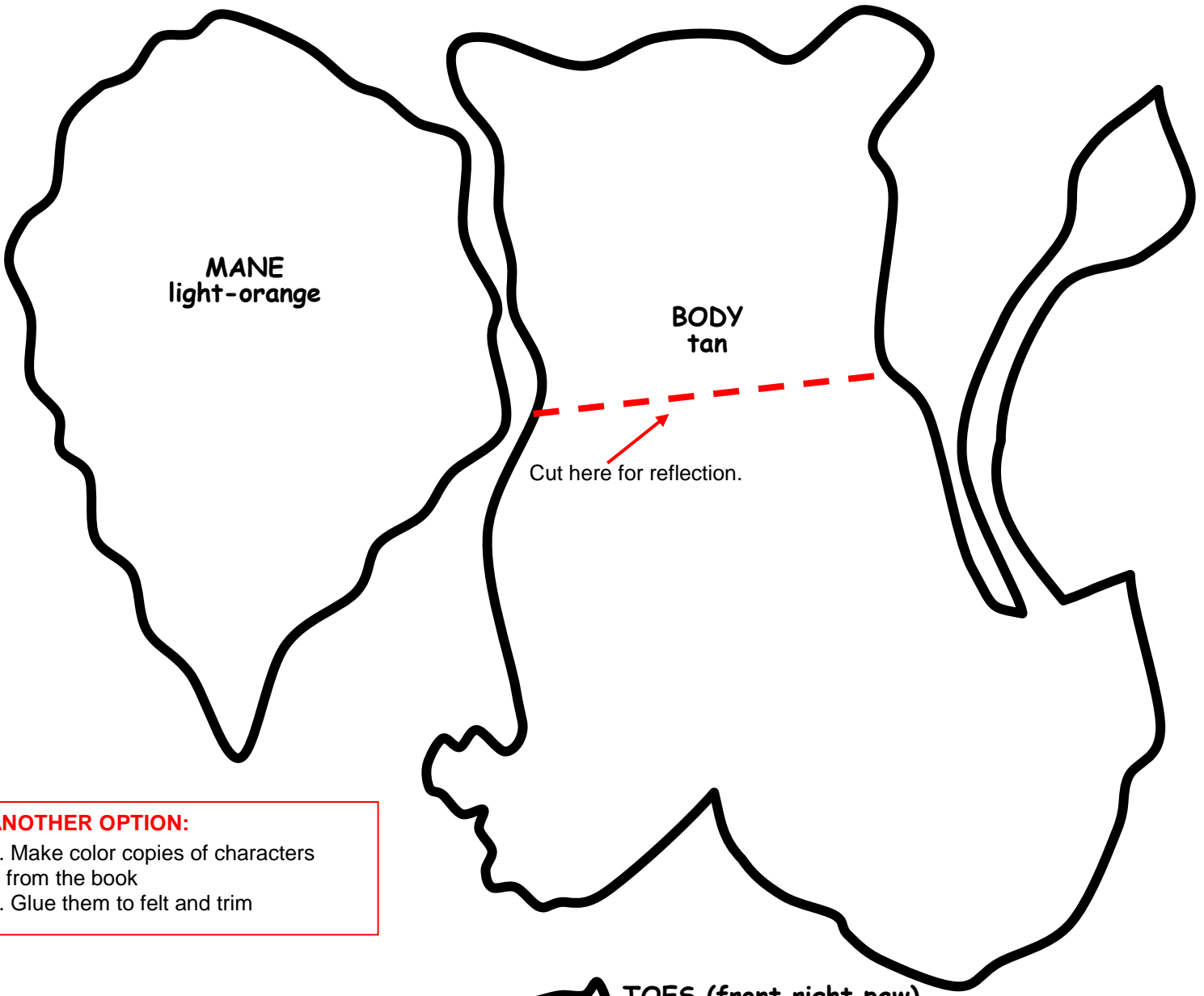


BUTTERFLY:

1. Glue one **WING** on top of other
2. Glue on **BODY**
3. Add decorations to each **WING**
4. Sew antennae on **BODY**

WATER:

1. Cut out water from light-blue felt
2. Add lion's head as reflection

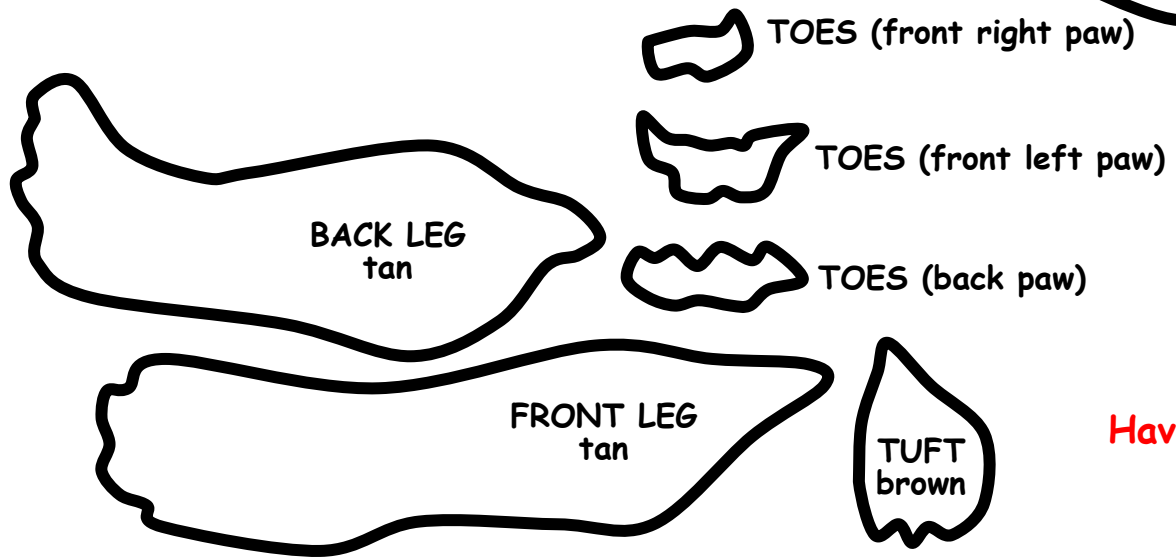


MANE
light-orange

BODY
tan

Cut here for reflection.

ANOTHER OPTION:
1. Make color copies of characters from the book
2. Glue them to felt and trim



Have fun!

⚠ CAUTION: Avoid injury! Adult supervision recommended, if necessary. This project includes cutting with scissors and using a sharp needle!