

"Puss in Boots" Block Pattern

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This pattern was released as part of the 2019 "Once Upon A Story" Row-Along.
It is for a row that finishes at 9" x 18". Please read all the instructions before beginning.



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Materials required:

12" x 10" of a grass green fabric
12" x 10" of a sky blue fabric
Coloured fabric scraps for appliqués
Fusible adhesive for appliqués, parchment paper,
Paper for paper-piecing

Construction:

I used Northcott fabrics for the background panel.

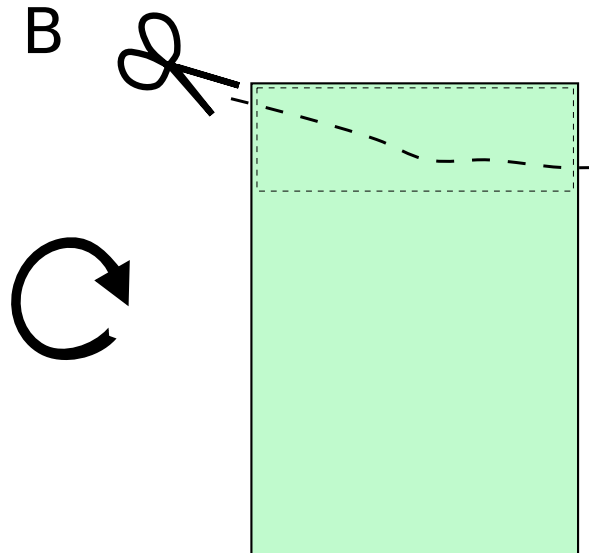
Fuse a 3" x 10" strip of paper-backed fusible adhesive to the reverse side of the top edge of the grass fabric (Step A). Flip the grass fabric so that the fusible is underneath. Cut a gently sloped horizon that fits within the fused adhesive area (Step B). Use the layout guide provided to guide the shape of your horizon if you wish, or create your own.

Remove backing paper from adhesive and fuse the green fabric to the sky blue fabric such that they are completely overlapping, to create a background panel 10" x >20" (Step C). Stitch along the join of the fabrics to strengthen the bond. Remove excess blue fabric from behind the green fabric to neaten the join.

A



B



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Construction continued:

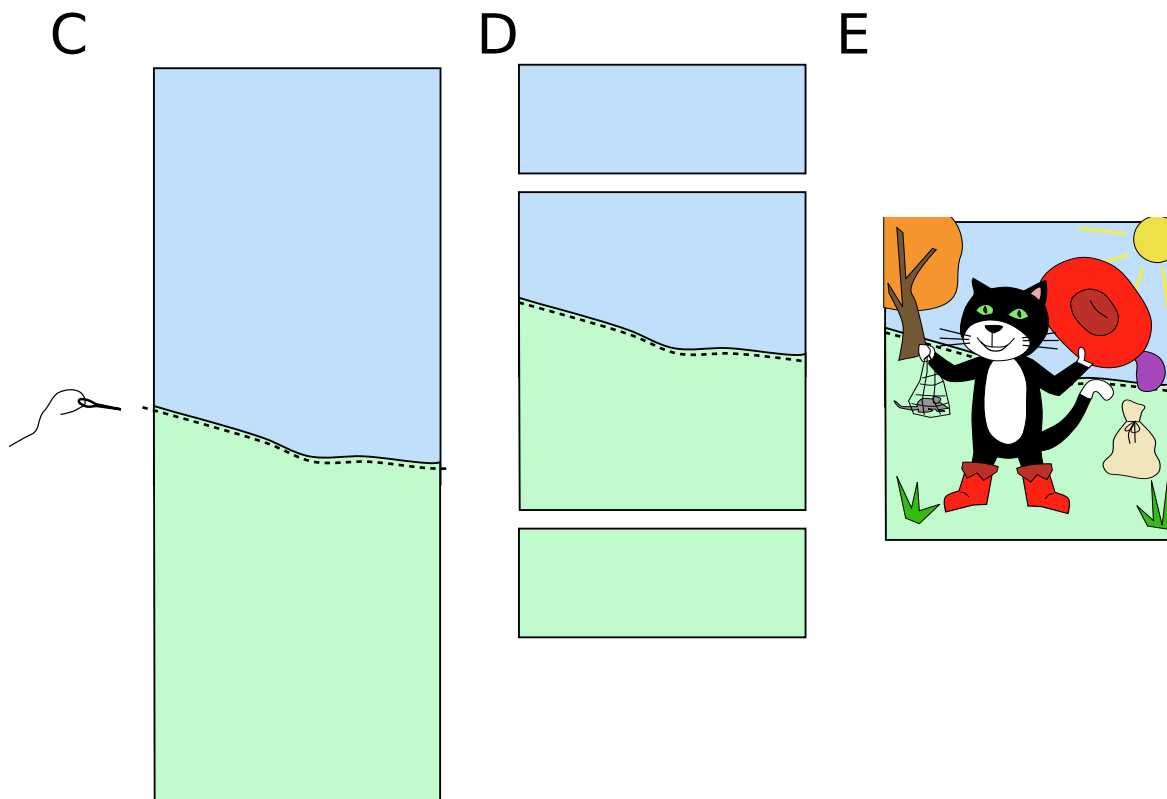
From this panel, cut a 9.5" by 10.75" rectangle for the centre appliqué (Step D). Make sure your horizon is positioned within your rectangle to your satisfaction before you cut. Keep the trimmings for the top and bottom appliqués.

Trace each appliqué shape directly onto paper-backed fusible adhesive. Trace reversed shapes only where specifically instructed to do so.

Fuse traced shapes to fabric scraps according to the instructions provided by your fusible adhesive manufacturer.

Build the Puss in Boots cat appliqué motif in the order indicated on Page 5 onto parchment paper. Transfer the completed appliqué collage to background panel along with the tree, grass, mouse and sun, and fuse to adhere. Secure the appliqués using your favourite appliqué method (Step E).

Note: Small appliqué details may be omitted and drawn onto the finished block with fabric marker or embroidered if preferred.



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Construction continued:

Create the triangle strips using the templates provided (Page 4) and your favourite paper-piecing method.

Sew top and bottom to your Puss in Boots appliqué panel (Step F).

From the trimmed green and blue fabrics cut:

one 3.75" x 9.5" rectangle of the sky blue fabric

one 3.25" x 9.5" rectangle of the grass green fabric

Sew to the top and bottom of the Puss in Boots panel respectively (Step G).

Trace, fuse, and cut out the appliqué shapes for the the partridges
ogre, rabbits and castle (Step H).

Position within the end rectangles, allowing for 1/4" seams. Fuse.

Secure all pieces by an edge stitching of your choice.

Add details such as mouse, eyes, whiskers and sack tie by embroidery.

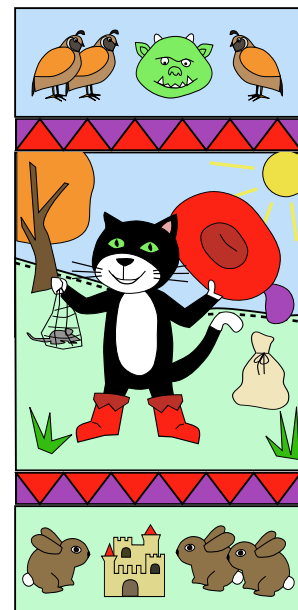
F



G



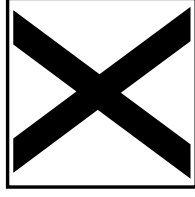
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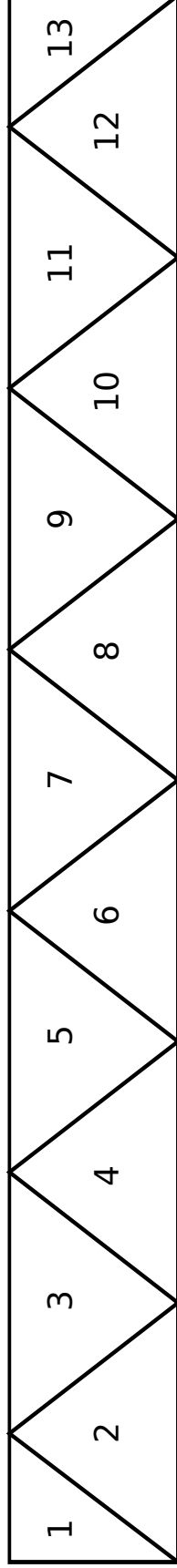
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Background construction continued: Paper-pieced panel templates Make one of each

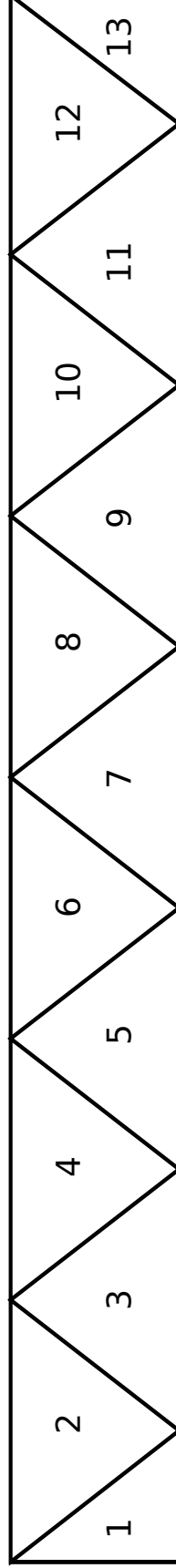


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Top Panel



Bottom Panel



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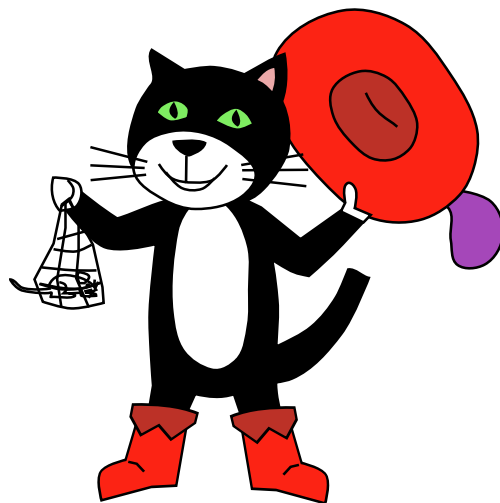
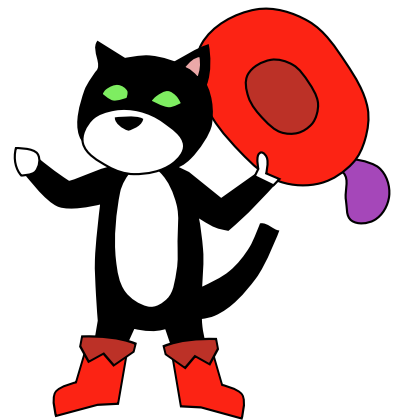
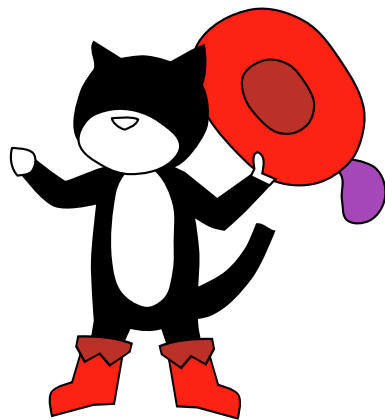
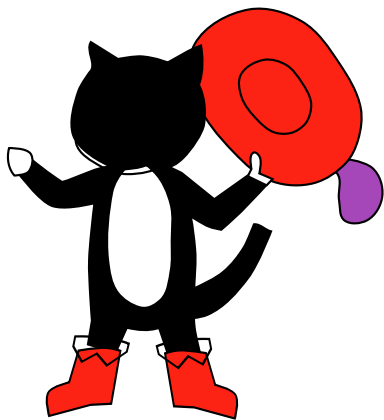
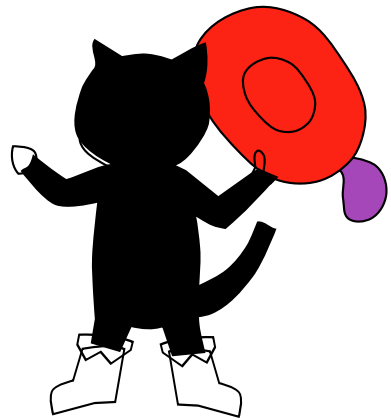
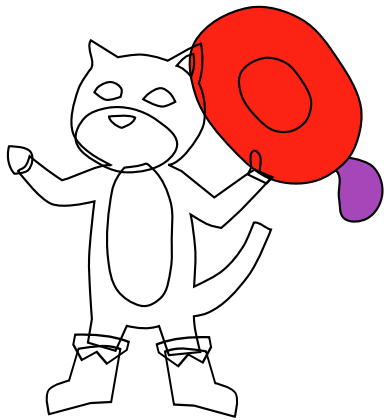
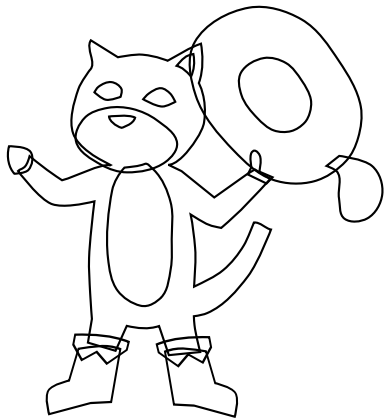
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Instructions for appliqué:

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Suggested build order

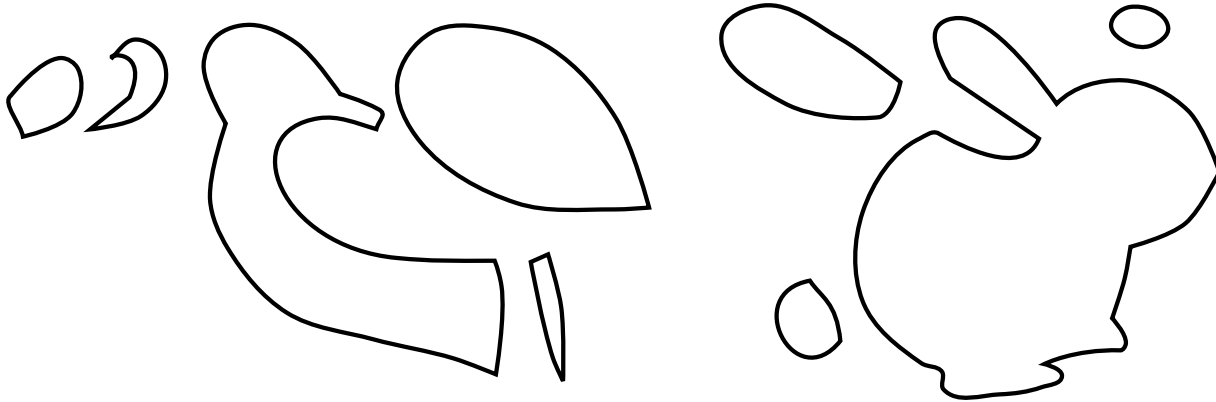


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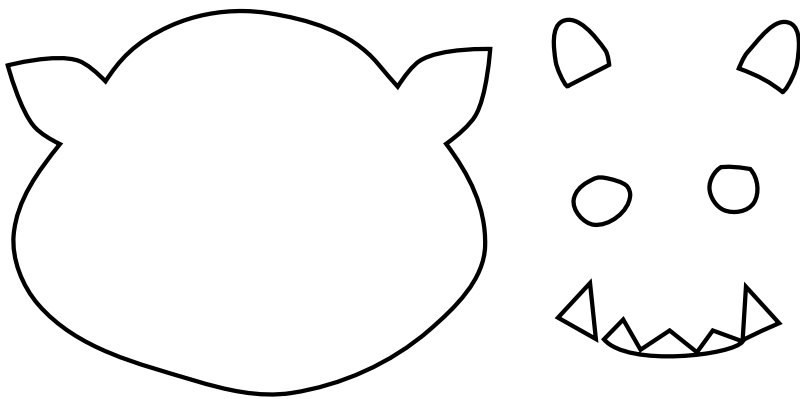
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Partridge and Rabbit Appliqué Shapes

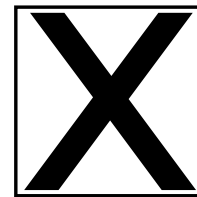
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Ogre Appliqué Shapes - one unchanged set

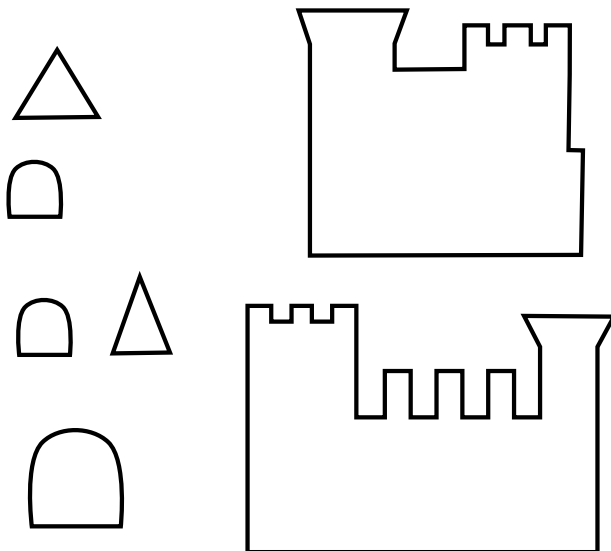


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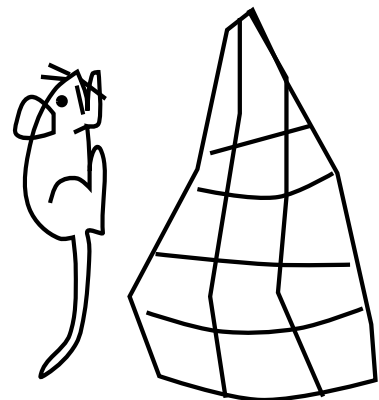


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Castle Appliqué Shapes - one unchanged set



Embroideries
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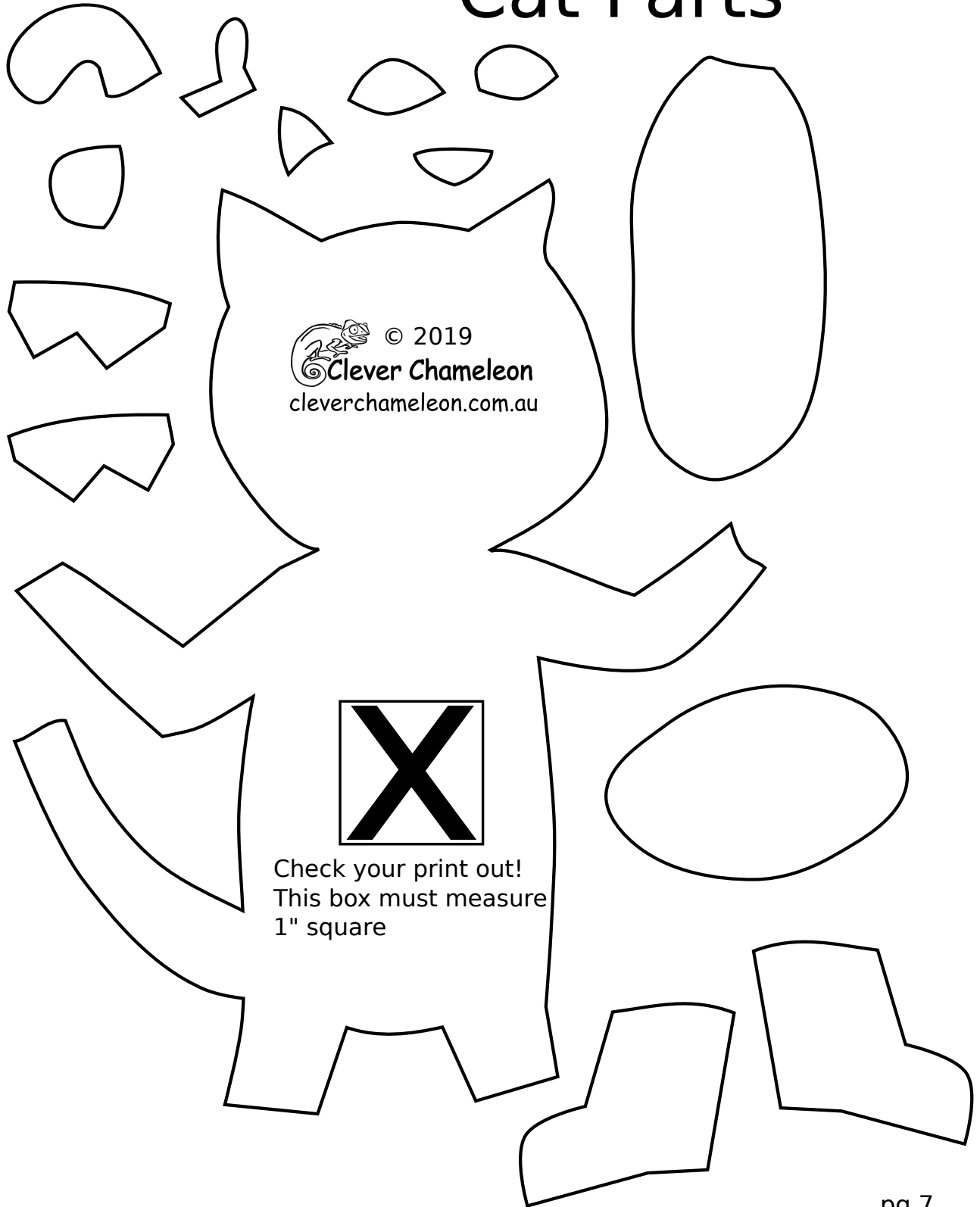
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Puss in Boots Appliqué Shapes

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Cat Parts



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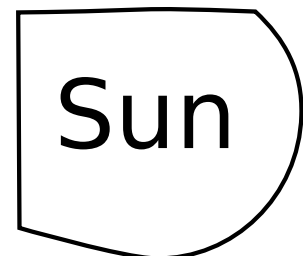
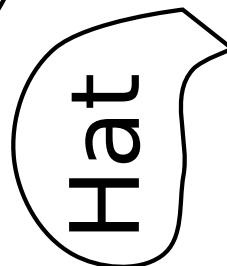
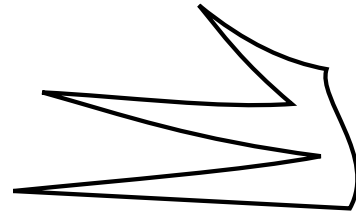
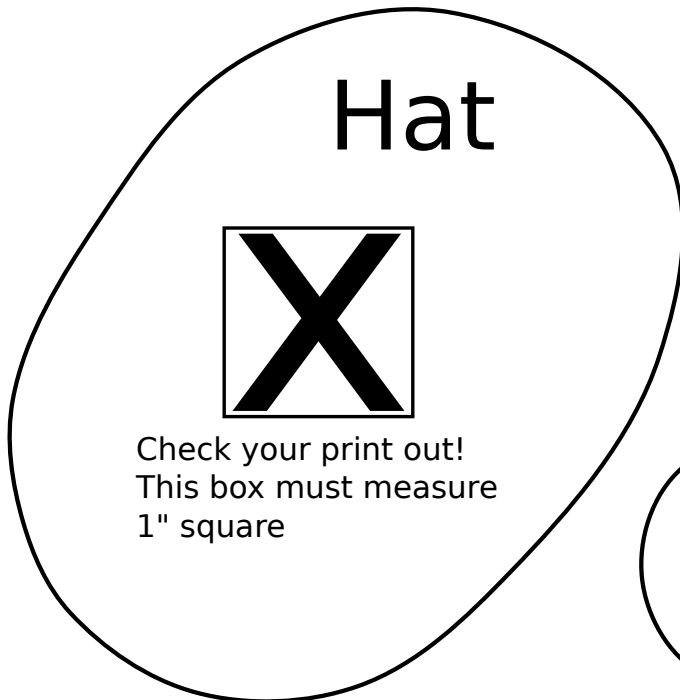
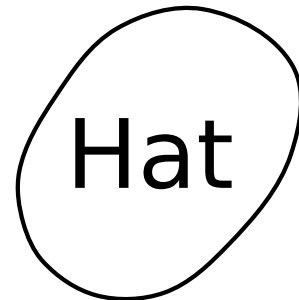
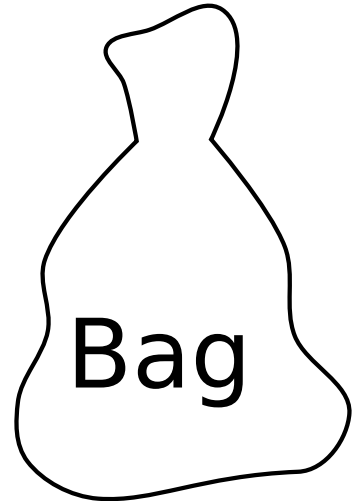
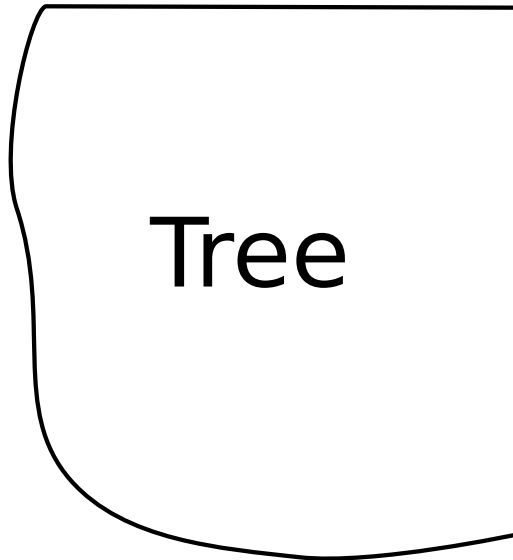
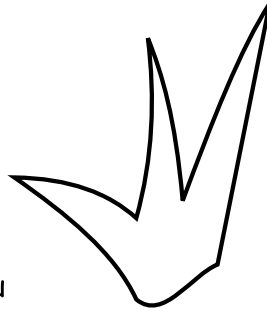
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Puss in Boots Appliqué Shapes

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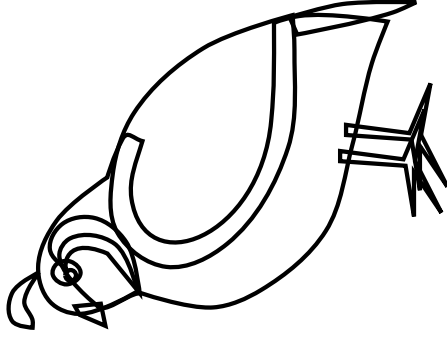
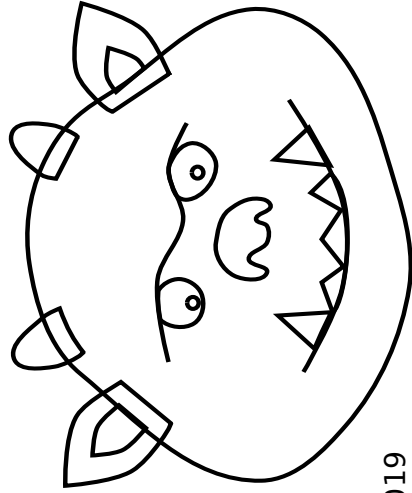
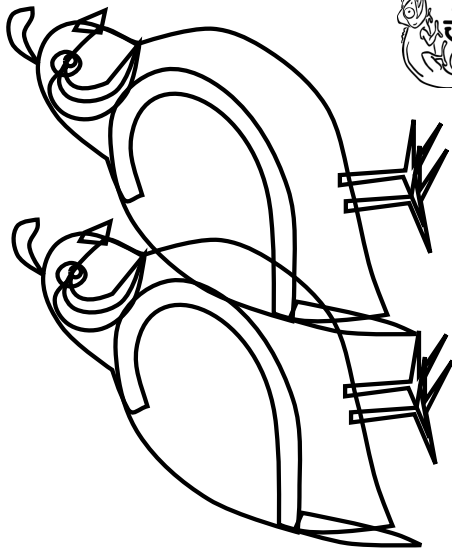


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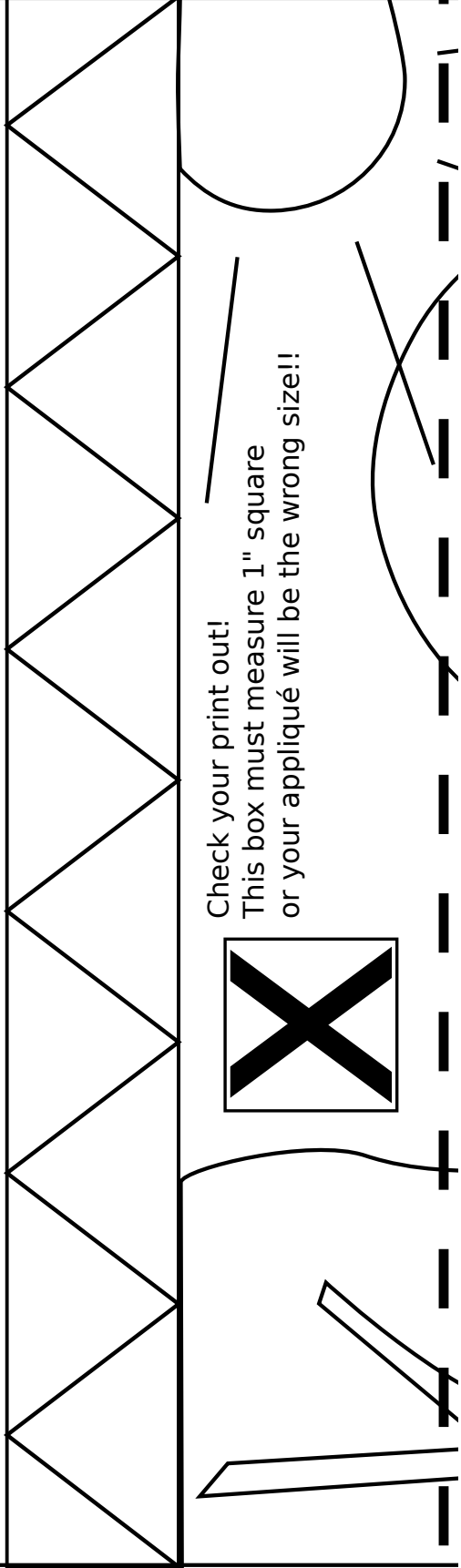


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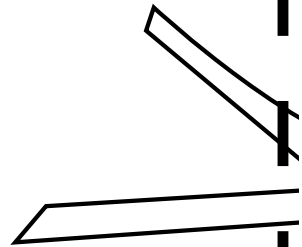
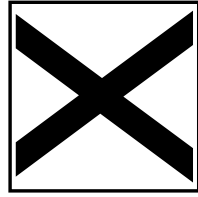
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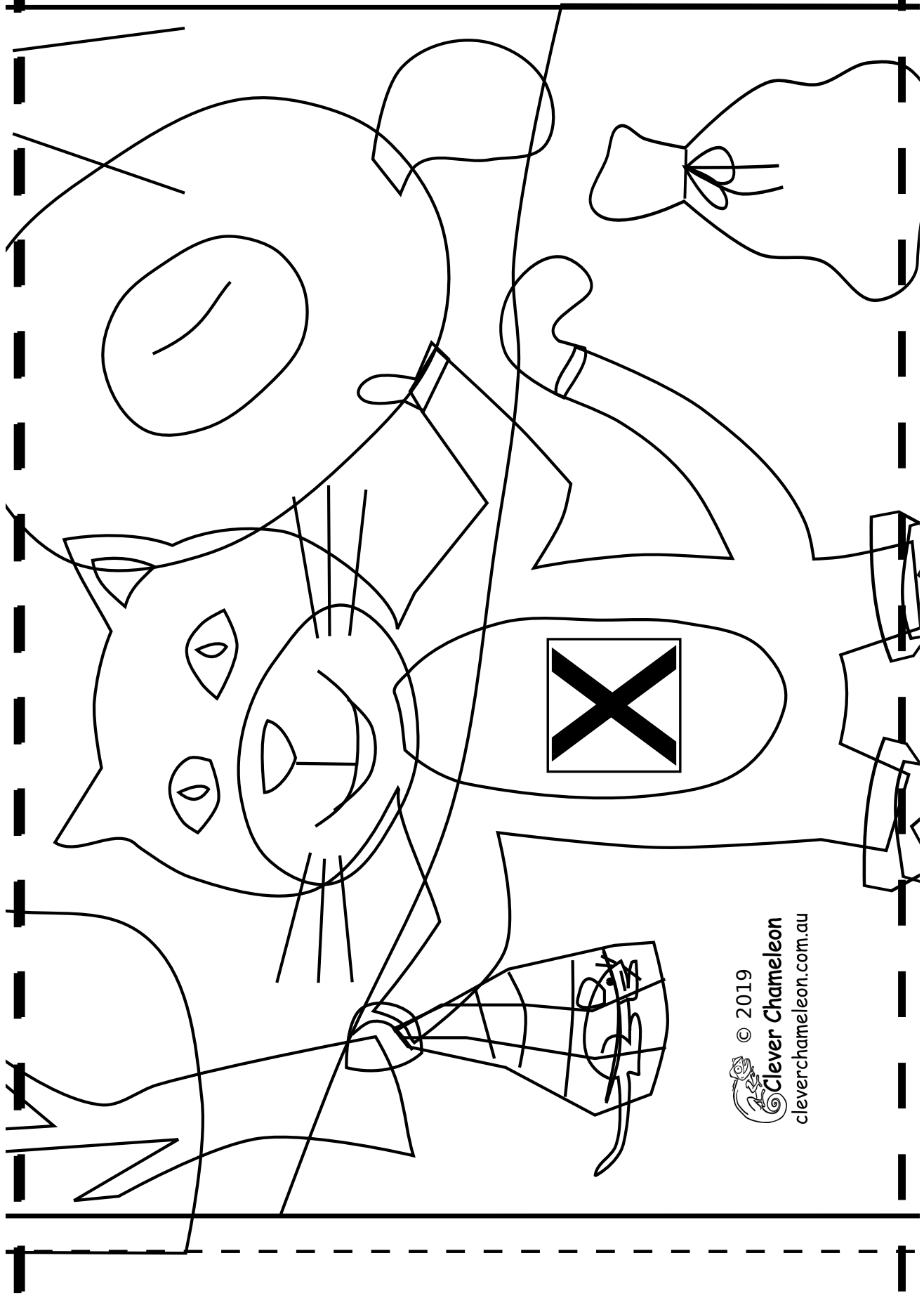


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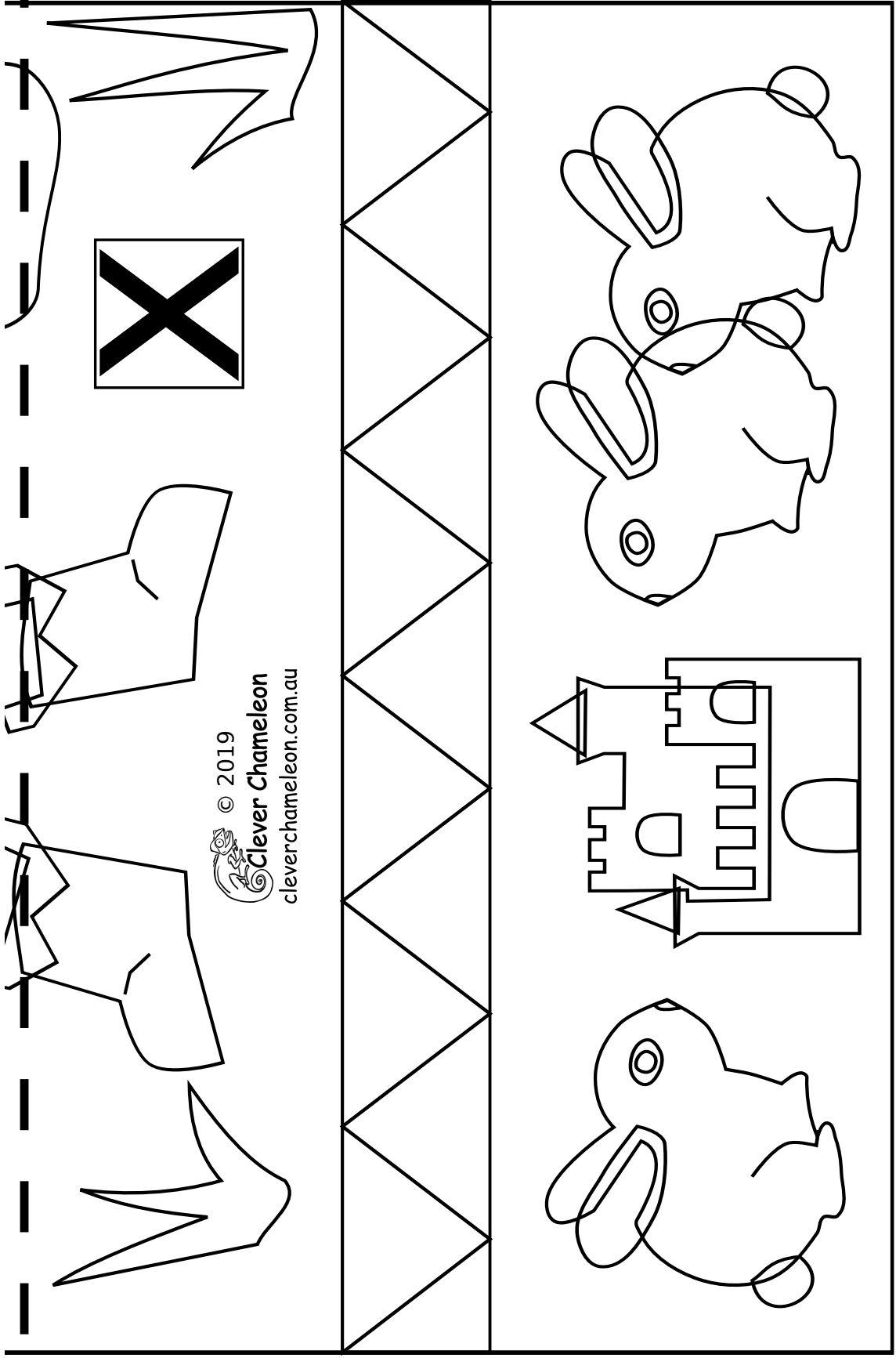
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