

Most bibs leave cuffs and sleeves wide open to dip in ketchup or wipe spaghetti sauce off of a messy face. The *Sleeve Saver Bib* covers your child's sleeves and has ribbed cuffs to keep stains out. A ribbed opening for the head makes it a breeze to put on or take off.

The *Sleeve Saver Bib* fits ages 9 months to 2-1/2 years. Six appliqué shapes are included. These easy to sew bibs make great baby shower gifts and sell fast at charity fairs.

Supplies

To make 2 bibs:

- 5/8 yard 60" stretch terry cloth or 1-1/8 yard 45" terry cloth (*Stretch terry cloth is recommended for width and comfort.*)
- 1/4 yard fusible interfacing
- 1/4 yard fusible transfer web
- 1/4 yard tear away stabilizer

In addition, for each bib you will need:

- 9" x 9" piece of fabric for appliqué (see suggestions below)
- Rayon thread for stitching appliqué
- 1-5/8 yards extra wide double fold bias tape
- 4" ribbing (28" width) for neck and cuffs

These are given separately in case you want different colors for each bib. For the rayon thread, bias tape, and ribbing, choose a color that contrasts the terry cloth.

Appliqué fabric suggestions:

The appliqué shapes included are **apple, bunny, cat, dinosaur, duck, and teddy bear**. The appliqués are especially cute made of fabric that features the shape in a small print. A small bunny print for the bunny appliqué is one example. Appliqués also look nice made of floral prints and gingham checks.

You can make other appliqué shapes by cutting out objects from fabrics with large prints. For example, you could cut out a reindeer from a large Christmas print and use it as your appliqué.

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