



Project Instructions

Whooo's Sleeping Sack

Skill Level:
Experience necessary
Crafting Time:
Weekend project

Finished Size: 17" x 25"

Supplies Needed

- 2 Land of Whimzie® Woodland Crossing flannel Fabric Quarters:
 - Blue Stripe
 - Gray Zig Zag
- Land of Whimzie® Woodland Crossing flannel fabrics:
 - ¾ yd Multi Animals
 - ½ yd Tonal Blue
- 1 ½ yards of 6-oz 48" polyester batting
- Lightweight fusible web: 17" x 18"
- ¾" sew-on hook and loop tape: 11"
- Coordinating Pearle cotton and large sewing needle
- Tear-away stabilizer (optional): 16" x 16"
- Rotary cutter & mat
- Acrylic ruler
- Scissors
- Basic sewing supplies
- Sewing machine
- Iron & pressing surface



Instructions

Read all instructions before beginning project. Do not prewash fabrics. Before cutting, press fabrics with a dry iron on cotton setting. Use a ½" seam allowance and sew fabrics with right sides together (RST) unless otherwise noted.

1. Cutting:

- Multi Animals: 2 - 18" x 26" rectangles (sleep sack front & back)
 - 1 - 3 ½" x 11 ½" rectangle (loop tab)
- Tonal Blue: 2 - 16" x 18" rectangles (pocket front & back)
 - 2 - 2 ½" x 7" rectangles (ties)
 - 1 - Beak (See appliqué instructions)
- Blue Stripe Fat Quarter: 1 - Owl Lower body (see appliqué instructions)
 - 2 - Eyes (fussy cut, see appliqué instructions)
 - 2 - Pupil (fussy cut, see appliqué instructions)
- Gray Zig Zag Fat Quarter: 1 - Owl Upper body (See appliqué instructions)
 - 2 - Wings (See appliqué instructions)
 - 2 - Feet (See appliqué instructions)

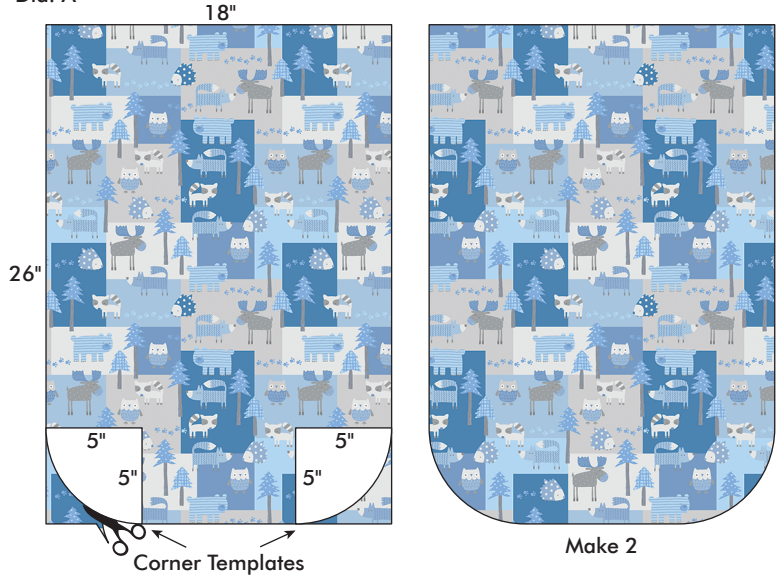
Finished care instructions: Machine wash warm, gentle cycle. Tumble dry low or hang to dry.

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Sewing:

1. Use the corner template to round the corners of the Multi Animal front & back (18" x 26") and Tonal Blue pocket front and back (16" x 18") on both 18" edges as shown (Dia. A). Label pieces in diagram.

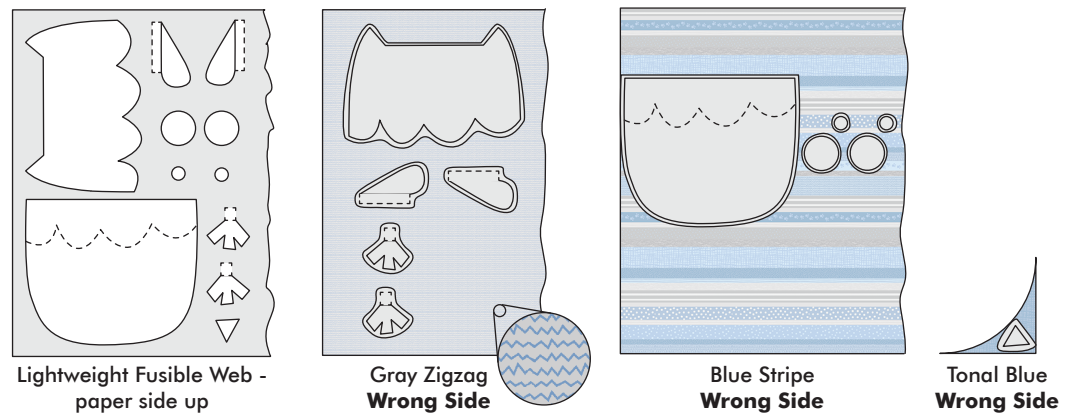
Dia. A



2. Trace the Owl appliques on the paper side of the lightweight fusible web. Trace the dotted line on the Owl lower body. Cut $\frac{1}{8}$ " outside the traced lines. Place on the **wrong** side of the specified fabric as shown in Diagram B.

- Place the Owl upper body, wings and feet on the Gray Zig Zag (note the direction of the lines when placing the shapes).
- Place the Owl lower body, outer and inner eye on the Blue Stripe (fussy cut the eyes and pupils on specific stripes).
- Place the beak on a scrap of Tonal Blue.

Dia. B

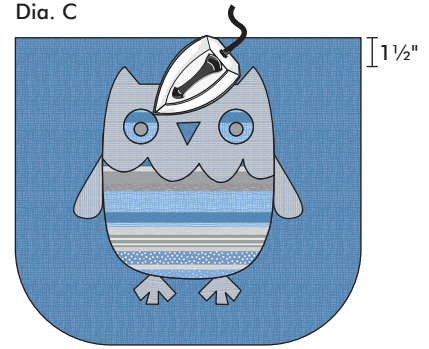


3. Fuse according to the manufacturer's directions. Cut out each shape on the drawn line. Lightly trace the dotted placement line on the front of the Owl lower body. Remove the paper backing.

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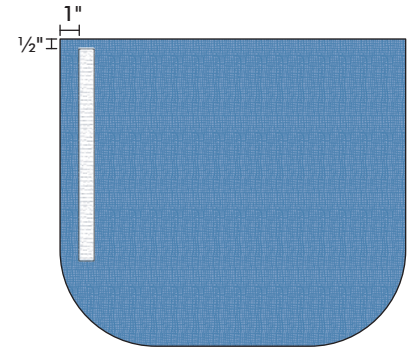
4. Center the Owl body on the Tonal Blue pocket front (16" x 18"), 1 ½" inches from the top edge, use the dotted line to position the Owl Body top and bottom pieces. Position the wings on each side, and feet at the bottom, tucking the tabs under the body. Position the eyes, pupils and beak on the Upper body. Fuse according to the manufacturer's directions. Secure the edges of each appliqué shape with a small zig zag, satin or buttonhole stitch (Dia. C). *Tip: Use tear away stabilizer on the back while securing the appliqué edges.*

Dia. C



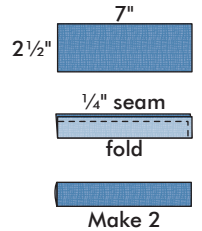
5. With the right side of the fabric facing up, sew hook (stiffer) side of 11" hook & loop tape to the Tonal Blue pocket back (16" x 18"), ½" from the top and 1" from the left side (Dia. D).

Dia. D



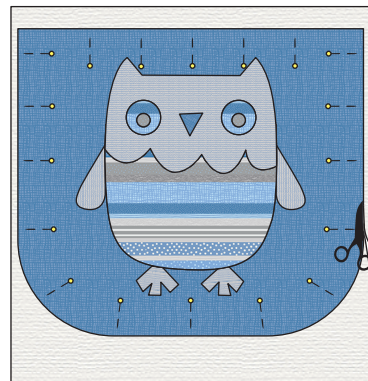
6. Fold the Tonal Blue ties (2 ½" x 7") in half RST so long edges meet. Sew along the long edge and one end with a ¼" seam allowance. Turn right side out; press flat (Dia. E).

Dia. E



7. To complete the pocket, place the pocket front **wrong** side down on the batting; pin and cut around the outside edge of the pocket. Baste together ¼" around the outside edge. Baste the open end of one tie to the right side, one inch from the top edge (Dia. F).

Dia. F



6 oz. Polyester batting

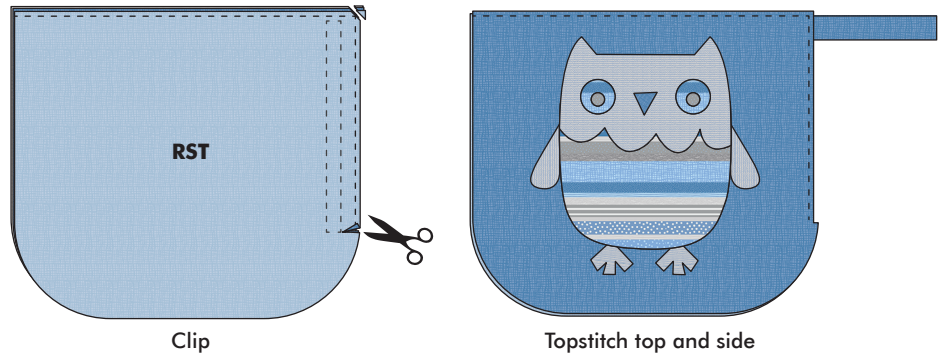


Baste ¼" from edges

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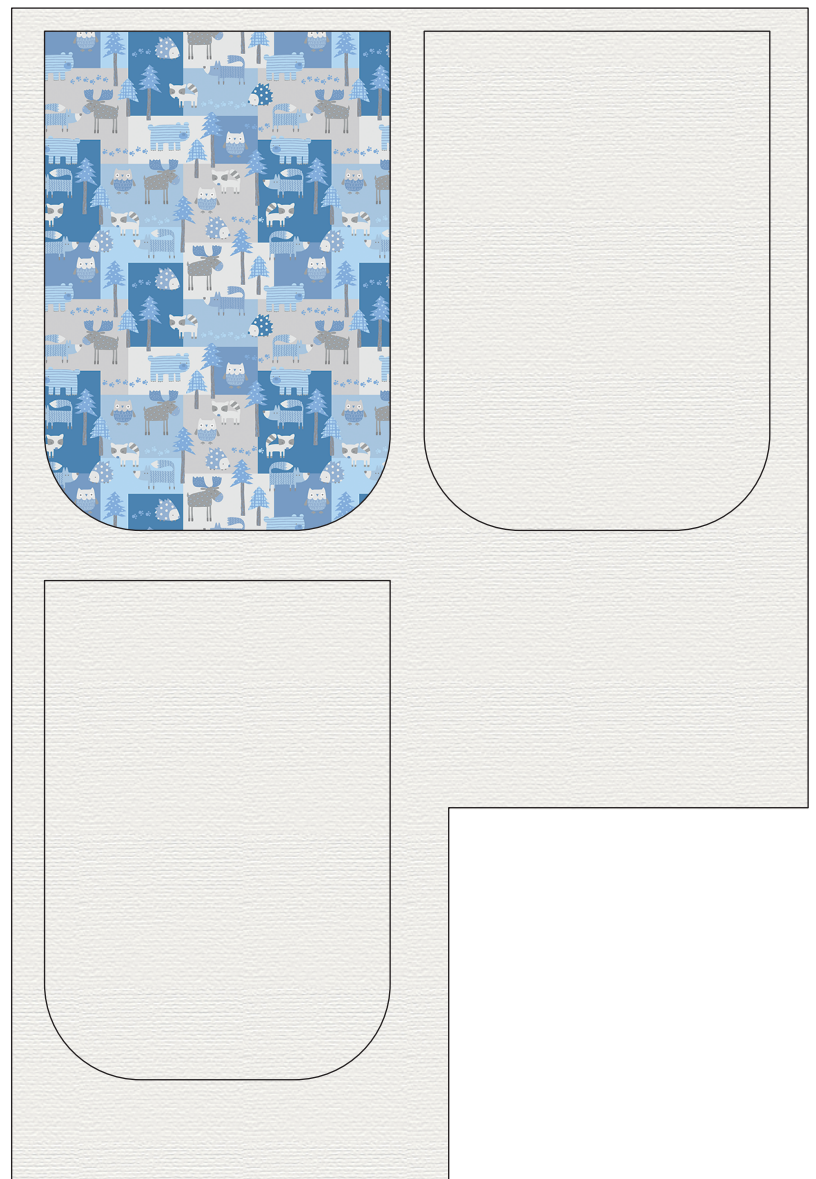
8. Pin pocket front and back RST and sew across the top and 11 ½" along the side with the hook tape. Make a small clip at the end of the seam, trim the top corner and turn right side out. Topstitch across the top and down the side, to the clip (Dia. G).

Dia. G



9. Use the sleep sack front to cut a piece of batting. Trim the batting ½" around all sides. Use this piece to cut two more pieces of batting. Set aside (Dia. H).

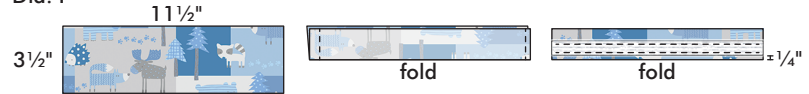
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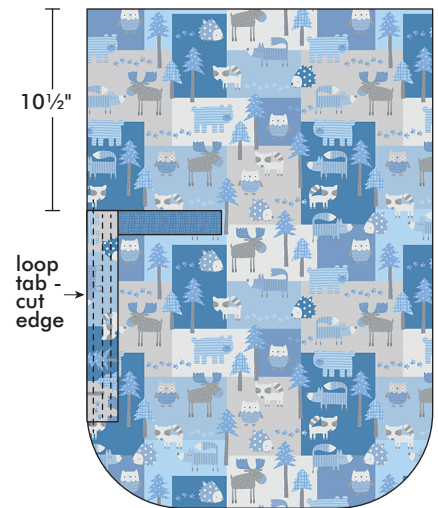
10. Make the loop tab by folding the Multi Animal (3 ½" x 11 ½") in half RST so long edges meet; sew ¼" from each end. Turn right side out and press flat. Sew loop (soft) side of 11" hook & loop tape ¼" from the folded edge (Dia. I).

Dia. I



11. Baste the open end of the second tie to the left side of the sleep sack back, 10 ½" from the top. Place the loop tab (loop side down) 10 ½" from the top edge with the cut edge along the left side and baste (Dia. J).

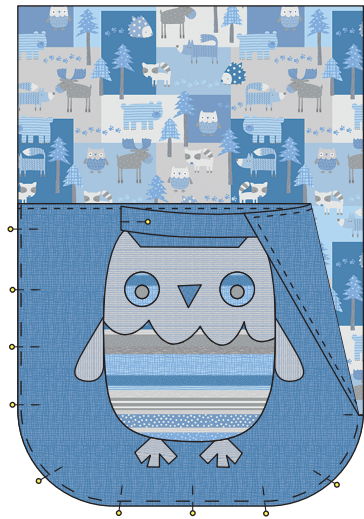
Dia. J



Back

12. Pin the side and bottom of the pocket to the right side of the sleep sack front. **Tip:** Pin the pocket right edge and tie to the sack so they do not get caught in the seam. Place sleep sack back and front RST, pin and sew around the sides and bottom leaving the top open (Dia. K). Carefully clip the curves and turn right side out.

Dia. K



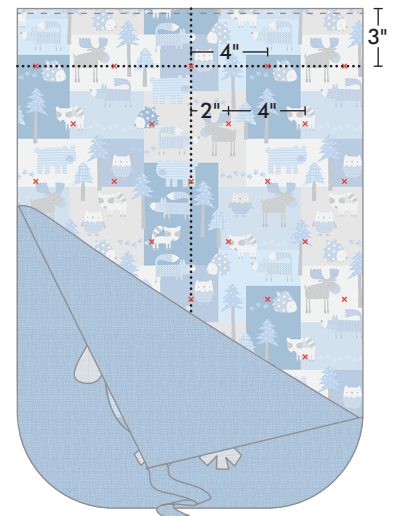
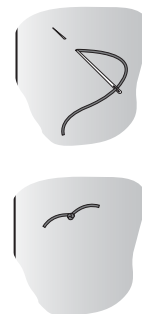
Front



13. Fold the top edge ½" to the inside; press. Layer the three pieces of batting together and insert into the sack. Smooth all layers flat. Sew the top closed by hand or machine.

14. Using the large needle and Pearle cotton, take a ¼" stitch through the front, batting and back layers of the Sleep Sack back (Multi Animals only), and tie a square knot on the front side; clip threads to ½". Space the knots about 3" apart vertically, and 4" apart horizontally (Dia. L).

Dia. L



WARNING: Do not use Baby Sleep Sack in crib. Do not leave baby unattended. Adult supervision is required at all times.

