

Matilda's Elf Shoes

1. Trace the elf shoe pattern on fold as indicated. (I used wool felt.)
2. Remove template and pin through both layers.
3. Do not cut out yet. 😊
4. Sew on **tracing line** from A → B → C.
5. Now, trim next to the seam you sewed in #4, cutting through both layers evenly, then cut on traced line at the top (unsewn) edge of the shoe.
6. Next, pinch the back bottom edge of the elf shoe (C) $\frac{1}{4}$ " from the fold flattening it towards the bottom seam. Sew a small seam across to form a heel shape. Trim next to the heel seam. Turn the shoe right sides out (RSO) and embellish with pompoms or bells or as desired.
7. I sometimes do a small running stitch or hand hem (rolling under a tiny bit of the top edge) around the open area of the shoe if I feel the wool will be stretched out of shape with use.

