

Child's Necktie

Finished Size: Tie: 2 ¼" wide x 8"-9" (20.32cm x 53.34cm)
For Bowtie instructions, go to www.fabriceditions.com



Supplies Needed

- 2 Fabric Palette® Fat Quarters
18" x 21" (45.72cm x 53.34cm) (tie & neckband, lining)
- Sew-in hook-and-loop tape - 2" (5.08cm)
- Coordinating thread
- Ruler and pencil
- Wooden dowel or chopstick
- Tube turner (optional)
- Basic sewing supplies
- Sewing machine
- Iron and pressing surface

Before You Begin

Read all instructions before beginning project. Do not pre-wash fat quarters. Use a ¼" (.635cm) seam allowance and sew fabrics with right sides together (RST) unless otherwise noted. Backstitch at the beginning and end of seams. Enlarge pattern piece below and use to transfer all marks to fabric pieces after cutting.

Cutting

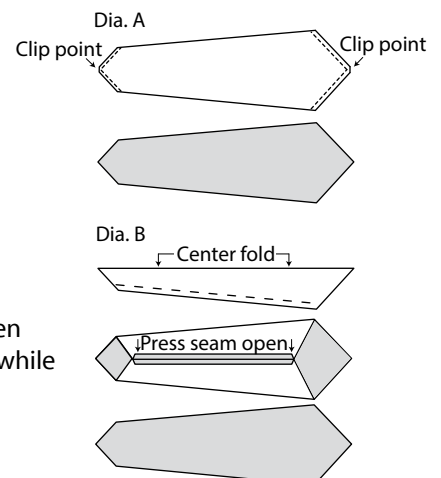
Note: For motifs and directional fabrics, check that motifs are featured and fabric is placed in the correct direction before cutting.

Tie & Neckband Fat Quarter: 1 - Tie shape from pattern, 1 - Neckband 2 ¾" x 17 ½" (6.985cm x 44.45cm) **Note:** Lengthen or shorten Neckband strip according to child's neck measurement.

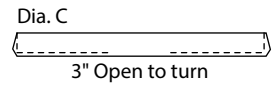
Lining Fat Quarter: 1 - Tie shape from pattern

Sewing

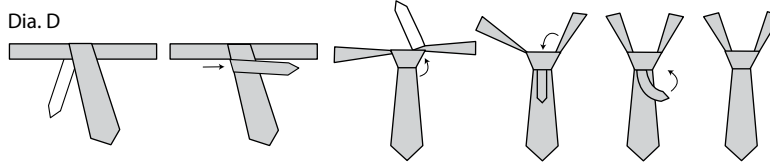
1. Place Tie and Lining fabrics RST and pin at each end. Sew ends as shown. Carefully clip point to within a few threads of stitching. Turn right side out, pushing out points with chopstick or wooden dowel and press well (Dia. A).
2. Fold Tie RST and pin long edges. Sew long edge, backstitching at each end. Finger press seam open and press with tip of iron, being careful not to set iron down on Tie. Note: Do not press side folds while it is wrong side out. Turn right side out, center seam and press well (Dia. B).



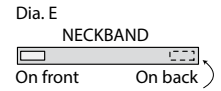
3. Fold Neckband in half, matching long edges and pin. Sew short ends and long edge closed leaving a 3" (7.62cm) opening in the middle for turning; clip corners (Dia. C). Turn right side out with tube turner (optional); press.



4. Follow Diagram D to fold Tie around Neckband. Once the small piece is pulled through over the front of the Tie, start wiggling it to the right and around to the back, pulling to tighten the knot and straightening the Neckband.



5. Follow manufacturer's instructions to sew a 2" (5.08cm) piece of hook-and-loop tape to each end of the Neckband on the front and back sides (Dia. E).



Finished Care Instructions

Hand wash and hang to dry; press..

