

Spooky Stuffed Toys



Decorate for the fall holidays with these cute, cuddly stuffed toys. Choose from three different styles of ghost, as well as a little bat. All the elements are cut using your crafting machine, then assembled using your sewing machine. Make one or make them all! Each ghost is approximately 10" (25cm) tall, and the bat measures approximately 15" x 9" (38cm x 23cm).

What you need

- Medium Weight Cotton, White – for 3 ghost toys
- Medium Weight Cotton, Black – for 1 bat toy
- Lightweight Fusible Interfacing – for all toys
- Heat Transfer Vinyl – black for eyes, peach or pink for cheeks
- Polyester Fiber Fill Stuffing
- Fabric Grip Mat 24" x 24"
- Standard Grip Mat 12" x 12"

- Rotary Blade
- Basic Blade
- Brayer
- Weeding Tool
- Heat Press
- Sewing Machine
- Thread
- Hand Sewing Needle
- Chopstick
- Parchment Paper

Directions

1. Open the project in Canvas. Follow the steps to cut all the various elements. When finished all cutting, you should have the following, as listed below:

Cotton Fabric

- Ghost 1 – Front & Back
- Ghost 2 – Front & Back
- Ghost 3 – Front & Back
- Bat – Front & Back

Fusible Interfacing

- Ghost 1 – Front & Back
- Ghost 2 – Front & Back
- Ghost 3 – Front & Back
- Bat – Front & Back

Heat Transfer Vinyl

- White Eyes & Mouth (for Bat)
- Peach/Pink Cheeks – 3 sets of 2 (1 set of 2 for each Ghost)
- Black Eyes & Mouth Sets – 1 of each style for the 3 Ghosts

Note: When using more than one material, check all settings and customize inputs for your mat size, material type, material size, and arrangement of pieces before selecting next to begin cutting each layer.

2. Apply the lightweight fusible interfacing to the back side of each Ghost Front, Ghost Back, and Bat fabrics. Follow the fusible interfacing manufacturer's recommendations for application.
3. Weed the vinyl elements. Arrange the "faces" as desired. Start by first applying the black eyes and mouth elements to the white Ghost Front fabrics. Use parchment paper to help protect the vinyl and fabric as you adhere them with your heat press. After the black elements have been applied, position the "cheeks" as desired, then

adhere them with your heat press, again using the parchment paper. When all 3 Ghost Front pieces have had the vinyl applied, add the white vinyl for the Bat Front in the same manner as you did for the Ghost Fronts.



4. Pin the Ghost Front to its corresponding Ghost back piece, with right sides facing. Do the same for the Bat Front and Back. You will need to leave an opening about 2" (5cm) for stuffing each toy, and this is best to do along on of the "straighter" sides of each toy so it will be easier to hand-sew the opening after stuffing.
5. Set the machine for straight stitch, with a Stitch Length setting of 2mm. Stitch around each toy using a 3/8" seam allowance. Be sure to backstitch at the beginning and end of sewing, so that the 2" (5cm) opening doesn't unravel.



6. Clip all inside corners and curves. When finished, turn the toys right side out.



7. Fill the toys with the polyester fiber fill stuffing. Use a hand sewing needle to stitch the opening to finish.

