





FREE INSTRUCTIONS
FOR COORDINATING
(ARCTIC OR WOODLAND)
FOX DOLL PANELS





# Panel instructions by Jennifer Long for Riley Blake Designs



The Fox dolls go on an adventure of make-believe. They camp, they hike, they make some s'mores. They get dressed in their cozy, knitted sweater vests, and wrap themselves with scarves. They enjoy the heat of the glowing campfire and sleep under the stars. On their family hike, they hear the crunch of all the leaves at their feet and take in the fresh air and the changing colors of the Autumn woods. Come use your imagination and join the Fox family on a back-country adventure!

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Build your child's imagination with a wonderful and simple, homemade 3D tent. This is the perfect resting place for the Fox Doll Panel's back-country adventure. Make the whole sleepover set (Doll, Tent and Child's Sleeping Bag), for your child's next camping adventure or sleepover at Grandma's house. This panel includes outer tent and sleeping bag and patterns plus a stuffed campfire, s'mores and a fox friend! The tent is supported with firm stabilizer so is completely safe for children with no poles or sharp supports.

Don't forget to complete the set with the coordinating Fox Doll Family panels and the Child Sleeping Bag panel project as well!

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### SUPPLIES:

- (1) Forest Friends Doll Tent & Sleeping Bag Panel PD12700-WOODLAND PD12700-ARCTIC
- 1 yard Extra Firm Bag Stabilizer to support Tent
- 20" x 20" square of fusible fleece for Sleeping Bag
- Polyester Fiber Fill for stuffing
- 1 1/4" yard of lining fabric for inside of Tent and Sleeping Bag.
- · Medium-weight fusible web
- Hand sewing needle and thread

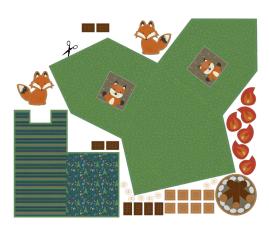
## PANEL INSTRUCTIONS:

Please read through all the directions first before starting. Assume 1/4" seam allowance. Sew with right-sides together unless otherwise stated. Press all seams in the direction of the arrows on the diagrams unless otherwise stated.

RST: Right Sides Together RSO: Right Sides Out

The instructions below are for making the Artctic/Woodland Doll Tent & Sleeping Bag Panel as originally intended. Follow the steps in the order shown.

1. Carefully cut out all the pattern pieces on the dotted cut lines. All pieces are designed with a 1/4" seam allowance. If you wish to have a larger seam allowance, please cut out wider than then cut lines.





## TO MAKE THE DOLL TENT:

2. Prepare the Tent: Adhere the entire wrong-side of the Tent shape with medium-weight fusible web following manufactures' direction.



**3.** Layout the prepared Tent shape onto the lining fabric with RST. Pin and cut out the lining using the prepared outer tent as a pattern piece.



4. Sew the outer and lining tent pieces together using a 1/4" seam allowance and ensure that your stitchline is slightly inside the drawn panel stitchline. Leave (1) short side of the rectangle shape open for turning as shown.



5. Using a small pair of scissors, carefully clip around the perimeter of the entire seam allowance and notch out all the inside corners.



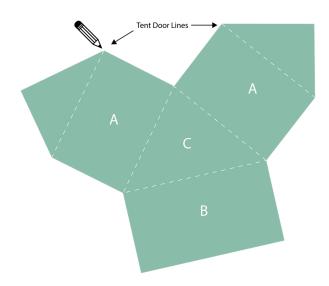
6. Turn the tent shape RSO using a point turner for best results. Do NOT press with your iron yet or you will fuse the tent together prematurely.



- 7. Next, cut out the following shapes and sizes from the Extra Firm Bag Stabilizer for the Tent inserts as follows:
  - (2) 9 1/2" x 14" rectangles (Label as A)
  - (1) 10" x 17" rectangle (Label as B)
  - (1) triangle 11" tall x 17" wide at the base (Label as C)



**8.** Using your quilting ruler and a pencil, drawn the following lines from corner to corner as shown:



- 9. Using a coordinating thread color, stitch along the (2) Tent door lines. Insert an A-rectangle stabilizer piece into both side panels of the tent. Push the pieces right to the seam allowance line and check that they are laying flat inside and do not overlap with the center triangle seam. If any adjustments need to be made, pull out the piece and trim as needed. Once both A-rectangles are positioned correctly, press with an iron to fuse them to the tent. This will prevent them from shifting in the next steps. You can also press the door flap sections at this time. DO NOT press the rest of the tent yet.
- **10.** Sew a seam on both sides of the TOP part of the main triangle body as shown.



- 11. Next repeat step 9 instructions to insert the triangle stabilizer into the main triangle part of the tent. Fit the stabilizer against the step 10 seams and fit and trim the insert as necessary. Once fitted, press in place.
- **12.** Again, sew a seam on the bottom side of the main triangle.





13. Insert the final B-rectangle stabilizer into the rectangle section of the tent. Adjust and fit as necessary. Press and hand sew the opening closed.



**14.** Fold the tent to the correct shape and hand sew the top and bottom edges closed with an invisible ladder stitch.



**Note:** The door flaps will remain loose and movable.

## YOUR FOX DOLL TENT IS COMPLETE!

**15.** Repeat this process with the circle firepit base. Backing with lining fabric, sew RST, turn and insert stabilzer. Hand-stitch the opening closed.



### TO MAKE THE DOLL SLEEPING BAG:

16. Layout the precut sleeping bag shape onto the lining fabric with RST. Pin and cut out the lining using the prepared outer tent as a pattern piece. Repeat and cut out (1) batting piece from the main sleeping bag shape pattern.



17. Pin or spray baste the batting the the wrong side of the sleeping bag front with the fusible fleece side facing out. DO NOT fuse the fleece to the front (it will be fused to the lining after turning). Quilt as desired.



- **18.** Fold the long part of the quilted sleeping bag front in half lengthwise with RST. Sew the top edge as shown to close the sleeping bag hood.
- **19.** Open the sleeping bag flat and pin and sew the top of the sleeping bag hood as shown.



- **20.** Repeat step 18 and 19 with the lining to form the hood.
- 21. Next, layout the quilted sleeping bag front and lining pieces RST. Pin and sew around the perimeter using a 1/4" seam allowance. Ensure that your stitchline is slightly inside the drawn panel stitchline. Leave an opening for turning.



**22.** Using a small pair of scissors, carefully clip around the perimeter of the entire seam allowance and notch out all the inside corners.



23. Turn the Sleeping Bag shape RSO using a point turner for best results. Press the entire Sleeping Bag to fuse the quilted front to the line.



24. Hand sew the opening closed. In addition, hand sew the bottom opening and 1/3 up the side of the sleeping bag closed with a whip stitch on the INSIDE lining of the sleeping bag.



YOUR FOREST FRIEND SLEEPING BAG
IS COMPLETE!



# S'MORES, FOX & FLAME PIECES

1. Match the prepared remaing shapes RST. Pin and sew around each shape leaving an opening for turning.



- 2. Using a small pair of scissors, carefully clip around the perimeter of the entire seam allowance and notch out all the inside corners.
- **3.** Turn the shapes RSO using a point turner for best results.
- **4.** Gently stuff each piece with a chopstick or knitting needle to make sure all the corners are filled with stuffing.







**5.** Hand stitch all the openings closed using an invisible stitch.



#### CAMPFIRE

**6.** To finish the campfire, pin and hand sew the flames to the center top of the prepared campfire base.



#### YOUR FOX DOLL TENT & SLEEPING BAG SET IS COMPLETE!

Hug and enjoy!!! Why not make a couple of matching Fox Doll panels for hours of imaginative play?!!!

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