

"Who's Books"

Full-sized pattern pieces to sew up a darling set of weighted Book Ends! Perfect for the nursery or kids rooms - sew quick, easy and functional! Approximate finished size 7" x 4".

Fat Quarter Friendly!

SUPPLIES & NOTIONS (each):

- O One fat quarter (18" x 22") of cotton fabric for Owl Body.
- O One 6" square of contrasting fabric for Owl Wings.
- O One 2 x 3" piece of cotton fabric for the Base Eyes.
- O One 2" squares of white cotton fabric for the White Eyes.
- O One 2" square of black cotton fabric for Black Center Eyes.
- O One 2" square scrap of yellow cotton fabric for Beak.
- O 1/2 yd of a Heat-N-Bond paper-backed fusible webbing.
- O Poly Pellets (FairField) & Fiber-fill.
- O One 12" piece of 1/2" wide ribbon for Bow.
- O Basic Sewing Supplies, glue, thread, etc.

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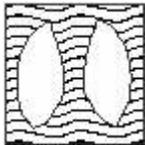
PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS FIRST!

Prepare fabrics by steam-pressing. Trace around each pattern piece on your fabric(s) with a water-soluble marker - **DO NOT** cut them out unless noted otherwise. Transfer all markings. Use small stitches and go slow around curves for accurate shaping. A plastic see-through presser foot will allow you to see the traced line easier but is not necessary.

TO MAKE WHO'S BOOKS (each):

1. Trace and cut ONE Owl Body piece from your main fabric following instructions on the pattern page.

2. Fuse a piece of paper-backed webbing to the **wrong** side of your Wing fabric, following manufacturer's instructions. Trace and cut a right and left Wing (2 Wings). Trace around the template once, then flip the template over to the wrong side and trace another wing. Cut Wings out.



3. Remove the paper-backing from the cut Wings, layer the Wings on the **right** side (webbing side down) on the Owl Body and then fuse a Wing to each side as noted on the pattern, following manufacturer's instructions. Sew fused Wings in place using a light machine satin-stitch or blanket-stitch.

4. Fuse a piece of paper-backed webbing to the **wrong** side of your Base Eye fabric, following manufacturer's instructions. Trace and cut ONE Base Eye. Remove the paper-backing from Base Eye, position as noted on the cut Owl Body and fuse in place, following manufacturer's instructions. Straight-stitch around outer edges.

5. Fuse a piece of paper-backed webbing to the **wrong** side of your White Eye and Black Center Eye fabrics following manufacturer's instructions. For Bright Eyes: trace and cut TWO White Eyes and TWO Black Center Eyes.

Remove the paper-backing from White Eye, position as noted on the cut Owl Body and fuse in place, following manufacturer's instructions.



You can position the Black Center Eyes in the center, to the right, left, up or down. Fuse in place, following manufacturer's instructions. Using white thread, machine bar-tack to make eye

sparks for each Eye, as noted on the Eye illustrations.



For Sleepy Eyes: Cut just ONE White Eye and ONE Black Center Eye. From webbing-backed fabric cut the White Eye piece and Black Center piece in half, center on the Base Eye and fuse in place, following manufacturer's instructions. Using a thin satin-stitch, stitch across the center of the Base Eye, catching the edges of the White and Black Eye pieces.

Satin-stitch across center of Base Eye, covering the edge of the White & Black Eye sections



6. Fuse a piece of paper-backed webbing to the **wrong** side of your Beak fabric, following manufacturer's instructions, then cut out ONE Beak. Arrange Beak as noted on the pattern and fuse in place.

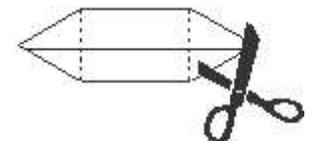
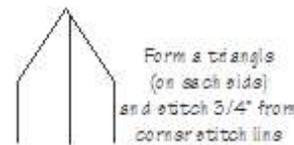
7. Cut a 7" x 10" piece of Owl main fabric and layer, **right** sides together, with prepared Owl Body. Stitch around the outer edges of the cut and prepared Owl, using a 1/4" seam allowance, leaving an opening as noted on the pattern. Trim seam allowance to a scant 1/4", clip into corners and around curves.

8. **DO NOT TURN RIGHT SIDE OUT YET!** We're going to make a squared bottom so Who's Books will set freely. With **right** sides together, pull the bottom seam and one side seam together, align seam lines and fold

fabric along line as noted on the pattern to form a triangle. Stitch 3/4" from the pointed corner. Trim to scant 1/8" seam allowance. Repeat with other side.

9. Pour 8 - 9 ounces of Poly Pellets into bottom of Who's Body. Stuff remaining body firmly with fiber-fill. Hand-stitch opening closed without overlapping edges.

10. Tie a bow with ribbon piece, arrange as desired and glue in place.



Trim to a scant 1/8"

Sew easy, so quick, fun and functional!

Enjoy!