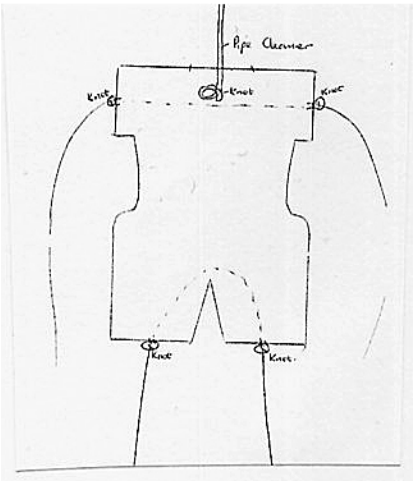
To make 'Dingly Dangly' Figure.

1. **Stitch body part as described on pattern sheet. Turn inside out and insert thick string or cord through little holes in arms and legs. Use a big eyed needle. Tie knots as close as possible to body. Stuff. Tie knot in end of pipe cleaner and insert this into neck opening. Stitch firmly across opening.**



2. **Prepare head by pushing knitting needle through head from top to bottom. A size 8 works well!**
3. **Mark eyes, nose and mouth. Apply beard, eyebrows and moustache with small amount of pva glue. Put it on fabric. Leave to dry.**
4. **Stitch jacket across shoulders and down sides. (no need to turn) Sew on beads for buttons and make small slits for buttonholes.**
5. **Stitch border on hat. Stitch side seam leaving small hole at top.**
6. **Stitch on stitching lines of mitts and boots leaving open at top. Stuff very slightly.**
7. **Thread beads on to arm and leg string. Tie a knot below last bead on each string. Add another knot at each end of string.**
8. **Put the end knots into mitts and boots and stitch firmly across the tops of each.**
9. **Put jacket on to figure, fasten buttons and wrap black belt around waist. Stitch on yellow 'buckle'.**
10. **Push pipe cleaner through head and hole in hat. Fold back and push end of pipe cleaner through hole in hat and then twist.**

(For short workshops such as at F of Q, I have prepared the body part and part of the head.)

Requirements

Black fabric for body. 2 x 7” x 5”

Red felt for jacket, hat and boots Black felt for boots and belt.

Yellow scrap for buckle.

Strip of white for hat band.

Large beads for arms and legs.

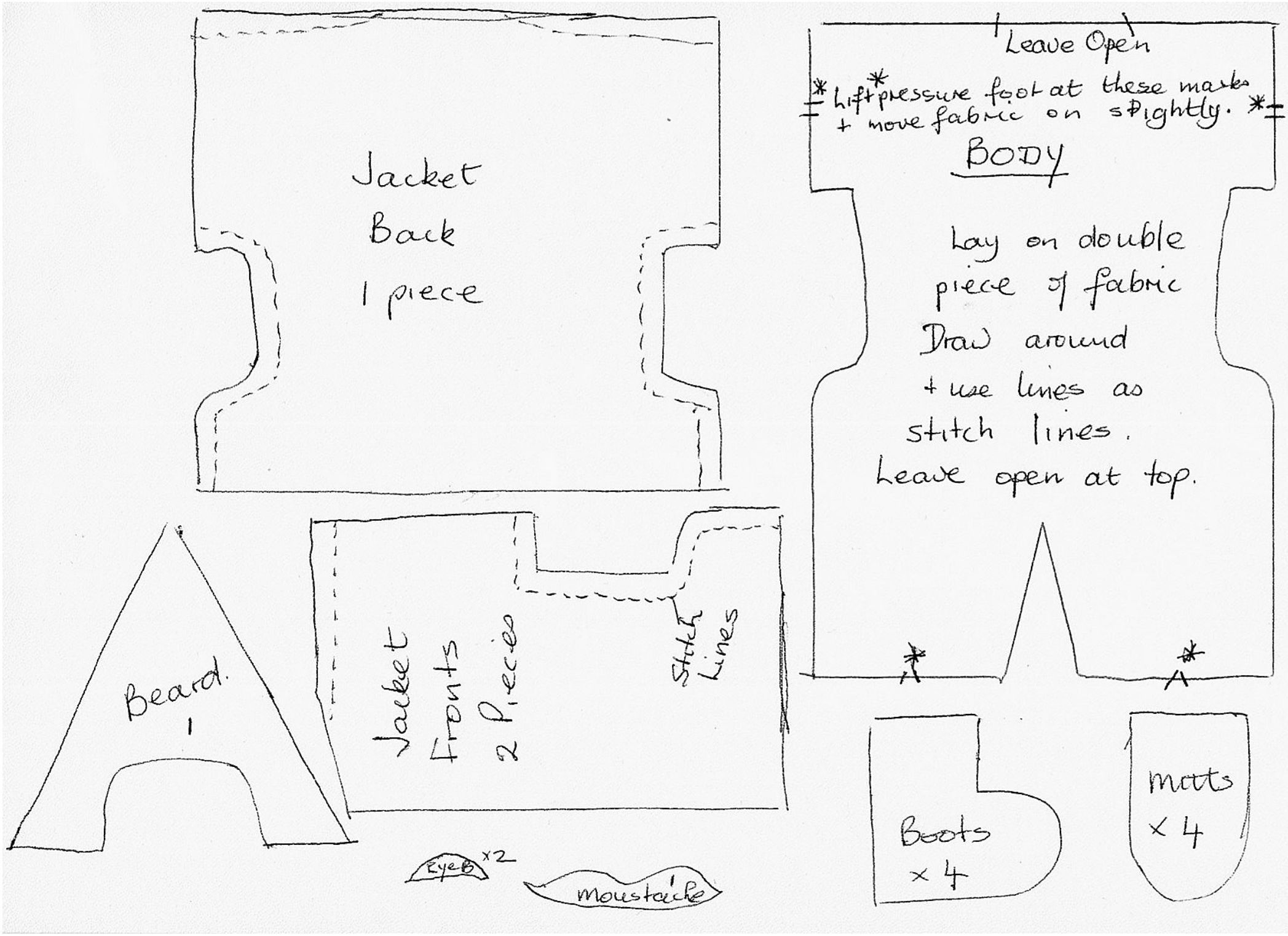
String (I have used about 16” lengths but this will depend on bead size.)

Long pipe cleaner.

Polystyrene head. These can be coloured with emulsion paint. A tester pot is good)

Felt tip pens for face markings.

(This project can be adapted to make other figures by changing the colour of the body and creating other outfits.)


Jacket
Back
1 piece
Leave Open
* lift pressure foot at these marks + move fabric on slightly. *
BODY
Lay on double piece of fabric
Draw around
+ use lines as
stitch lines.
Leave open at top.
Beard
1
Jacket
Fronts
2 Pieces
Stitch Lines
Boots
x 4
Mitts
x 4
Eyeb x2
Moustache