

Instructions for "18" Doll Nylon Tulle Underskirt

Supplies Needed:

Tulle – 3 pieces cut to 6" x 38" same or different color

1" elastic – 10 inches

Regular Sewing Thread – same color as elastic

Sewing Machine



STEP 1: CUT 3 pieces Tulle 6" x 38"

- Tulle can be cut 36" - 40" depending on what works for the tulle width you have.

STEP 2: LAYER the tulle on top of each other – pin the long edge securely.

- Tulle is very slippery and loves to move around

STEP 3: STITCH using a long stitch length on the long edge.

STEP 4: GATHER the tulle by pulling the bobbin thread so it is approx 18" long.

STEP 5: ADJUST the gathers evenly.

STEP 6: STITCH over the gathering line using a regular stitch length (2.5 – 3mm)

to securely lock the gathering stitches.

STEP 7: ATTACH elastic to gathered edge of tulle, stretching the elastic as you go.

- place elastic next to the feed dogs, lay gathered tulle about ½" over the edge and topstitch in place using a medium zig zag stitch.
- mark elastic and tulle skirt into four equal parts match these marks as stitch

STEP 8: STITCH the ends of the elastic together. Place one end over the other overlapping the ends by ½". Topstitch a square onto the elastic, securing all edges of the overlap.

- No need to stitch the tulle, it overlaps and hangs better if not stitched.

