

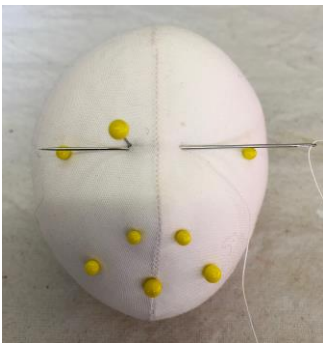
SCULPTING the FACE using STITCHING DIAGRAM



1. Position of pins.



2 Use a length of quilting thread and a long darning needle. Fasten thread in back of head and pass needle through from back and out at '3'.



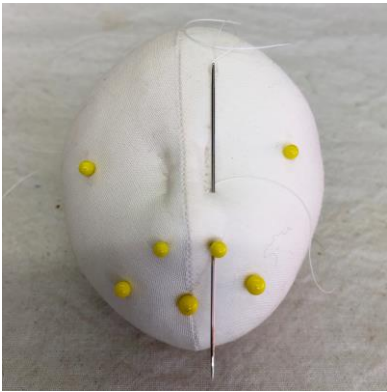
3. Each stitch you take now will be a few threads wide. Enough to pull the fabric but small enough to be almost invisible. Push needle back in at '3' and out at '2'. This forms the bridge of the nose.



4. Push needle in at '2' and out at '3'. Repeat these 2 stitches in the same place twice to strengthen the bridge of the nose.



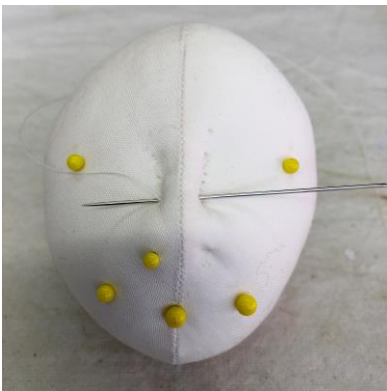
5. Stitch as last 2 stitches downwards keeping small stitches directly below one another until you reach numbers '5' and '6'. These are not pins but will be directly above the nostrils – pins '7' and '8'.
See photo to left.



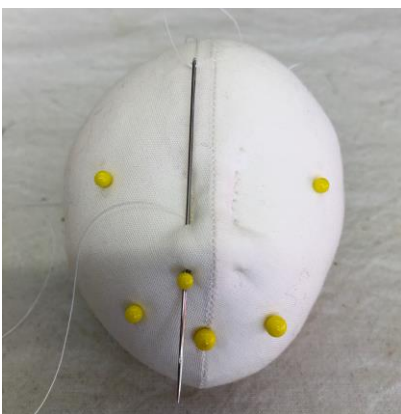
6. Push needle in at '6' and out at '8' for nostril.



7. Push needle in at '8' and out at '6'. Pull the thread to create the nostril. Try to hold the shape of this as much as possible.



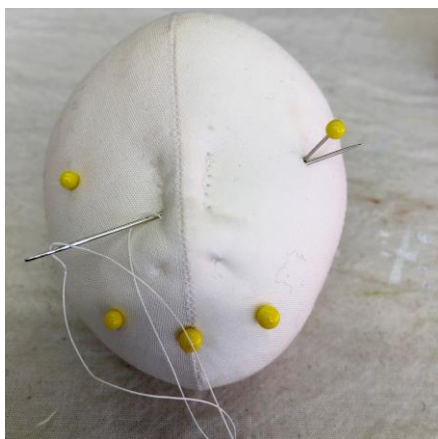
8. Push needle in at '6' and out at '5'



9. Push needle in at '5' and out at '7'



10. Push needle back in at '7' and out at '5'. Pull the thread to create the second nostril. Now try to make sure the nose is equal on both sides.



11. Push needle in at '5' and out at '4'(side of eye)



12. Push needle in at '4' and out at '9'.



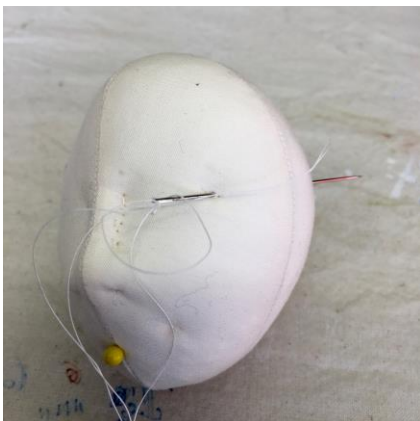
13. Push needle in at '9' and out at '1'.(side of eye)



14. Push needle in at '1' and out at '10'



15. Push needle in at '10' and out at '4'



16. Push needle in at '4' and out at back of head. Stitch to fasten off.



17. Finished sculpted head.