



# Artful Thinking

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## Cosplay Beard



**Materials:** Base fabric, different coloured yarns, scissors, markers, hot glue gun.

Take the fabric you have chosen to use as the base of the beard and hold it up to your face.

Using a marker, draw a line where your ear meets the side of your face, repeat on other side. Then cut out those lines, just enough so you can pull your ears through.



When the fabric is on your face, use the marker again to draw along your jaw line, and under your cheek bones, then under your nose, then around your lips.

Lay the fabric on a flat surface and using sharp scissors cut out the outlines you made. Keep trying it on to see if you need to trim it anywhere.

Now choose the different (or same) coloured yarns you would like to use and measure out the size you think you will need. Double them and cut.

You can wrap them around your fingers to help with cutting multiple pieces at once.





Now plug in the hot glue gun and lay out the yarn so it will be ready to glue onto the base fabric.

Then begin layering the yarn, we started at the base (jaw line) and built it up from there.

Keep adding as little or as much yarn as you want. We trimmed the beard and took turns putting it on and then off to trim. If you do choose to trim it while on we recommend getting an adult to help.



Yarn cosplay beards are fun to create and wear for any occasion!!