

DIRECTIONS FOR BIG MOUTH PUPPET

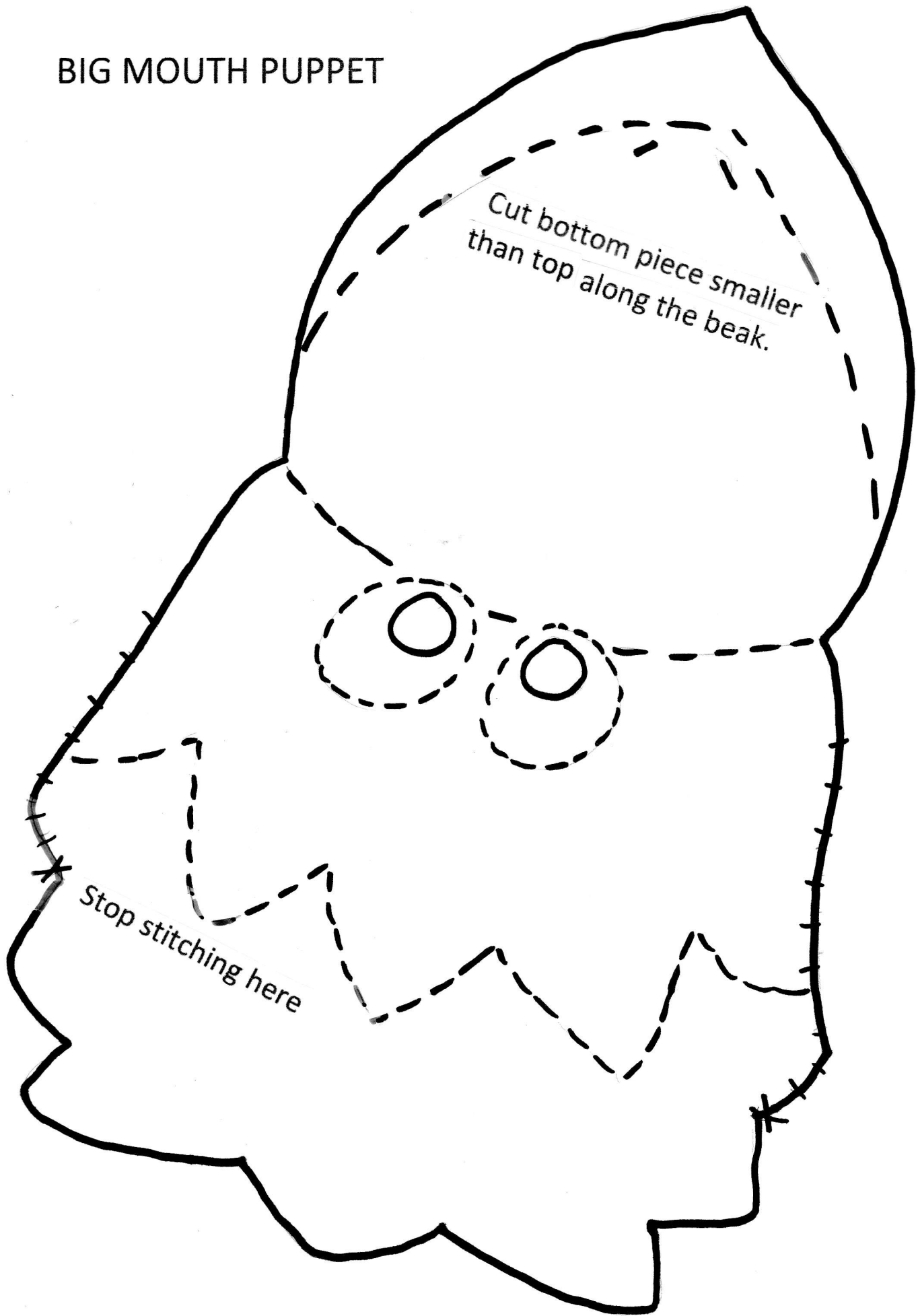
The top portion of this Big Mouth puppet is slightly larger than the bottom portion, only around the beak. This makes it easier to handle when on a child's hand.

When assembling the puppet, stitch all small pieces to the puppet first. Next, pin the inside of the mouth to the top and bottom pieces of the puppet. When that is done, pin the sides together.

Stitching this puppet is different from the animal puppets although the potholder stitch remains the same. Stitch the mouth to the body with the mouth open, that way you won't accidentally sew the mouth shut! When stitching the sides closed, you must stop at the point indicated to leave room for the hand to easily move in and out.

Because this is a fantasy critter, bright contrasting colors of thread are appropriate.

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Cut bottom piece smaller than top along the beak.

Stop stitching here

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