Shoebill Sock Puppet

What You Need:

- gray sock
- 2 sheets of dark gray felt
- sheet of light gray felt
- sheet of tan felt
- light gray pipe cleaner
- 2 large googly eyes
- sheet of lightweight cardboard (cereal box)
- black marker
- scissors, fabric glue, stapler

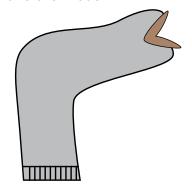


What You Do:

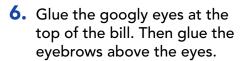
- 1. Use the patterns to cut the wings, bill, and eyebrows out of the felt.
- Lay the three wing pieces on top of each other, aligning them at the top. Staple the pieces together along the line shown on the pattern.



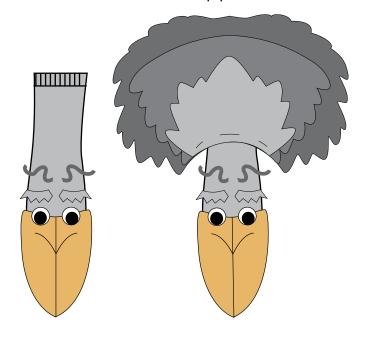
- 3. Cut the piece for the mouth out of cardboard and fold it in half.
- **4.** Spread glue all over the outside of it, and push it into the outside of the toe of the sock to make the mouth.

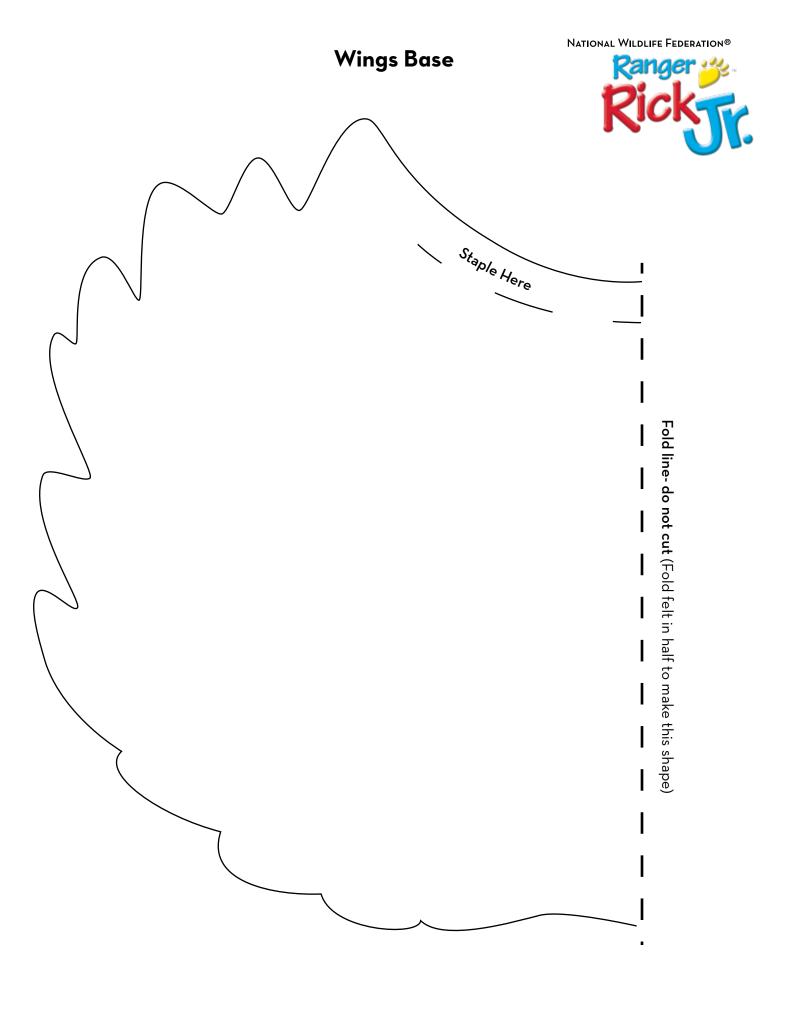


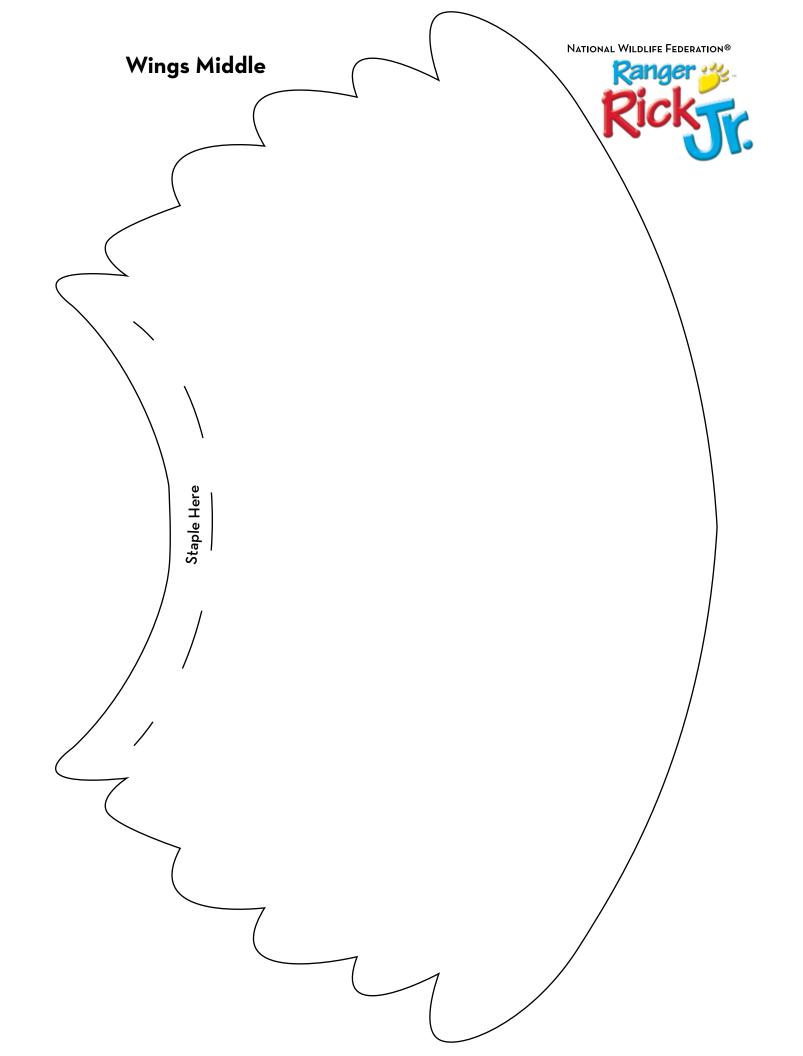
5. Draw the lines on the bill with the black marker. Wrap the bill around the toe of the sock and glue in place.



- 7. Thread the pipe cleaner through the heel of the sock and twist into a decorative shape.
- **8.** Glue the wings to the back of the sock about 1 ½ inches behind the pipe cleaner.



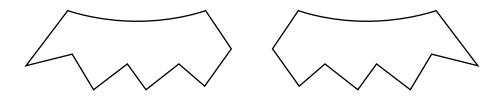


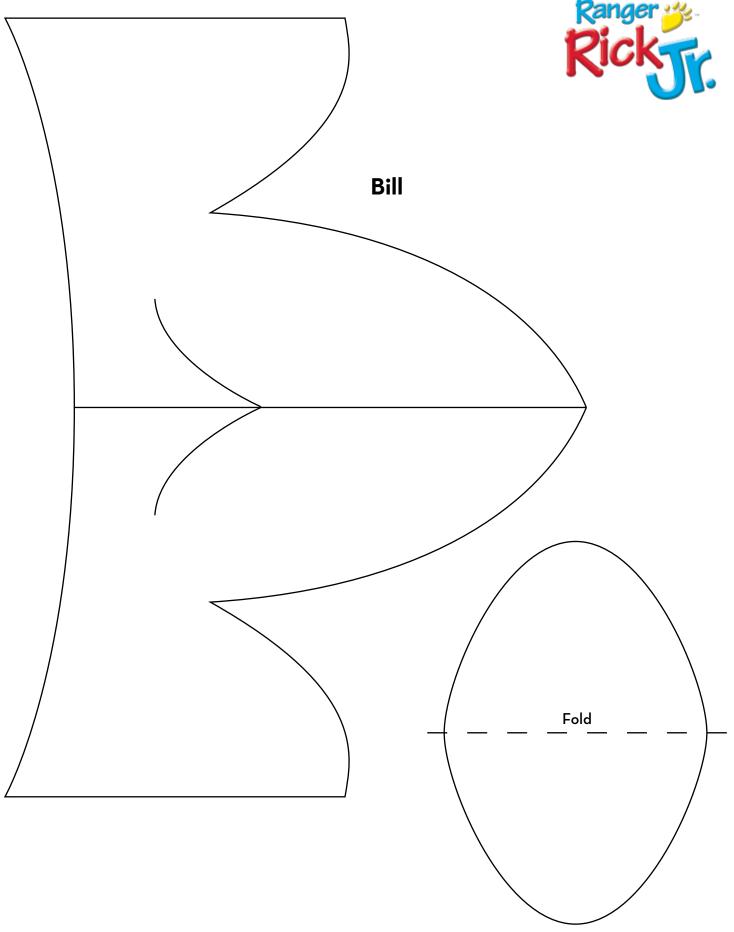




Wings Top Staple Here

Eyebrows





Mouth Piece (cardboard)