## Instructions for No-Sew Blankets

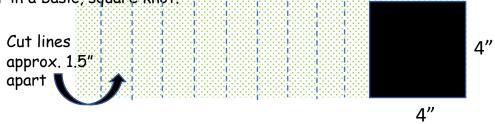


## Basic Guidelines:

- You will need a total of 2.5 yards of minky fabric each blanket. Minky is a
  one-sided fabric so you will use (2) 1.25 yard pieces and tie them
  together back-to-back. Please use two different minky fabrics that
  coordinate.
- Minky is available in several patterns and colors at most fabric stores.
   Take advantage of any possible sales, discounts and/or store coupons!
- Our target age for kids is 5-12 years old. Try to use patterns/colors that are as age appropriate and gender neutral as possible.
- You will need a pair of fabric scissors to cut the fabric. If you need to borrow a pair, let us know!

## Cutting and tying the fabric:

- Line up your two pieces of fabric back-to back so that both soft sides will be facing out.
- Spread out the fabric on a clean, dry surface and and line up the edges.
   You may need to trim your fabric pieces so that they are the same size.
   You will be cutting both pieces of fabric at the same time.
- Cut out a 4 inch x 4 inch square section out of
   each corner of the fabric.
- Cut slits on all sides of the blanket that are 4 inches long and approximately 1.5 inches apart.
- Once you cut around all 4 sides of the blanket, tie the slits of the two pieces of fabric together in a basic, square knot.



 Please DO NOT wash the fabric. Some minky fabrics can be quite messy when cut, but that's ok. We will wash all blankets before they are distributed.

If you have any questions, please contact us at cozycratesorg@gmail.com

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR HELP!