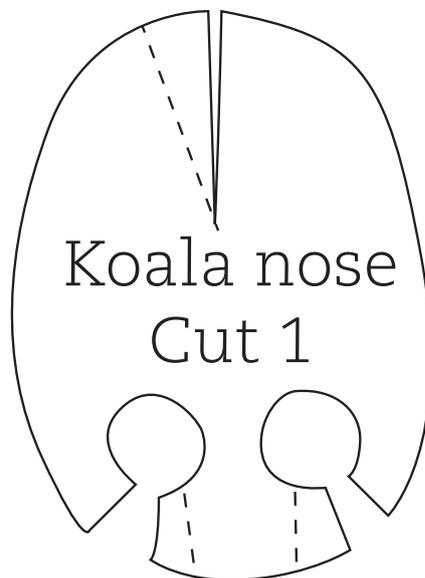
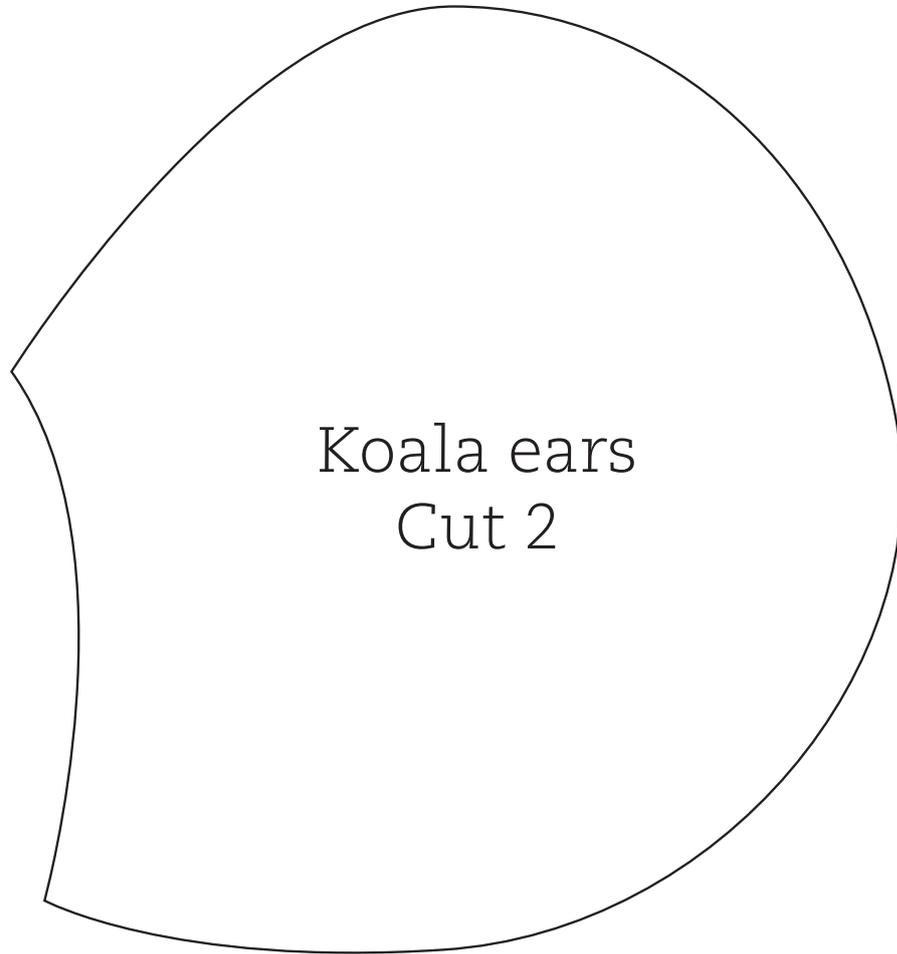


Shopping Bag Koala Template



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You will need:

30 minutes of free time!
An old headband
2 grey plastic shopping bags
2 white plastic shopping bags
small panel from a cardboard box
brown paper bag (thick paper/card)
black marker or pencil
scissors
string
stapler
hot glue gun or other adhesive

Instructions:

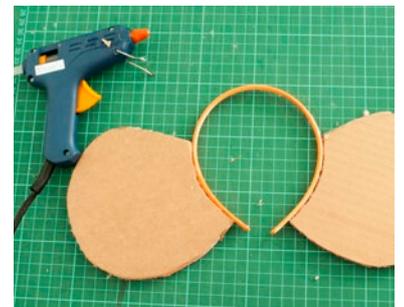
Ears:

1. Cut the plastic bags into small strips about 15cm long. Set aside about half of these for the ruff.

2. Using the template, cut out two ears from the cardboard box panel, Glue the ears to each side of the hair-band.

3. Begin with the grey plastic bag - pinch the strip of plastic in the middle and fan out at the top. Starting from the outside, begin stapling or gluing the bag down to the cardboard. Repeat until the outer ear is filled. Using the white plastic bag, fill the middle of the ear in the same way

4. Once both ears look good and fluffy, use the scissors to cut into the plastic to make them even more fur-like.



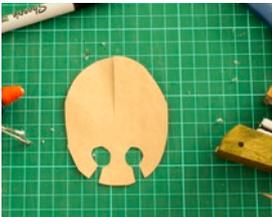
Ruff:

1. Measure a length of string that will tie comfortably around your neck.
2. Tie the remaining strips of plastic bag, individually around the string. Make sure your knots are tight! We tied them in an alternating grey and white pattern.



Nose:

1. Cut the nose shape out of a brown paper bag and colour it with your marker or pencil.
2. Glue the darts together. If you slide one side of the paper underneath the other roughly to where the dotted lines are marked on the template that should give you a good shape.
3. Measure a length of string that will tie comfortably around your head. Staple or thread your string through either side of the nose and tie behind your head.



You are now a shopping bag koala!

