

PATTERN &
INSTRUCTIONS
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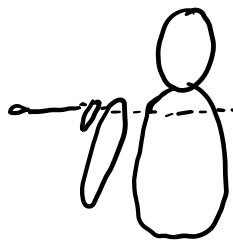
BASIC RAG DOLL



BASIC RAG DOLL INSTRUCTIONS by Carina Grace

- Step 1: Pin pattern pieces to your fabric. Add a ½" for a seam allowance.
- Step 2: Cut out the pattern pieces from the fabric.
- Step 3: Machine or hand sew along the solid lines. For the arms, don't sew all around leave enough open so you can stuff it full of poly fill.
- Step 4: For the head, Pin head pieces A to the sides of head B arranging it so the black point lines meet. Remember to pin the wrong sides together. Sew Head pieces A to head B. then from the top point sew, on the wrong side, head pieces A together to the dotted line. Turn the fabric to the right side.
- Step 5: Stuff the head with poly fill.
- Step 6: Pin wrong sides of the body together. Sew the body pieces together along the solid lines. Turn the fabric to the right side. Stuff the upper half with poly fill.
- Step 7: Attach the head to the body, arranging it so it looks nice and hand sew it into the opening you left in the head. Sew it in and close up that opening, turning the fabric slightly as you go so it seams nicely.
- Step 8: Pin the wrong sides of the leg pieces together. 2 pattern pieces each. Remember you need to make 2 legs. Sew the legs along the solid line and then stuff it full of poly fill.
- Step 9: Pin the legs to the inside of the body, arranging them to where you would like them. Turn the hem of the body up inside and pin it all down flat. Now you can just run your machine straight across making a nice seam and catching the legs inside as well.
- Step 10: Pin wrong sides of the arms together, for both right and left arm. Sew along the solid line remembering to leave a little opening. Turn the arm through the opening so right sides are now out and then stuff full of poly fill. Whip stitch the opening closed.
- Step 11: Pin the arms to the body, eyeballing where you would like to place them. Mark the sides where you would like them to go.

Now, take a button on the outer shoulder of the arm, and sew in the button, through the arm, through the entire width of the body out the other side.



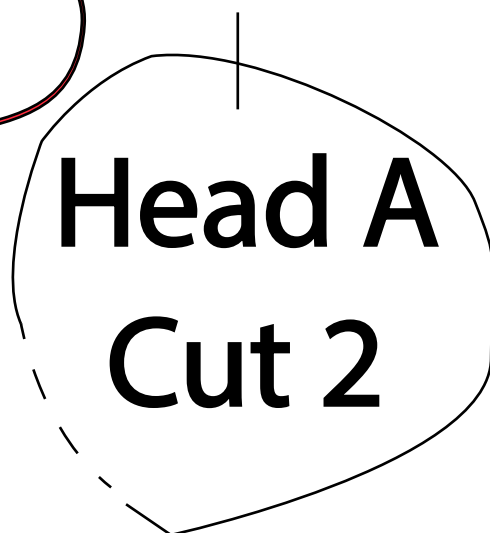
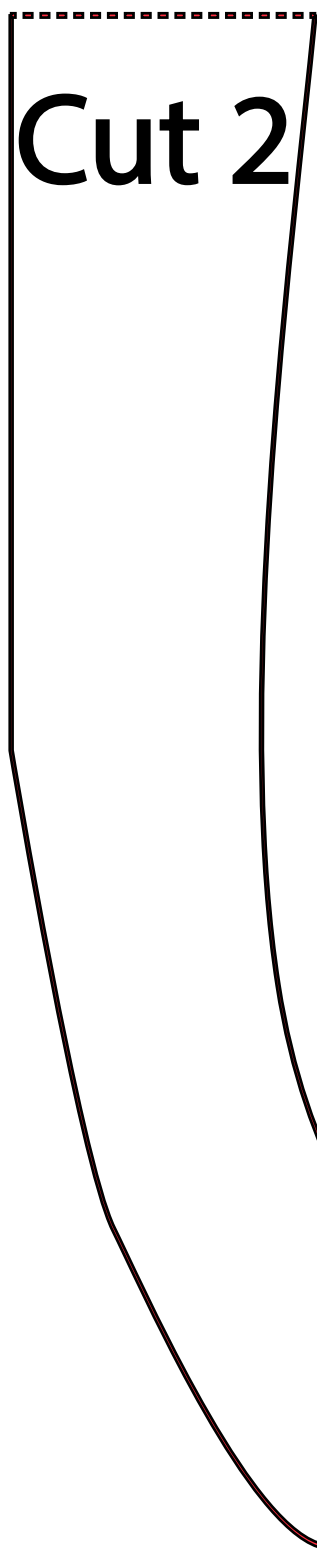
Then sew back the other way, through the body, arm and to the button. Do this 2 more times until the arm is firmly attached.

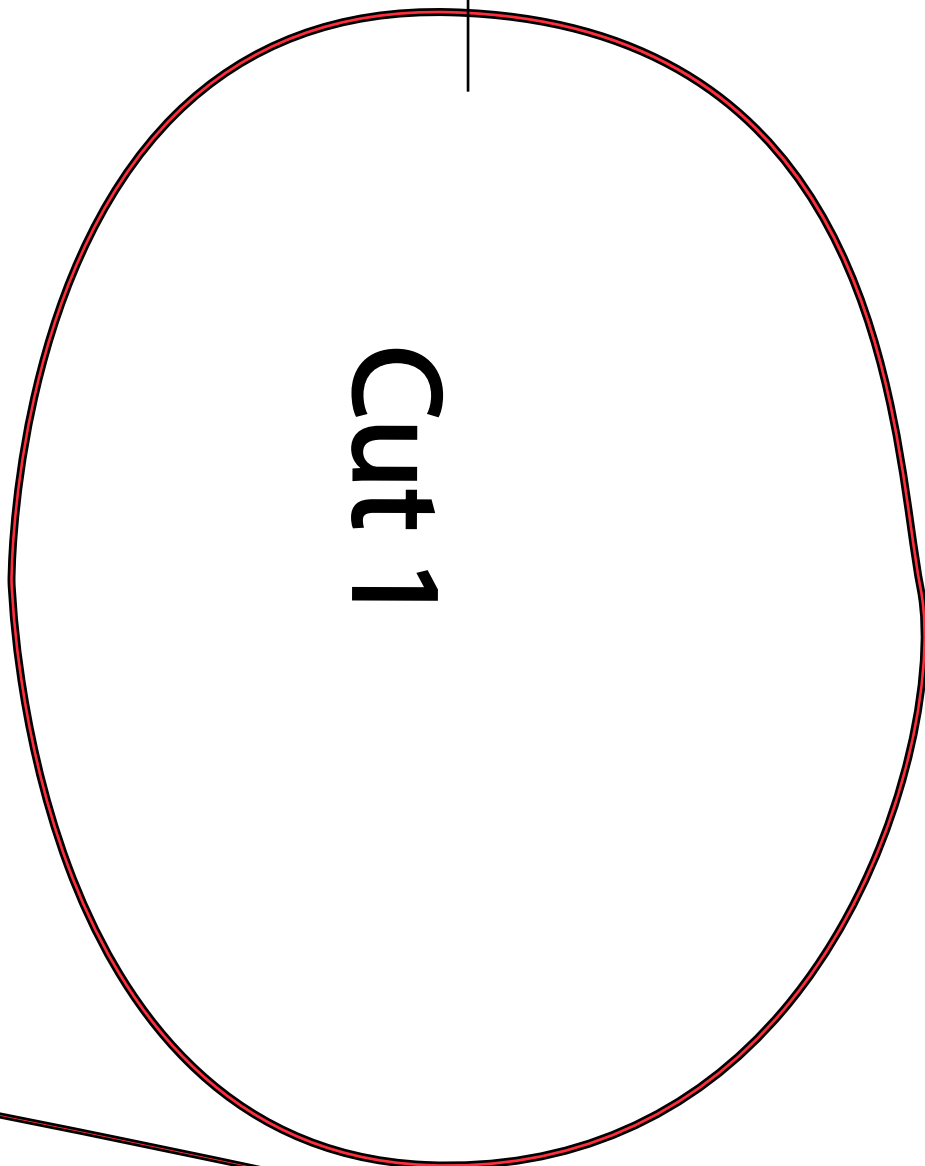
Do the same thing with the other arm. You might have to fiddle a little on the opposite side, but it will happen.

Step 12: Attach the button eyes where you would like them

Step 13: Embroider the mouth on with backstitching.

Step 14: Add the hair. Cut long strips of chunky yarn, fold them in half and sew the folded part on to the head following the hair placement diagram.

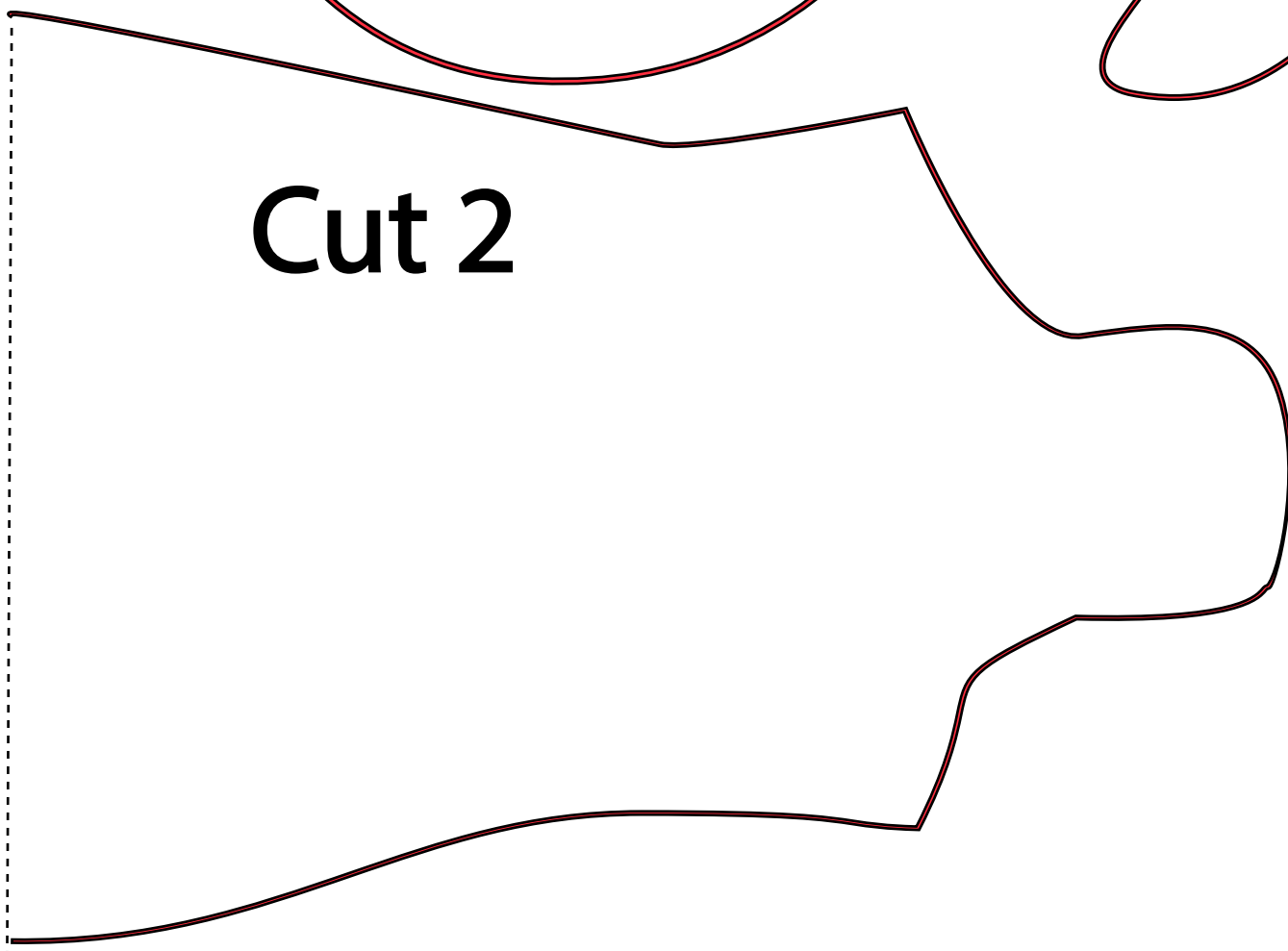




Cut 1



Cut 2



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Hair Attaching

