



Needle Felted Snowman

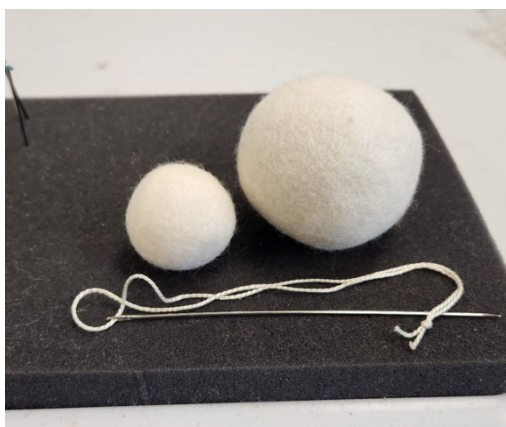


Materials: (Included)

1 large felted ball
1 small felted ball
1 package of white wool
1 package of 2 complimentary colors of wool for a scarf and/or hat
1 package of mixed colors (black/eyes and mouth, orange/nose, pink/cheek coloring)
Heavy duty string

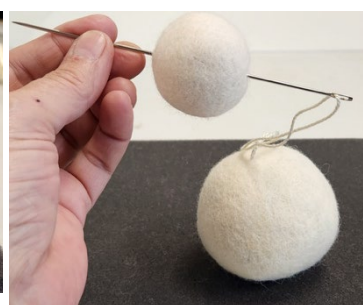
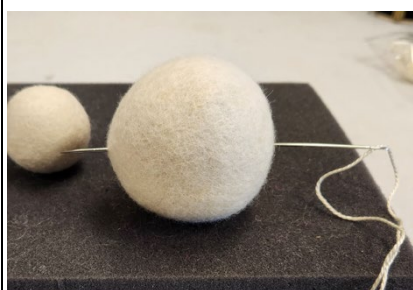
Tools: (Included)

1 40-gauge felting needle
1 38-gauge felting needle
1 large doll needle
1 small felting mat



Building the Body

1. Thread the large doll needle with enclosed string and knot the two ends together.



2. Starting at the bottom of the large ball run the doll needle through the center of the large ball and out at the top, place the smaller ball on the needle and run the string through to the top of the head. Cut the string at the eye of the needle to allow for tying a double knot. Trim the string



Applying the wool

1. Using the 38-gauge needle and the provided white wool pull one narrow strip of wool and wrap around the area between the two balls needling that piece to both the head and the body thoroughly.



2. Begin covering the body and head of your snow man. Using a small thin layer of wool at a time and working in sections, place the wool on and area and needle it down thoroughly with the 38-gauge needle. Take your time, make sure all the white wool covering is smooth and even across the entire snowman. To completely cover the head and body will use most of the white wool provided

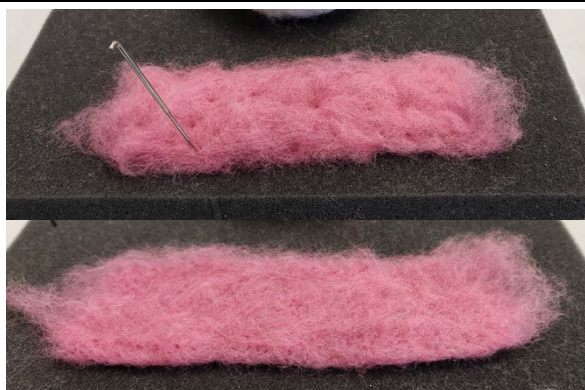


Creating the Scarf and Hat

1. The smaller of the two complimentary wool colors is suggested for the scarf.
2. Pull a narrow, long strip of wool and wrap around the neck crossing it over itself, leaving two "tails" of the scarf to felt down to the body.
3. Once you are satisfied with how the scarf is positioned, felt that down as you did in step one of "Applying the Wool" section.



4. The larger of the two complimentary colors is suggested for the hat.
5. Pull a section of wool approximately 6 inches long by 2.5 inches wide, enough to go around the head.



6. Fold in half widthwise and felt on your mat, turning it over multiple times and felting both sides. Make sure that one edge is felted in a nice clean line to place around the forehead of the snowman.

***TIP!** If you have a Clover "Punch" tool or multi-needle tool, they will speed up this step!



7. Wrap the felted wool around the head and tack it to the head leaving the top part open.
8. Fold the back half of the upper edge of the hat to the center of the head and felt it to the top of the head, repeat this at the front and both sides of the hat.
9. Create a small ball out of the scarf color and place it in the center of the hat



Creating the Face (Use the 40G Needle for the remaining steps)

1. Take two **very small** pinches of light pink wool and place on each cheek area then felt into place.



2. Take two small equal portions of black and roll each between your fingers to create a small black ball, position this just above and to the inside of the pink cheeks and felt into place. Once the black eyes are in place take two equal portions of white fiber (very small) and make white "glints" in the eyes
3. Felt a small orange circle for the nose.



4. Create the mouth by creating a very fine black line of wool or alternately the traditional coal chunks type mouth by making small black balls and forming the mouth.



5. Make two or three small balls for buttons down the middle of the body.



Finishing

Options for final steps: Glue your snowman to the included wooden disk using E6000 glue or hot glue, or using the doll needle and cording of your choice (ribbon, yarn, fishing line) run a loop of cording from the bottom of the body up through the head and back down and tie a knot to create an ornament for your Christmas Tree.

Where do I purchase More Wool & Supplies?

For most needle felting projects, we recommend our core wool and "MicroBattz" short fiber felting wool.

Fibers Of My Soul and Wooleyboogers Felt Creations now carry a wide variety of felting and spinning fibers, needle and wet felting tools and felting kits! If you would like to purchase fiber or felting tools for this and other projects, please contact us:

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