Makar Plush Pattern



This pattern is for a plush inspired by Makar from *The Legend of Zelda: The Wind Waker*. In the game, Makar is awakened as the Forest Sage and aids Link in one of the game's dungeons using his violin. The final plush measures 9" tall.

Materials:

Beige or brown fleece, ½ yard Piece of green felt at least 6" by 8" Scrap of black felt Coordinating thread Fabric glue Green fabric marker (optional)

Steps:

CUT OUT THE FABRIC

Print out the pattern (choose "no scaling" or size 100%). The body and arms pieces have 1/4" seam allowance added. The leaf and facial features do not need seam allowance.

Piece 1: The body piece. Cut 1 from the beige body fabric, then reverse and cut a second piece.

Piece 2: The top arm piece. Cut 1 from the beige body fabric, then reverse and cut a second piece.

Piece 3: The bottom arm piece. Cut 1 from the beige body fabric, then reverse and cut a second piece.

Leaf: Cut out the leaf from the green felt.

Facial features: Cut out the eyes, mouth, and markings from black felt.

SEW THE BODY

First, fold the body piece with right sides together and sew the dart. Repeat for the other body piece. Pin the two body pieces right sides together and sew around the edge, leaving an opening on one side. Clip curves and corners, trim seam allowance at points, and turn.

Stuff body firmly and close opening with a ladder stitch.

SEW THE ARMS

Place one top arm piece and one bottom arm piece right sides together and sew along the edge, leaving the top mismatched edge open. Clip curves and turn.

Stuff the arm firmly and attach to the body by sewing a ladder stitch around the open side. Before completely closing the opening, add a bit more stuffing to shape the upper arm. Repeat for the other arm.

CREATE THE FACE

Optional step: Using a green fabric marker, draw the leaf pattern on the face.

Glue the facial features to the leaf and let dry. For extra security, whip stitch each piece in place using black thread.

Squeeze a line of fabric glue down the center of the back of the leaf, starting before the tip of the leaf and ending before the leaf stem. Place the leaf on the body and apply some pressure. Allow to dry. For extra security, tack the leaf to the body using a few small stitches with green thread.

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