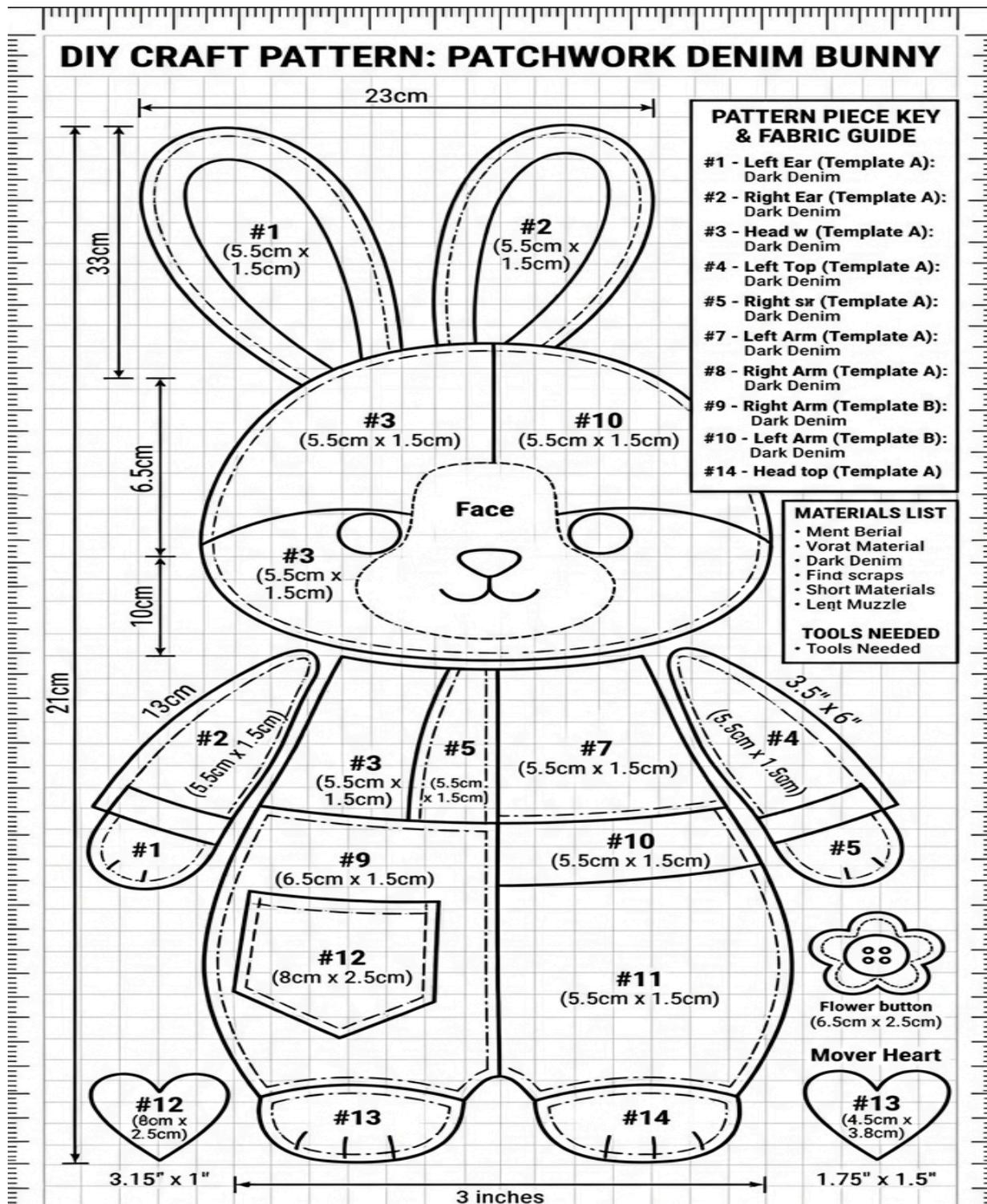


This PDF provides a complete guide to creating a “**Bunny with a Denim Patch Pattern**”, a handcrafted patchwork plush made from denim fabric. The design combines multiple fabric pieces to create a charming bunny with textured details, visible seams, and decorative elements such as a pocket, flower button, and heart appliqué.

The finished bunny measures approximately **33 cm in height (ears included)** and **23 cm in width (ear span)**, making it ideal as a decorative item or handmade gift.



**INSTRUCTIONS & SEWING TIPS:**

**STEP 1:** Cut out all paper template pieces.

**STEP 2:** Pin templates to denim scraps and cut. Use different denim washes for variation.

**STEP 3:** Lay out the pieces to check position.

**STEP 4:** Embroider the face (eyes, nose, mouth) onto the felt face piece.

**STEP 5:** Sew the pieces together using a whipstitch or blanket stitch.

**STEP 6:** Use contrasting brown thread for visible seams.

**STEP 7:** Add details: bow tie, flower button, and leg cuff details.

**TIP:** Reinforce stress points like where arms and ears meet the body.

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## Finished Dimensions

- **Total Height (including ears):** 33 cm
- **Body Height (head to feet):** 21 cm
- **Head Height:** 10 cm
- **Upper Head Section:** 6.5 cm
- **Ear Length:** 13 cm
- **Ear Width (approx.):** 5.5 cm
- **Body Width:** 3 inches (approx. 7.6 cm for lower base section)

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## Materials List

- Dark denim fabric (various washes recommended for patchwork effect)
- Felt (for face details)
- Scrap fabric pieces
- Thread (preferably contrasting, e.g., brown)
- Stuffing material
- Decorative button (flower shape, approx. 6.5 cm x 2.5 cm)
- Fabric for heart appliqué (approx. 4.5 cm x 3.8 cm)

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## Tools Needed

- Fabric scissors

- Pins or clips
  - Sewing needle or sewing machine
  - Embroidery needle
  - Measuring ruler
  - Fabric marker or chalk
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## Pattern Piece Key

Each piece in the pattern is labeled and corresponds to a specific section of the bunny:

- **#1:** Left Ear (Template A) – Dark denim
- **#2:** Right Ear (Template A) – Dark denim
- **#3:** Head and upper face sections (Template A) – Dark denim
- **#4:** Left upper arm (Template A) – Dark denim
- **#5:** Right upper arm (Template A) – Dark denim
- **#7:** Left arm lower section (Template A) – Dark denim
- **#8:** Right arm lower section (Template A) – Dark denim
- **#9:** Left leg upper section (Template B) – Dark denim
- **#10:** Right leg upper section (Template B) – Dark denim
- **#11:** Lower body panel – Dark denim
- **#12:** Pocket and heart appliqué pieces
- **#13 & #14:** Feet sections
- **Face Panel:** Central facial area (felt recommended)

Most patch segments follow a **standard strip size of 5.5 cm x 1.5 cm**, creating the signature patchwork look.

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## Cutting Instructions

1. Print and cut all template pieces according to the pattern layout.
  2. Transfer each template onto the denim fabric using chalk or marker.
  3. Cut carefully along the outer lines, including seam allowances where indicated.
  4. Prepare multiple strips measuring **5.5 cm x 1.5 cm** for patchwork sections.
  5. Cut decorative elements:
    - Pocket: 8 cm x 2.5 cm
    - Heart: 4.5 cm x 3.8 cm
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## Assembly Layout

Before sewing, arrange all pieces on a flat surface:

- Position ears symmetrically above the head.
- Align head panels (#3 and #10) to form the full face area.
- Place arm pieces (#4, #5, #7, #8) on each side of the body.
- Arrange leg panels (#9, #10, #11) and feet (#13, #14).
- Attach the pocket (#12) to the left leg area.

This step ensures proper placement and balance before permanent stitching.

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## Face Details

- Use felt for the face base.
- Embroider the eyes, nose, and mouth using embroidery thread.
- The face should be centered within the head panel.

- Keep stitches neat and slightly raised for a handmade look.
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## Sewing Instructions

1. **Ears:**  
Sew inner and outer ear pieces together, turn right side out, and lightly stuff if desired.
  2. **Head:**  
Join patchwork strips to form the head panels. Attach the face panel before assembling the full head.
  3. **Body:**  
Sew together all torso pieces, including upper and lower sections. Add the pocket before closing seams.
  4. **Arms and Legs:**  
Stitch each limb separately, turn inside out, and lightly fill with stuffing.
  5. **Assembly:**  
Attach ears to the head. Sew arms and legs to the body, ensuring even placement.
  6. **Final Closure:**  
Join front and back body panels, leaving a small opening for stuffing. Fill evenly and close with a hidden stitch.
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## Decorative Elements

- **Pocket (#12):** Attach to the front leg panel with visible stitching.
  - **Flower Button:** Sew onto the body or near the ear for decoration.
  - **Heart Appliqué (#13):** Place on the body or leg area as desired.
  - Use contrasting thread to highlight seams and enhance the patchwork aesthetic.
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## Sewing Tips

- Use a **whipstitch** or **blanket stitch** for visible seams.
  - Reinforce stress points such as:
    - Ear-to-head connection
    - Arm and leg joints
  - Mix denim shades for a richer patchwork appearance.
  - Press seams lightly for a cleaner finish.
  - Avoid overstuffing to maintain shape and flexibility.
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## Final Notes

This denim patchwork bunny is highly customizable. You can experiment with different fabric tones, textures, and embellishments to create a unique handmade piece. The combination of structured pattern pieces and creative assembly makes this project suitable for both beginners and experienced crafters.

Enjoy the process and personalize your bunny to make it truly one of a kind!