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## Baby Hat and Snuggly



### Shopping List:

- SINGER sewing machine
- Pins
- Old t-shirt (Men's L, XL or XXL work best)
- Measuring tape
- Scissors
- Chenille, terrycloth, or an old towel
- Thread
- Felt (optional)

## Instructions:

### Baby Hat:

1. Lay t-shirt out flat with the front facing up. Cut off the sleeves of the t-shirt at the seam of the sleeve and t-shirt. (See *Illustration A: Red dotted line*)
2. Measure the circumference of the baby's head or use the handy guidelines below.

0 - 3 months	14 ½" to 15 ½"
3 - 6 months	15 ½" to 16 ½"
6 - 12 months	16 ½" to 17 ¾"
1 - 3 years	17 ¾" to 19 ½"

Now measure the circumference of the elastic portion of the sleeve.  
(See *Illustration A: Area marked in blue.*) If the sleeve is bigger than the circumference of the baby's head, cut up the seam of the sleeve and re-sew it to the correct circumference.

*Tip: Babies grow fast, so don't worry if the hat is a bit too big at first. They will grow into it in no time!*

3. Next, you'll want to sew up the hole of the sleeve you created when you cut the sleeve off the t-shirt. Measure 4" to 8" from the band of the sleeve up. This measurement depends on how big the child's head is and how floppy you'd like the hat to be.

*Tip: Bigger circumference calls for more material up top. (See *Illustration B.*)*

With the sleeve turned inside-out, sew across the opening and cut off the extra fabric.

4. Optional – Include a row of spikes on the top of the hat. To do this, simply cut out the shape you'd like to stick out from the top of the hat, sandwich it in between the front and back of the sleeve fabric with the spikes pointing in. Pin in place. Sew across the seam and turn the sleeve right side out.

### Baby Snuggly:

1. Lay the t-shirt out flat. Cut out the front of the t-shirt the size you'd like your snuggly. (See *Illustration C*)
2. Cut out the backing material for your snuggly in the same dimensions.
3. Place the two pieces of fabric right sides together and pin in place.
4. Sew around the edge leaving a 2" gap on one side.
5. Turn the snuggly right side out and press.
6. Hand sew the gap on the side.

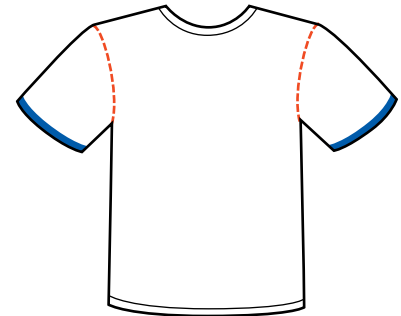


Illustration A

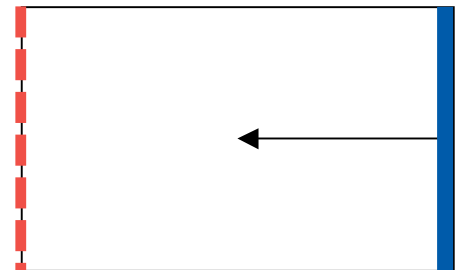


Illustration B

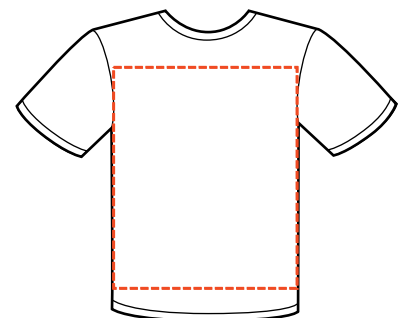


Illustration C