

# Loops & Threads®

## Needle Felting-Chicken

Sku#773653



Time: 5 hours



### SUPPLY LIST

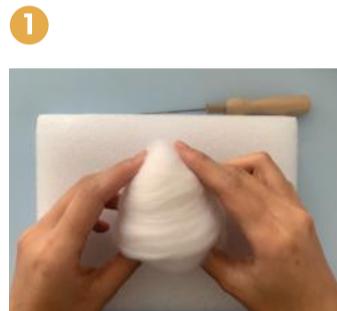
Kit includes: Orange Wool×1 Blue Wool×1 Pink Wool×1 Green Wool×1 Yellow Wool×1 White Wool×2 Purple Wool×1 Black Wool×1 Red Wool×1 Instructions

Additional supplies needed: felting Needle, scissors, thick foam block or sponge, silicone finger tip covers to protect fingers.

### BEFORE YOU BEGIN

Before starting, read all the instructions and prepare the necessary tools. Wear silicone finger tip covers to avoid accidental injuries.

### INSTRUCTIONS



Body: Take approximately half of the white wool and roll it into a cone shape, this will be the front part of the chicken's body.



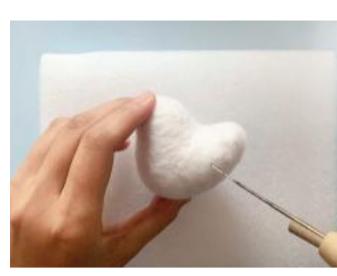
Use needle to poke all around the outside of the white wool evenly, until it is shaped into an egg shape. It should be narrower at the top and wider at the bottom.



Take some white wool and divide it into two equal parts, these will serve as the tail of the chicken.



Use a needle to attach the front part of the body and the tail sections of wool together.



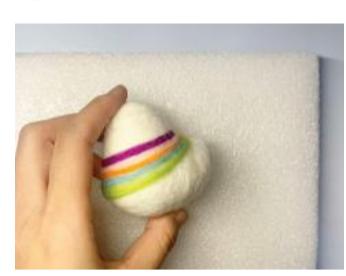
Continue to poke the white wool until it forms the shape of a chicken as shown in the picture.



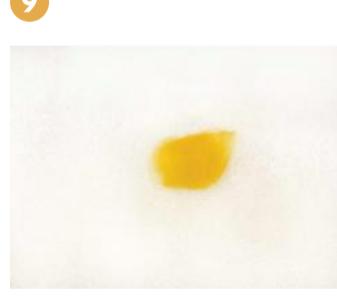
Clothing: Take a small piece of purple wool and make it into a long thin strip.



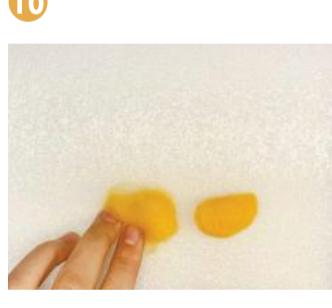
Wrap the purple wool around the chicken's body and use the needle to secure the purple strip.



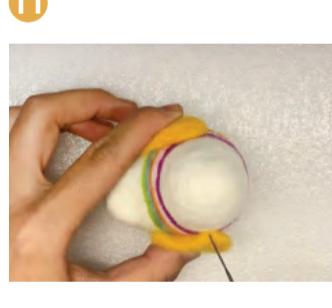
Take out pink, orange, blue, and green wool sequentially, repeat steps 6-7, and wrap the chicken's body according to the illustration shown.



Chicken wings: Take a small amount of yellow wool, pull, curl, and stab it into the shape of a chicken wing.



Repeat step 9 to complete the other wing.



Individually stab the two wings with a needle into the sides of the chicken until they are firmly attached.



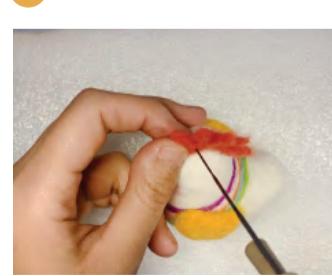
Chicken's face: Take a small amount of yellow wool, pull, curl and stab it into the shape of the chicken's beak.



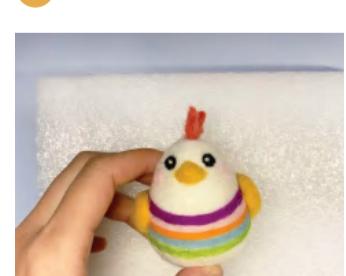
Attach the chicken's beak to the face with a needle.



Take a small amount of red wool, divide it into five pieces, and make them into different sizes of petal shapes. Then use a needle to combine them and form the shape of a chicken comb.



Use a needle to fix the chicken comb on top of the chicken's head.



Roll a tiny amount of black wool into a loose ball and felt it onto the face, using your needle to bring in the edges and create a circle. You can also use the same method to pull out a small amount of white and pink wool to add blush to the chicken's face and highlight to the eyes.

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Finish.

## TIPS & TRICKS

1. Stab vertically to compress the wool.
2. Stab at 45 degree angle to attach 2 items together.
3. Stab horizontally or 180 degrees to blend 2 pieces together. Remember to leave some untied wool at the joined end so that the two pieces of wool can be tightly connected together.
4. The barbed needle compresses the wool fibers together. Stab the needle into the wool slowly. Ensure the needle goes through all layers of wool, but not too deep into the pad.
5. Change the side you're felting often to avoid felting into the pad.
6. If there is a lump, or the wool is not smooth, continue to stab the wool. When trying to form a shape, stab to compress the wool into the shape.
7. Use foam as a work surface for safety. Needles should always be straight up and down to avoid being bent or broken.
8. For safety, keep fingers away from needle points.

## WARNINGS

### CHOKING HAZARD.

Not suitable for children under 3 years of age due to small parts. Finished product is not safe for under 3's as small parts pose a choking hazard. Keep away from children under 3 years.



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