

All Dressed Up

Approximately 18 inches tall

You Will Be A Needin':

Material: Muslin, material for dress, scraps white for panties
Stuffing

Paint: White, black, Cremacat Burgundy Rose

Embroidery Floss: Dark brown, to match dress, to match hair

Small paintbrushes, stencil brush

Paper towels

Card stock

Approximately 9 inches of 1/8 inch thick elastic

10 inches of pearls

20 inches of 1/2-inch lace

Two 5/8 inch black matte buttons

One small button (for closure on purse, see picture)

Seven inches of 3/8 1 inch wide ribbon (for purse)

Hair - Primitive Doll Hair - Super Chunky - Deep Red (buy at www.sewprims.com)

Mechanical pencil

One large sheet stiff felt

Sandpaper

Hot glue gun and glue sticks

Doll needle (3 or 5 inches)

For Staining:

Instant coffee, vanilla extract, fragrance oil (optional)

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Read through all directions before beginning.

For illustrations of the different steps and techniques as well as the stitches, visit my "Stitch 'n' Stuff" page on my website at <http://www.lilliemaescrafts.com>

Doll:

1. Stain muslin with recipe and instructions given at the end of these directions.
2. Print out all doll patterns, head, body, arm, and leg. Trace all on double muslin being sure to trace 2 arms and 2 legs. Sew on traced lines being sure to leave open where indicated on patterns. Cut out about $\frac{1}{4}$ inch away from sewn lines. Cut a small slit in back of head about 1 inch up from bottom for turning. Clip curves and turn all.
3. Stuff head and body firmly and sew opening on body closed; leave opening in back of head open. (Note: Tilt head to one side, if desired, before inserting tip of body into back of head, glue).
4. Push the top of the body (as indicated on pattern) into the hole used for turning in back of head; glue with hot glue gun.
5. Stuff arms and legs to stuffing lines; sew openings shut.
6. Attach a piece of thread to top of each (to hang for drying).
7. Arms: With a mechanical pencil, trace glove line completely around each hand. Paint the glove with white acrylic paint; two coats. To hang to dry, bend the arms of a wire hanger up, hang your arms on both sides of this. Hang this some place where possible drippings from the paint will not cause harm (I hang mine in the garage). Sand lightly when completely dry.
8. Legs: Shoe - Print off shoe template on card stock. Pin one template to front of foot and the other to the back, with straight pins, making sure they line up evenly when they meet. You may have to crinkle and bend the template to get it where you need it to go. First pin the top of the shoe template where you desire it. Then pin the bottom of the shoe template in place. Then pin the rest. Trace the top of the template with mechanical pencil. Paint shoe with two coats of black acrylic paint. Sand lightly when completely dry. To hang to dry, bend the arms of a wire hanger up, hang your arms on both sides of this. Hang this some place where possible drippings from the paint will not cause harm.
9. Legs - Sock - Measure up 1-1/4 inch from back of shoe template and draw lines completely around leg for sock pattern. Paint sock with two coats of white acrylic paint. Sand lightly when completely dry. To hang to dry, bend the arms of a wire hanger up, hang your arms on both sides of this. Hang this some place where possible drippings from the paint will not cause harm (I hang mine in the garage).
10. Attach arms and legs to body where indicated on pattern.

Facial Features:

1. Eyes: Pin buttons in place (with straight pins) where desired on face. Thread doll needle with black thread and going in from the top of her head (this will be covered with her hair), go down and sew on eyes. Take the thread back out the top of her head and tie off.
2. Eyebrows, Eyelashes, and Mouth: Using a wooden or plastic ruler, pencil in (with mechanical pencil) her eyebrows (1/4 inch), her eyelashes (1/4 inch each), and her mouth (1/2 inch). Thread doll needle with a double strand of dark brown embroidery thread and going in from the top of her head (this will be covered with her hair) go down and embroider these using a simple backstitch. Take the thread back out the top of her head and tie off.
3. Nose: Print out nose pattern on card stock and pin in place where desired on head. Trace around this with mechanical pencil. Thread doll needle with double strand of red embroidery thread. Going in from the top of her head (this will be covered with her hair), go down and beginning at the bottom of her nose, embroider the nose using a satin stitch (I will usually unthread from the doll needle at this point and rethread on a smaller needle which makes embroidering the nose with satin stitch easier, I believe). Take the thread back out the top of her head and tie off.
4. Cheeks: Dip a medium size stencil brush lightly into burgundy rose paint and pounce off most of it on paper towels. Lightly swirl on her cheeks. If you desire more color, repeat.

Hair:

1. Cut #10 pieces of hair each 15 inches long. Cut #10 pieces of hair each 10-1/2 inches long. Wrap hair around hair card 4 times and slide off; do not cut.
2. Cut 3 pieces of matching embroidery thread and insert in 3 places marked on head pattern.
3. Lay the 15 inch long hair across head, then lay the 10-1/2 inch hair on top of this and finally the hair wrapped around the hair card, tie in the center of the head only. Clip loops.
4. Cut 2 pieces of hair each approximately 10 inches long. Gather one pigtail up and wrap this around and around and tie in back; trim. Then take that piece of embroidery thread on that side of the head and tie pigtail to head in front of where you have wrapped the piece of hair. This will help the pigtail stay up. Do the same on the other side.

Dress:

1. Print off bodice and skirt dress patterns.
2. Bodice: Fold material as shown in illustrations in pattern section. Place bodice pattern on both folds, pin and cut out.
3. Skirt: Place skirt pattern on one fold of material (shown on pattern) and cut out. Cut 2.
4. Sew a gathering stitch about $\frac{1}{4}$ inch down from top of each skirt pattern; pull to gather. Match these to bottom of both sides of bodice; pin and stitch in place.
5. Pin sides and underarms and stitch seams closed using $\frac{1}{4}$ inch seam allowance.
6. Turn hem under $\frac{1}{2}$ inch and sew.

7. Turn sleeves under $\frac{1}{4}$ inch and hand stitch with a running stitch with matching embroidery thread.
8. Place dress on doll and turn neck under $\frac{1}{4}$ inch. Hand stitch a gathering stitch all the way around, pull to gather and tie off.

Panties:

1. Print out panties pattern. Trace on double white material being sure to place on fold where indicated on pattern; cut out.
2. With right sides together, sew side seams as indicated by dashed lines on pattern.
3. Turn leg openings up $\frac{1}{4}$ inch and hand sew with a small running stitch.
4. Measure around doll's waist and subtract one inch; cut a piece of thin elastic to this length. Hand stitch ends together.
5. Turn top edge down $\frac{1}{2}$ inch and press. Turn up and pin (with straight pin) one end of the elastic; turn the rest of the top edge down and pin down all around. Hand stitch in place.

Note: Add scraps of lace around leg openings and waist for a nice touch.

Purse:

1. Print out purse and purse top patterns.
2. With mechanical pencil, trace both patterns on wrong side of stiff felt. Cut out.
3. Purse: Fold bottom flap up and one of the side flaps in.
4. Cut a piece of 1-inch wide ribbon 7 inches long. Glue one end to one side and the other end to the other side. Fold in the other side flap on top of this and glue.
5. Top: Fold purse top on dashed lines. Glue back (as shown on pattern) to one side to back of purse.
6. Glue front down on front of purse.
7. Glue small tiny button on center front to look as purse closure.

Finish:

1. Measure around top of gloves and cut 2 pieces of lace to size. Glue in place.
2. Measure around top of socks and cut 2 pieces of lace to size. Glue in place.
3. Measure around neck and decide how long you want her pearl necklace to be; cut to size. Wrap a piece of white thread around pearls in back to secure.
4. Glue purse to hand.

Staining Instructions:

Supplies Needed:

- Instant coffee
 - Vanilla extract
 - Fragrance oil (optional)
 - Old cookie sheet, wax paper, paper towels, old rags
 - Small spray bottle
 - Funnel
1. Mix together in glass jar with lid - $\frac{1}{4}$ cup instant coffee, 2 cups very warm water and $\frac{1}{4}$ cup vanilla extract.

2. Add fragrance oil to your taste. (HINT: You may want to add just a little at first and add more if you desire. If you add too much to begin with it may be stronger than you prefer.)
3. Pour stain into spray bottle.
4. Lay wax paper or old rags on cookie sheet. Lay here what you are staining. Spray front and back thoroughly with stain.
5. Bake in oven at 200 degrees for 10 minutes. If you need to bake longer, only bake at 5 minute increments.

Note: If I'm staining material before cutting out doll, instead of hanging this to dry, to expedite drying, I will either throw it into the dryer (but be sure to clean out dryer before using for clothes again) or I will iron it until dry. I have an iron, purchased at a yard sale, that is just for my crafts. I will iron one side, flip over, iron the other and repeat this process until dry.

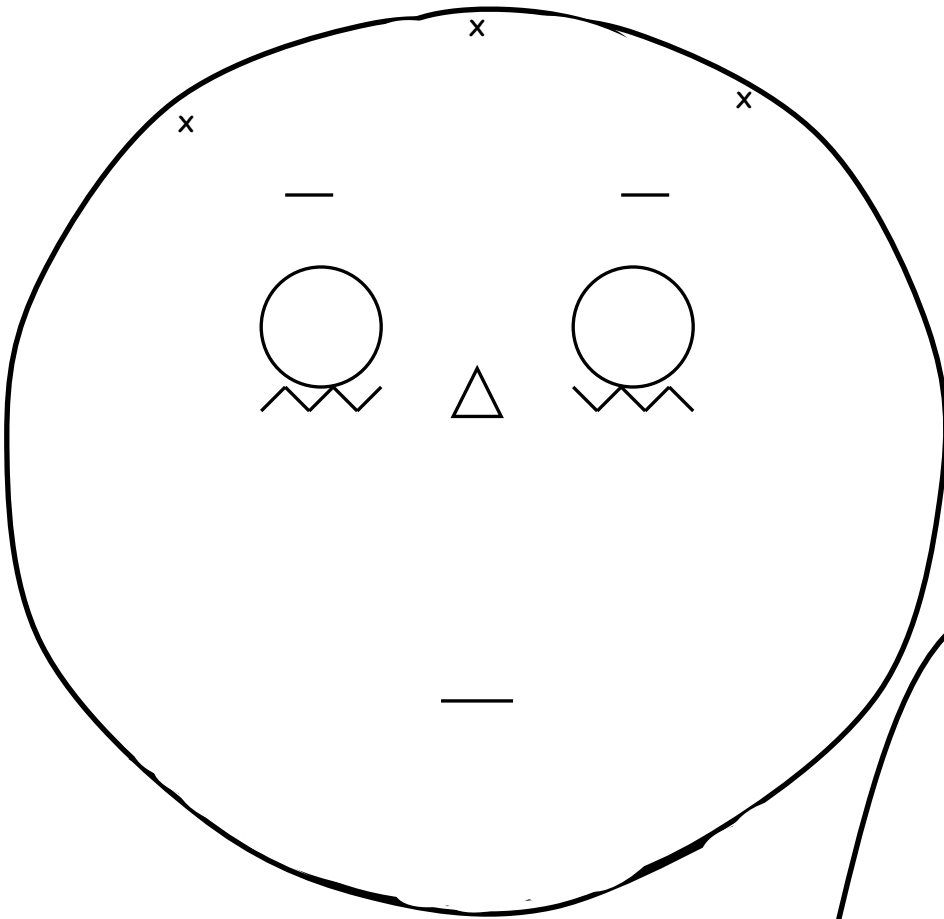
NEVER LEAVE OVEN UNATTENDED. THIS CAN CATCH ON FIRE. KEEP CHILDREN AND PETS AWAY. WATCH CLOSELY.

You're done with All Dressed Up. I hope you enjoyed making her as much as I enjoyed designing her. If you have any problems or questions, please don't hesitate to e-mail me (address on back of cover) or visit my "Stitch 'n' Stuff" page at Lillie Mae's Crafts - <http://www.lilliemaescrafts.com>.

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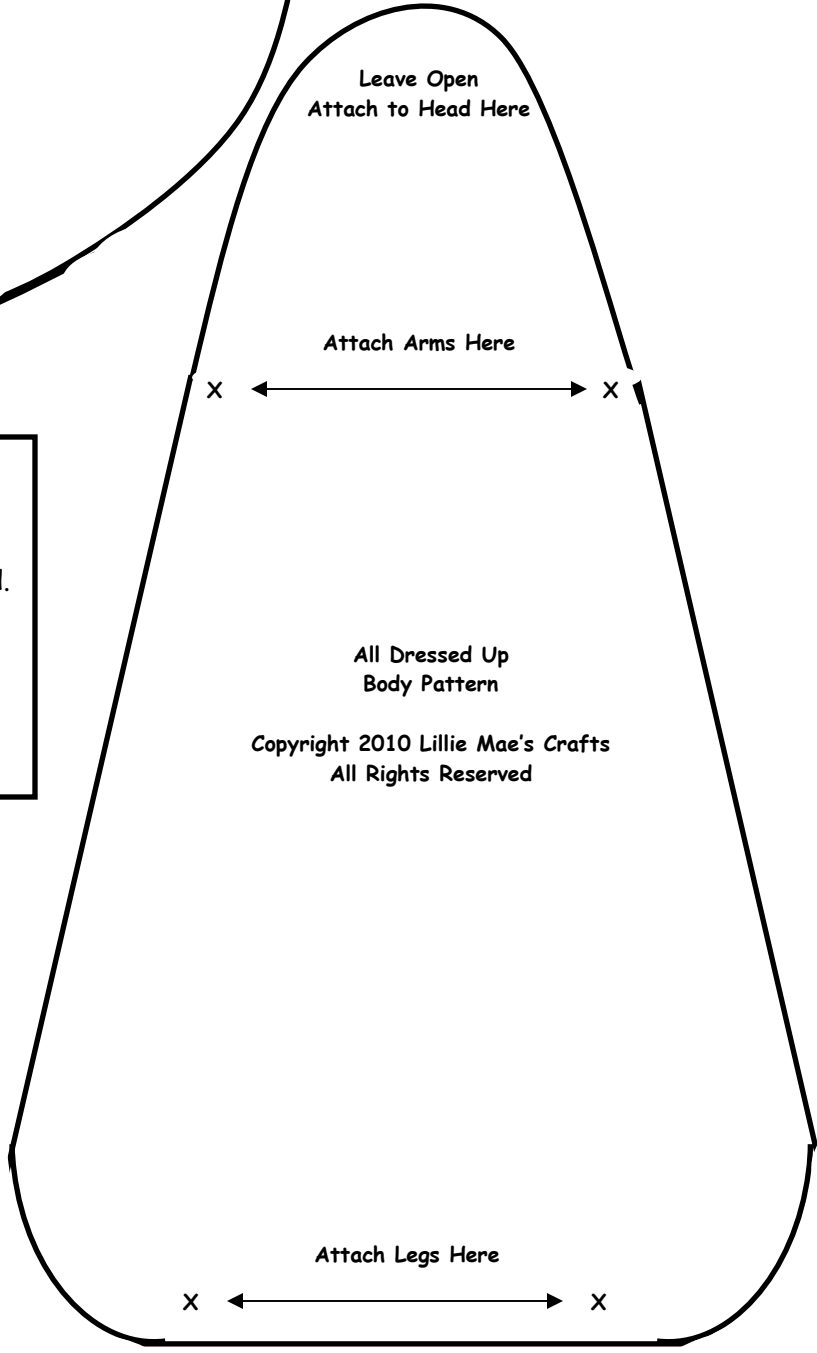

NOTE: To preserve pattern, print out all, fold, and place in Zip lock bag being sure the picture on the cover can be seen.



Facial Features

Print out nose pattern on card stock. Pin (with straight pins) to face where desired.

Nose



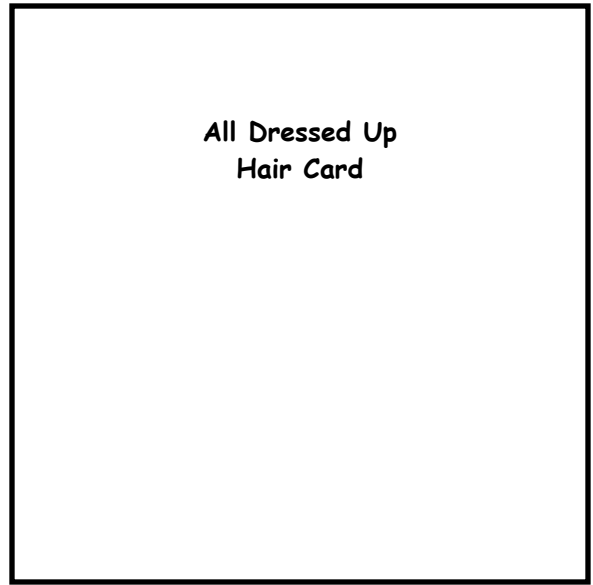
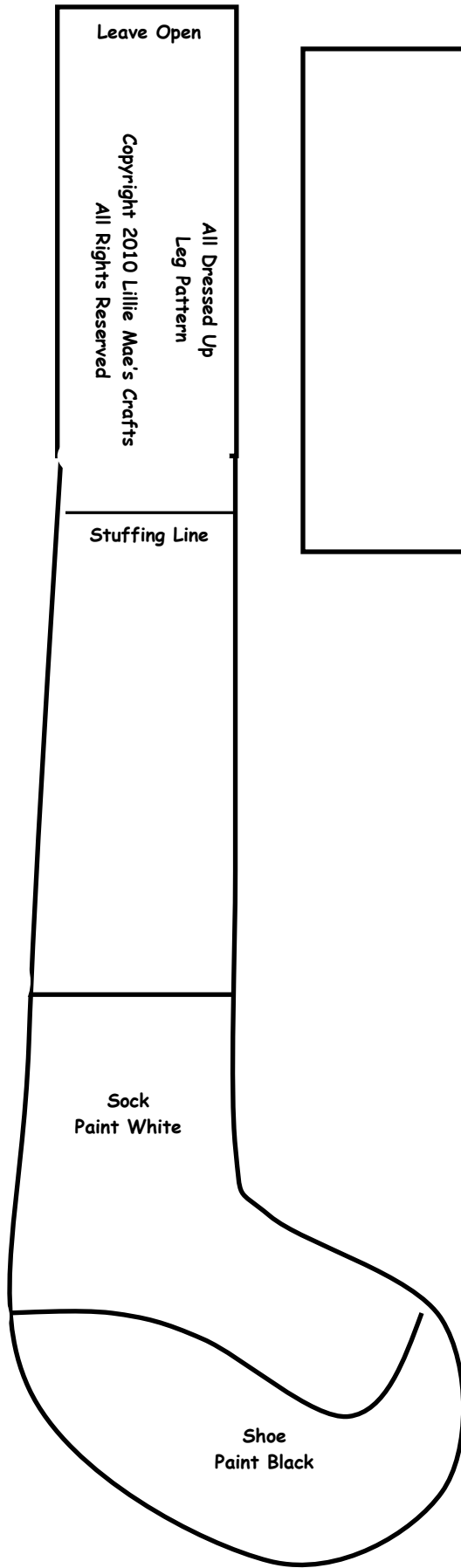
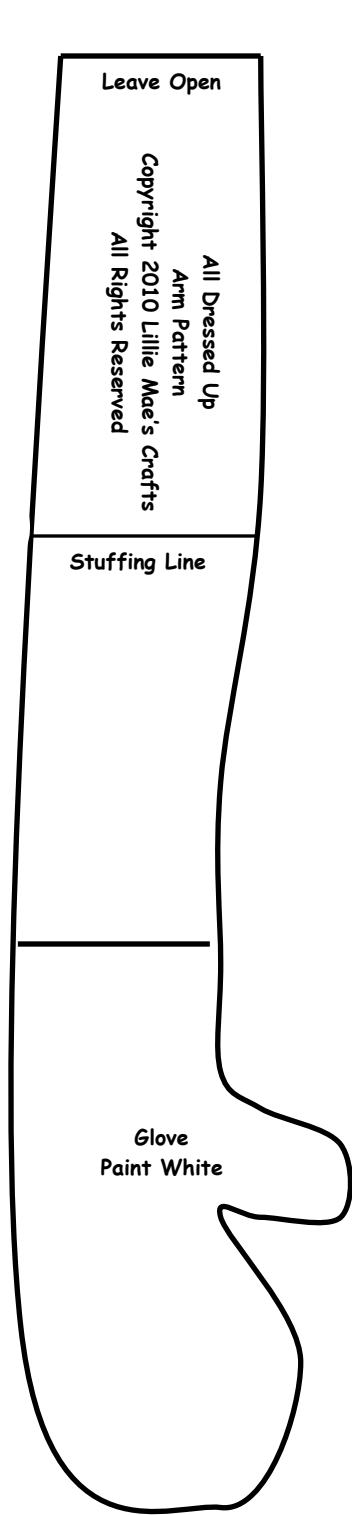
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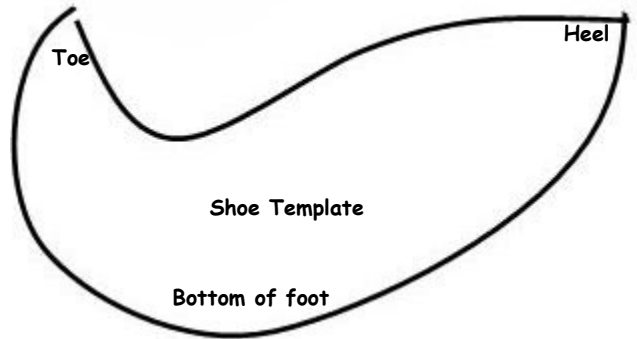
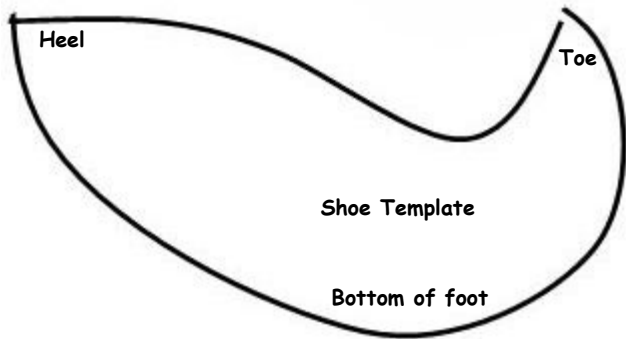
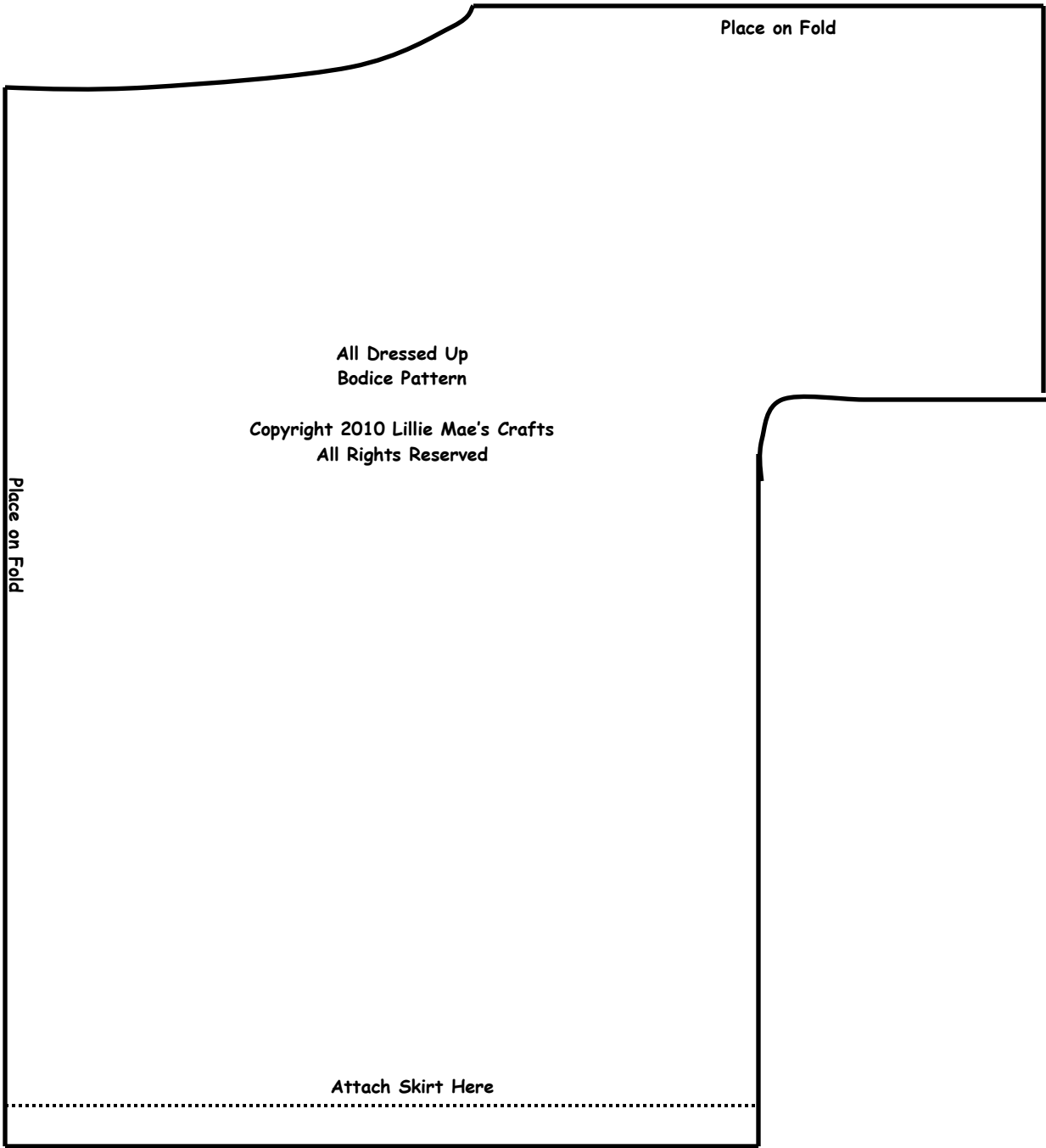
Attach Arms Here

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Body Pattern

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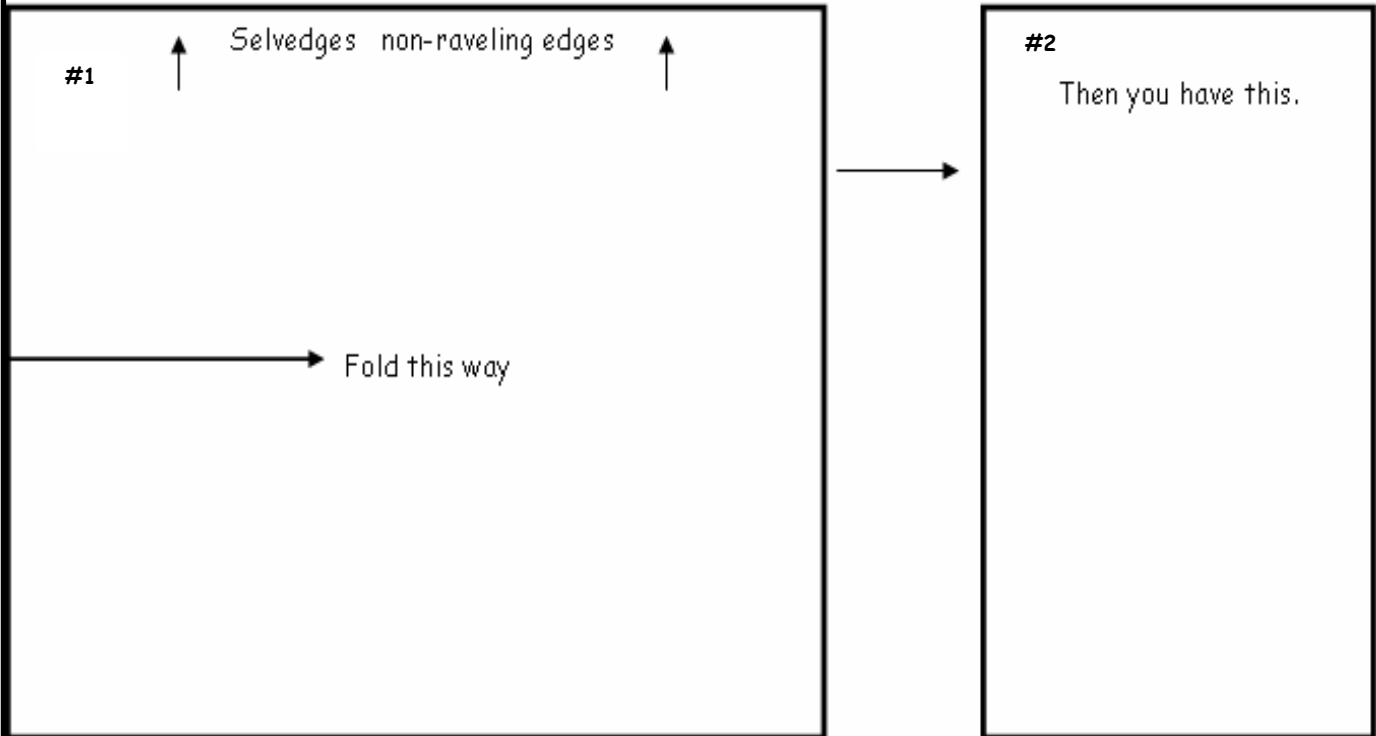
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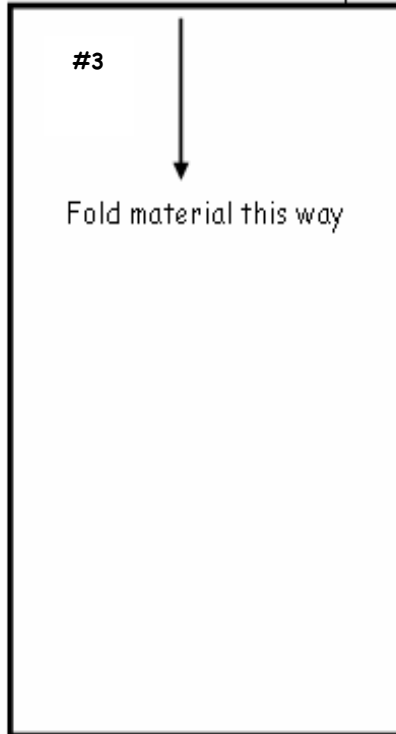


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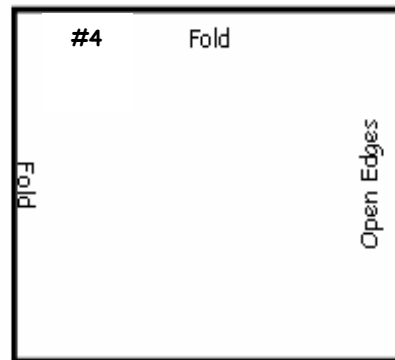
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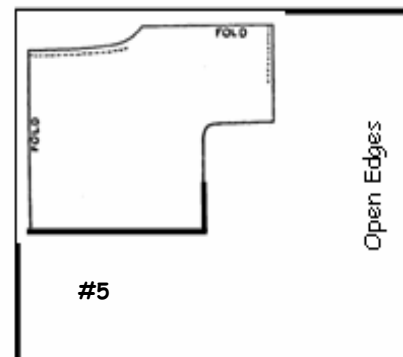
Fold material the other way.



Then you will have this with two folds on left and top; right side has open edges.



Place pattern here, so the two folds of the pattern are placed on the two folds of the material, and cut out.



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Sew Gathering Stitch Here.....

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Skirt Pattern**

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Place on Fold

