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### **Heart pillow**



Make a heart-shaped pillow with fur fabric

The pillow fits e.g. to the topics: love (God loves you), friendship (e.g. to the story of David and Jonathan)

#### material

- Cardboard heart stencil
- Fur fabric
- tear-resistant sewing thread in the color of the fabric
- Sewing needle
- Scissors (preferably a pair of cloth scissors)
- Felt-tip pen (or pen to mark fabric)
- Pins
- Cotton wool

### preparation

- Make a heart-shaped template out of cardboard
- For younger children, transfer the template onto the fabric and cut it out twice

#### manual

Place the heart template on the wrong side of the fabric and trace it with a pen (2x)

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Cut out hearts

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Place the hearts right side to right side exactly on top of each other and pin them in place

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Sew the heart together with the finest possible overcasting stitches (leave about four fingers open at the end)

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Turn the heart inside out

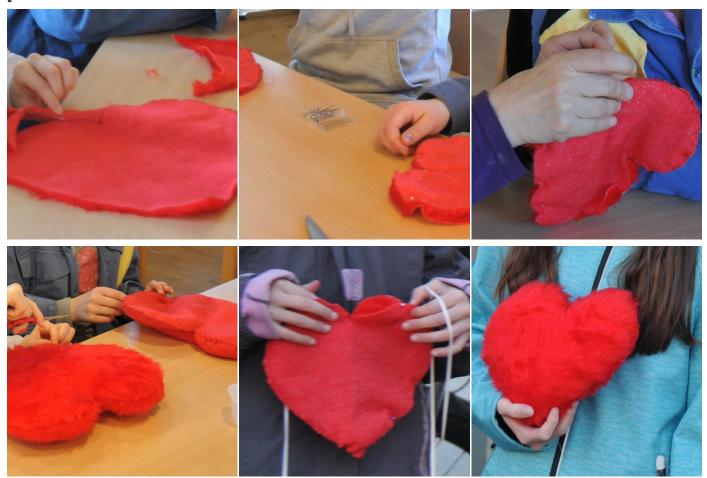
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Fill the heart with cotton wool

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Close the opening with a mattress stitch / ladder stitch and reinforce it well

### photos



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### **Tips**

■ For younger children, use a felt pen to mark where they should place the stitches on the heart (so that the stitches are all about the same length)

### swell

■ Photos: Jungschar Henggart