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the beatrice bow

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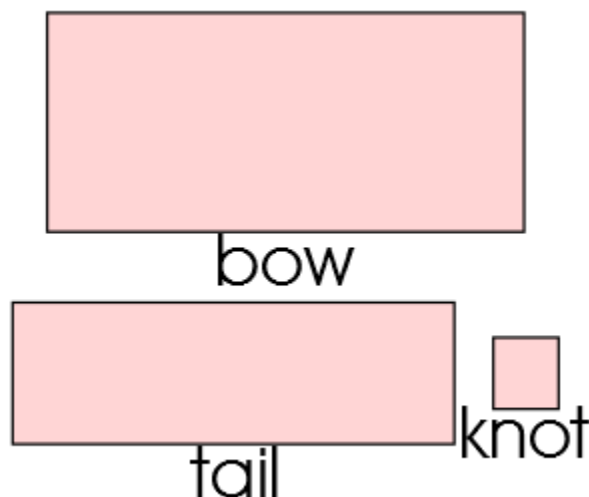
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## CUTTING MEASUREMENTS

	small (7" wide)	medium (8 1/2" wide)	large (10" wide)
bow [cut 1]	14 3/4" w x 7" h	17 1/4" w x 8" h	20" w x 9 1/4" h
tail [cut 1]	13 3/4" w x 4 1/2" h	16" w x 5 1/4" h	18 1/2" w x 6" h
knot [cut 1]	2 1/4" w x 2 1/2" h	2 1/2" x 2 3/4"	2 3/4" w x 3" h

## SEWING INSTRUCTIONS



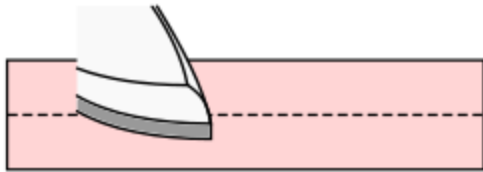
Cut out all the pieces (one of each), bow, tail and knot.



Fold and press BOW in half, RIGHT sides together.

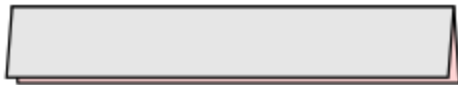


Stitch BOW together using a 1/4" seam allowance.



Turn BOW RIGHT side out by pulling it through one end.

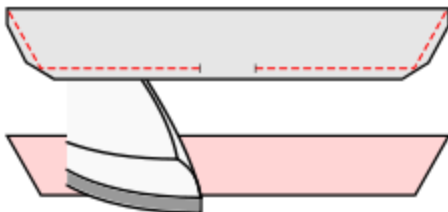
PRESS BOW well, setting the seam line in the middle (not on the edge).



Fold the TAIL in half lengthwise, RIGHT sides together.

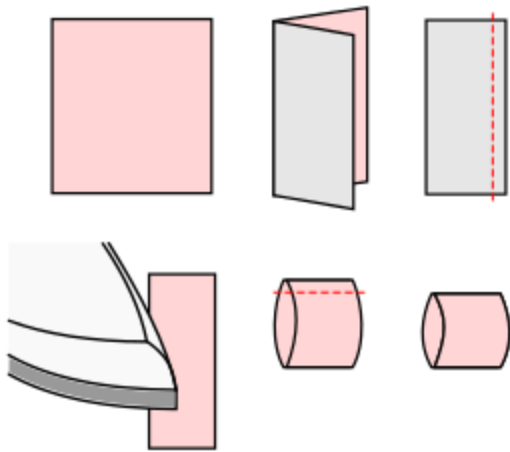


Stitch starting at the folded edge and angle in about 1" from edge, continue until you are 1/4" from the edge and then continue until you are 1/2" away from the center of the strip. Repeat with opposite side of the strip stopping 1/2" away from the center of the TAIL.



Trim the angled edges from the end of the TAIL.

Pull the TAIL right side out. PRESS well, setting the seam line exactly on the edge. It helps to roll the seam a bit in your fingers and use a chopstick to help with the points.



Fold and press KNOT in half, RIGHT sides together.

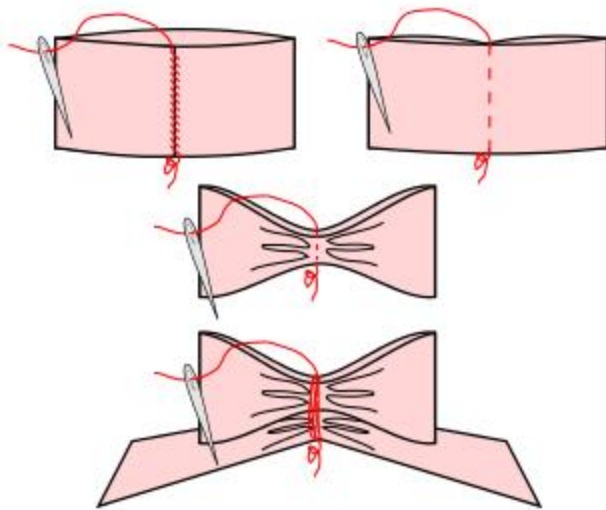
Stitch KNOT together using a 1/4" seam allowance.

Turn RIGHT side out by pulling it through one end.

PRESS well, setting the seam line exactly on the edge. It helps to roll the seam a bit in your fingers.

Bring the ends together and stitch KNOT into a loop using a 1/4" seam allowance.

Turn right side out.

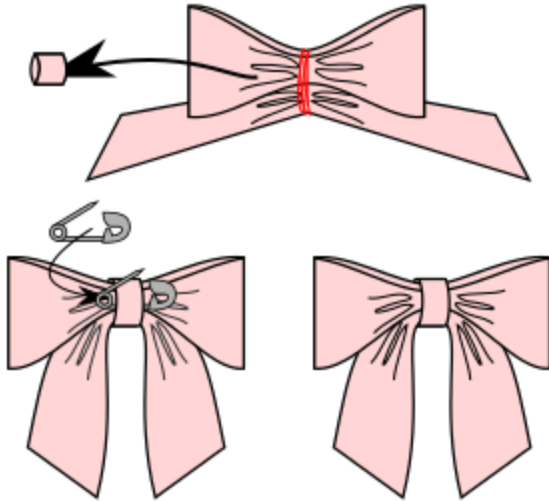


Align the 2 edges of the BOW together and whipstitch them in place [back side of BOW].

Flip BOW over, from the front side, weave a threaded needle in and out from the bottom to the top directly through the center.

Pull the thread through as tight as you can (this forms the pinched look in the center of the bow).

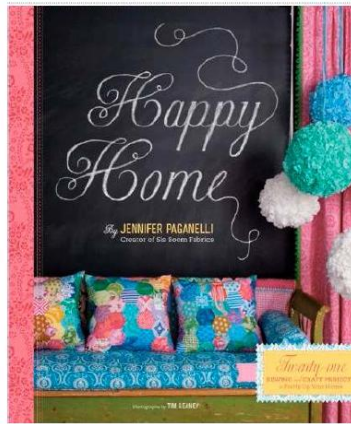
With the BOW together with the TAIL, wrap the thread around the center a couple of time and tie the thread off on the back of the bow.



Slide the bow through the loop.

Slide a 1” safety pin in the BACK of the bow so you can attach to anything.

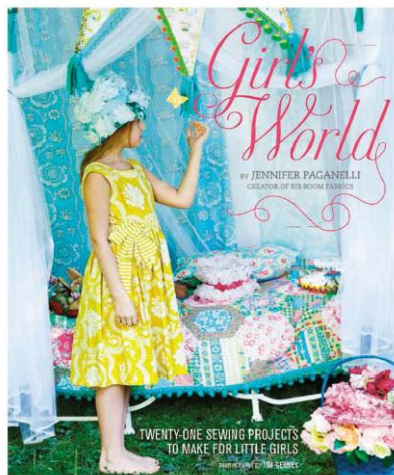
Flip the bow over to the front and admire your beautiful bow.



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