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Fabric Requirements: 14" x 20" Cuddle[®] 3 Sunshine for Pencil Body 8" x 10" piece Cuddle[®] 3 Graphite for Pencil Tip 8" x 18" piece Cuddle[®] 3 Beige for Pencil Wood 5" x 18" piece Cuddle[®] 3 Silver for Metal Band 6" x 24" piece Cuddle[®] 3 Bubblegum for Eraser Band & End

Suggested Notions: Polyester thread 90/14 Stretch needle Walking foot Long, flower-head pins Hand sewing needle 16 oz bag Poly-Fil fiberfill 45mm rotary cutter & cutting mat Micro-serrated scissors



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Cutting Instructions:

Use patterns and a ballpoint or felt tip pen to trace Pencil Wood, Pencil Tip, and Eraser End patterns on the wrong side of the appropriate colors of Cuddle[®].

Transfer markings and cut out using micro serrated scissors.

Use a rotary cutter and acrylic ruler to cut out: Pencil Body: one 12 1/2" tall x 15" wide Metal Band: one 3 1/2" tall x 15" wide Eraser Band: one 4 1/2" tall x 15" wide

Assembly Instructions:

1. Pin Pencil Tip to Pencil Wood, right sides together, along curved edge. Pin at each end first, then subdivide until pinned at approximately half-inch intervals. Ease in as needed.

2. Sew with a 1/4" seam allowance at 3-4mm stitch length. Make sure to use your walking foot to help it feed through the machine easily.

3. Finger press seam open. Set aside.

4. Lay out Body and Bands as shown: Pencil Body Metal Band Eraser Band



5. Sew each band to the next with a 1/4" seam allowance and finger press open.

6. Pin Pencil Tip/Wood piece to long edge of Pencil Body piece, matching ends and easing in as needed. Sew with 1/4" seam allowance.

7. Fold pieced band in half, matching seams. Pin in place, being careful to pin at seams. Mark a 3" space to leave as an opening to turn your pencil.

8. Sew together as shown, leaving a gap. By sewing right angles at gap, it will turn easier and pull in your seam allowance for easier hand sewing, but leave inside out for now.



9. Using a pen or marking pencil, mark quarters at each end of the Eraser Band to help match while sewing.

10. Pin Eraser End to Eraser Band, matching marks on circle to quarter marks. Pin from both sides to help it lay flat.

11. Sew carefully around entire end. Check seam to make sure it caught evenly all the way around the circle.

12. Sew with 1/4" seam allowance and finger press seam open.

13. Turn entire pencil right side out through gap (see Step 8) in Pencil Body piece.

14. Stuff with fiberfill as desired. Do not over-stuff and stretch the fabric; Cuddle[®] requires less stuffing than cotton.

15. Pin gap and use a ladder stitch to hand-sew it closed.

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