Masks for Monument

PATTERN 03/26/20



Materials Needed:

New 100% Cotton Weave Fabric (1/2 yard is enough to make 2-3 masks). Please wash and dry all fabrics on hot.



Pattern Pieces: **Face 1, Mouth 1, Cheek 1**. Cut from included paper pattern.

Use 1/4" seam allowance throughout.

Use differnt fabrics for each piece when possible. **Mouth 1** and **Cheek 1** may be from the same fabric.

This helps distiguish the front and back of the mask.



Double fabric and place right sides together. Pin pieces in place. Cut each piece, unpin.

You will have 6 total pieces. Note the numbers on the sides of each pattern piece that are used throughout the pattern.

The **Cheek** and **Mouth** pieces will form the inside of the mask. The **Face** pieces will form the outside of the mask.



Starting with **Face** pieces, right sides together, sew along the curved edge (#3).

Next place **Mouth** pieces, right sides together, sew along the curved edge (#3). On the opposite straight edge #5, turn fabric edge back 1/4", press and sew.



Next, using the two **Cheek** pieces, fold back and press 1/4" on the long ege (#6). Sew along this pressed edge.

Repeat for second piece.

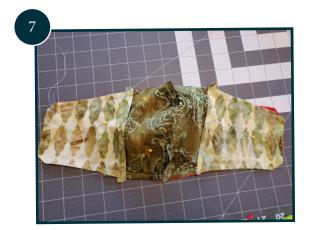


On **Mouth** and **Face**, using sharp scissors, make small snips into the fabric edge next to the seam, but not through the seam to ease the curve. Snips should be about every 1/2".



Place assembled **Face** piece right side up on a table. Place assembled **Mouth** piece with seam side facing up, and right sides are together.

Align seams top and bottom and smooth the curve. Place pins to secure **Face** and **Mouth** pieces together.



Place **Cheek** pieces on top of the **Face** and **Mouth** pieces with right sides together, raw edge visible.



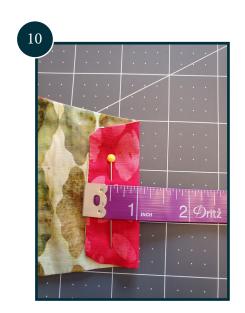
Sew around the entire mask. Remove pins as you sew. Clip corners.



Start to turn the mask right side out by first turning **Cheek** pieces and use a pen to push at the corners.

Then turn main portion of mask so that the entire mask is right side out.

Press flat. Use the end of your ironing board to help shape the nose and chin curve.



Fold ends of mask to the inside with 1" overlap. Stich close to the inside edge to create a loop for attachment.



Masks for Monument are now complete.

If you are making a mask for your own use, follow all CDC guidelines, warnings, and information regarding effectiveness and proper use of masks.

If elastic is not available, you can use a 3/4" strip of fabric or the hem of a t-shirt to create a tie. The tie for at-home use should be between 45-50" long.

With the inside of the mask facing you, thread the fabric or t-shirt hem from the top down on the right side and back up on the opposite side so that the ties are at the top of the mask.

To wear, place the fabric loop over your head and secure the mask with ties behind your head.



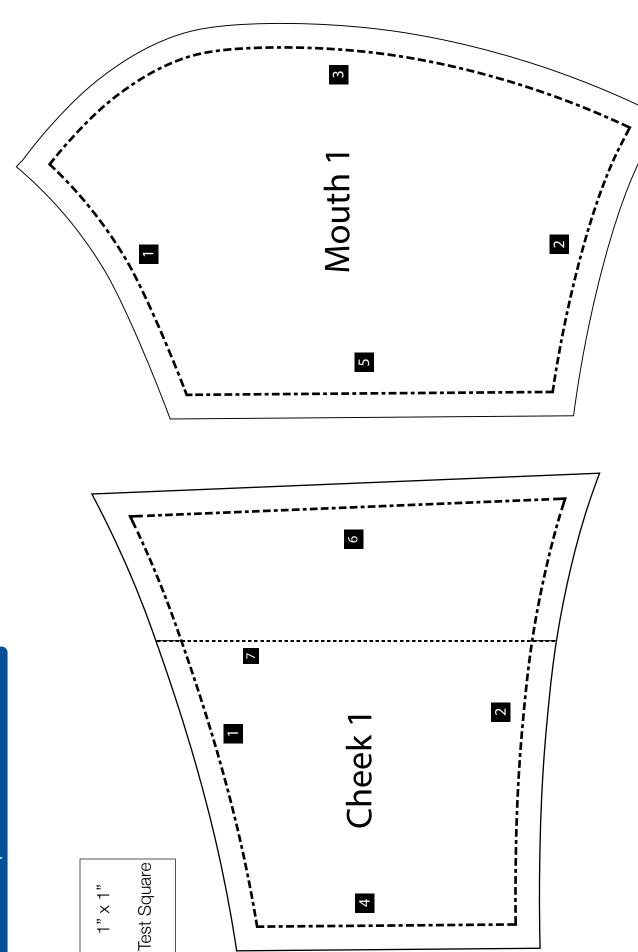








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