

PADAWAN TUNIC

Young Jedi in training will have to dress to part. This Padawan tunic is easy to make, and you don't need to use the Force (or sew) to put it together.

STEP 1:

Measure shoulder to shoulder and add two inches on either side. For example, if the child's shoulder measures 14", make the tunic 18" wide.

STEP 2:

Measure from the neck to the knees (or however long you want the tunic to be). Then double that measurement so the tunic can cover both the front and back.

WHAT YOU'LL NEED:

- ➤ Tan felt fabric, about 1 2 yards
- White long sleeve t-shirt
- > Belt
- Scissors
- Measuring tape

STEP 3

Cut your felt fabric to the measurements. If you do not know the measurements, a good estimate for most young Jedi is 18" wide x 60" long. You can always cut the tunic down to size when the Padawan puts it on, as felt can be easily cut without hemming.

STEP 4:

Fold the fabric in half lengthwise and cut a line in the center going up halfway through the length of the fabric. This creates the two front flaps that will be crisscrossed on the body.

STEP 5:

Wear the tunic over a long-sleeved white t-shirt, crossing the two flaps in front.

STEP 6:

Cut a second piece of fabric that is 8" wide by a little over the waist size. You can be pretty safe cutting the fabric to 8" x 35". You can always trim it later. Wrap this band around the tunic, and secure it with a safety pin. Then put a belt around the band for a finishing touch.