

Central Queensland Christian College
Home Economics, Term 2, 2011

Dear Students,

This term we are sewing a bag holder for grocery bags and a teddy bear for a young child. Please look at the list of items required and bring them for your lesson on the 5th of May. Some items you may already have at home. It will help if you place all of your items in a ziplock bag clearly marked with your name. Once projects are completed you will be expected to attach an information sheet to each one and hand it in for assessment. This can be found at the end of your information. Please do not lose this sheet as it has your materials and instructions on it.

Yours sincerely,

Ms Winters.

Bag Holder

Materials:

- 0.5m of 120cm wide fabric
- 0.5 m of 1cm wide elastic
- 23cm of strong ribbon (1.5cm wide works well)
- thread to match
- small safety pin

Instructions:

- Cut a 36cm by 60cm (or half the width of the fabric) piece of fabric
- Cut two 20cm pieces of elastic
- Press under 0.5cm on a narrower edge of the fabric rectangle.
- Press under again 1.5cm
- Stitch close to the folded edge to create a casing for the elastic.
- Repeat for the opposite end.
- Use a small safety pin to thread the elastic through the casing.
- Tack the elastic to the end of the casing at both ends.
- Fold the length of the fabric in half. Align the ends of the casing.
- Sew a seam using a 1cm seam allowance.
- Press and turn right side out.
- Fold the length of ribbon in half. If your ribbon is prone to fraying, zigzag the ends of the ribbon together.
- Sew the ends of the ribbon to the seam line at the casing stitch line.

Bear

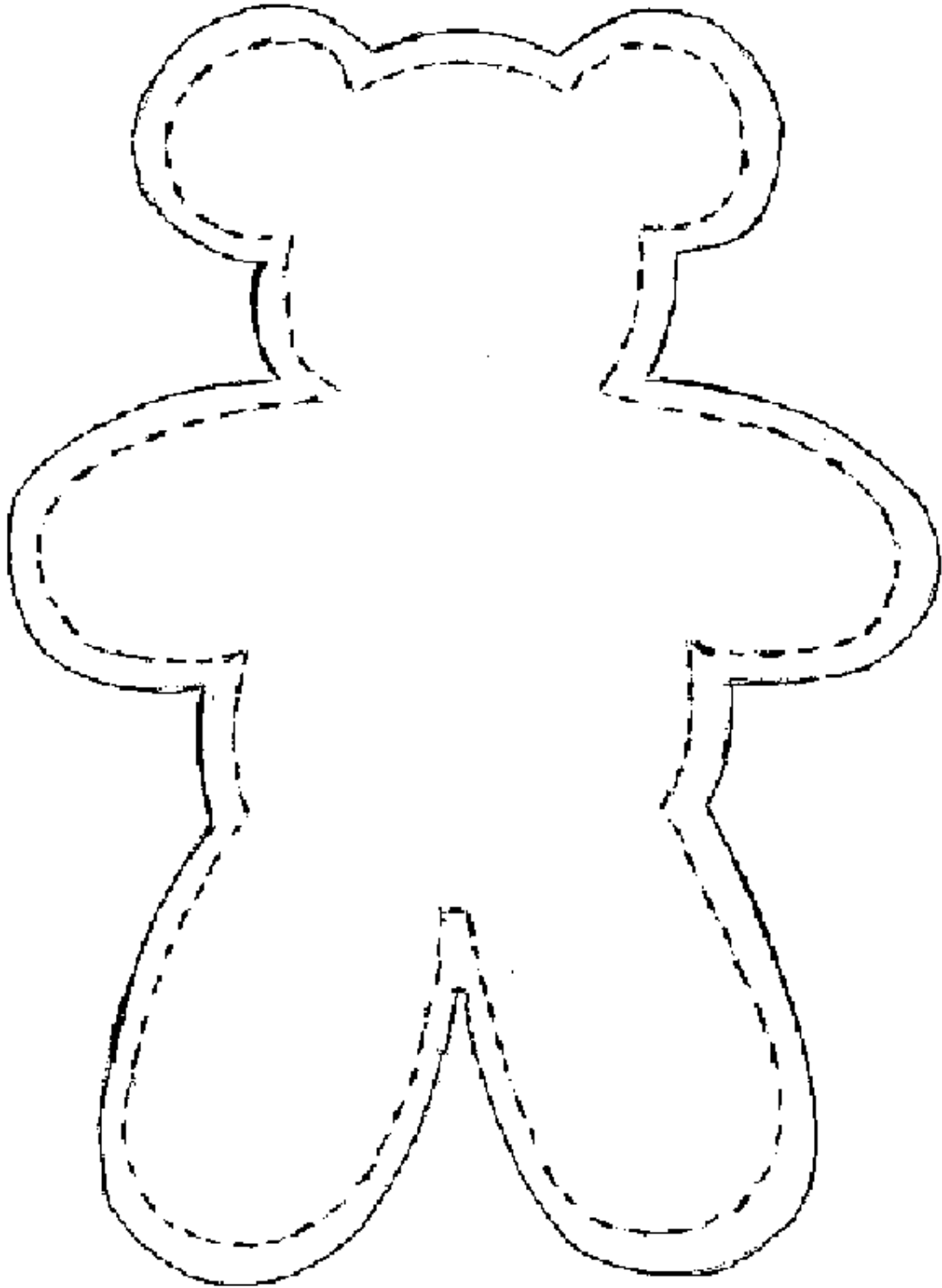
Materials:

- 0.5m of 120cm wide material
- Matching thread
- Black or other coloured thread to sew face
- Cushion wadding to stuff bear

Instructions:

- Fold material in half with right sides together
- Pin pattern to material, cut out and remove pattern
- Stitch the 2 pieces together allowing a 1cm seam. Leave enough room to be able to insert the stuffing
- Insert stuffing making sure to get into ears, hands and feet
- Hand sew opening together
- Hand sew a mouth nose and eyes onto front of bear.

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STUDENT NAME: _____ Year Level: _____

Date submitted: _____

Signed: _____ (Teacher)