



# Tooth Fairy Bag

Designed by Purl Soho designer, [Molly Schnick](#). Materials

## To make one 3-inch x 3-inch bag:

1 piece [Wool Felt](#) in a bright color of your choice

1 piece [Wool Felt](#) in Ecru

[Embroidery Thread](#) in Ivory

[Embroidery Thread](#) to match your bright colored felt

At least 28-inches of a white cotton yarn (I used [Blue Sky Alpaca Organic Cotton](#) in Bone)

One Free Tooth Template, [available here](#), downloaded, printed, and cut out.

## Cutting

Trace the tooth template on the ecru felt and cut it out.

Cut the bright felt into a 3-inch x 8-inch rectangle.

Cut the yarn into two 14-inch pieces.

## The Top Hems

Fold and pin each short side in 1/2 an inch towards the wrong side.

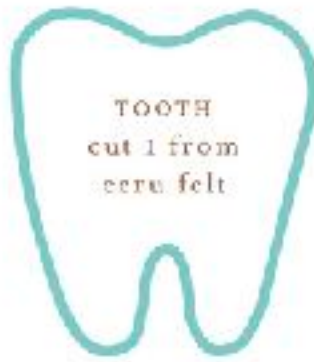
Using the bright embroidery thread, sew these folds down with a small running stitch. You will later thread the drawstring through the small tube created by these hems, so make sure not to sew them closed.

## The Tooth

Fold the piece in half right side facing, so the two hems meet up at the top.

Place the tooth shape in the center of the folded piece and pin it down to the top layer of felt.

Using the ivory embroidery thread sew the tooth in place keeping the top open to create a little pocket as shown above.



## **Sewing up the Sides**

Fold the piece in half again with the right side facing out and the top hems matching.

Pin the sides closed.

Using the bright embroidery thread sew both of the sides closed with a small running stitch and stop at the top hem. Do not sew all the way to the top, leave the tubes created by the top hems open.

## **Adding the Drawstrings**

Thread a large, dull needle point needle with one of the 14-inch pieces of yarn and pull it through one of the top hem tubes.

Then turn around and thread the same length through the opposite tube.

Tie a knot at the end of the length of yarn.

Repeat this on the opposite side of the top hem with the other 14-inch length of yarn.

Trim both of the ends of the yarn drawstrings...

... and you'll be able to tighten the top of the bag by pulling on the opposite drawstrings.

For more images:

<https://www.purlsoho.com/create/2009/07/26/mollys-sketchbook-tooth-fairy-bags/Tooth Fairy Bags>

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