

Sweet Cherie



Materials needed:

- Wimpole Street Creations Bendi doll
- Two Wimpole Street Creations 8" round doilies
- Wimpole Street Creations 6" square doily
- Wimpole Street Creations crochet cherries
- One yard of 1/8" white ribbon
- 6" of 5/8" white ribbon
- Two yards of white floss
- Chenille needle
- Pattern and instructions
- 3/8 yard of fabric
- Three 1/2" x 45" strips of torn fabric for hair
- Matching thread
- Powder blush
- Low temp glue

Instructions:

1. Cut one 9" x 45" strip and two collar pieces from the fabric. Cut a 1/2" circle from the center of each round doily. Cut the flower center from the square doily. Cut the 1/8" ribbon in half. Cut nine equal pieces from the fabric hair strips.
2. Pin the collar pieces with right sides together. Machine-stitch around the collar, using a 1/4" seam allowance. Leave a 1" opening to turn the collar. Trim the corners and clip the curve. Turn and press.
3. Machine-stitch the short ends of the fabric strip together to form a tube for the skirt. Hem the bottom edge of the skirt with a double rolled hem. Hand-gather the top edge of the skirt with six strands of floss.
4. Place the skirt on the doll. Pull the gathering threads to fit snugly around the doll just under the arms. Knot and trim the threads. Glue the 5/8" ribbon over the gathered edge of the skirt, beginning and ending at the center back. Trim off the excess ribbon.
5. Hand-gather 1-1/2" from the outside edges of the two round doilies for sleeves, using the 1/8" ribbon. Pull the arms through the cut-out circles of the sleeves. Glue the sleeves in place at the shoulders and under-arms. Pull the ribbons to fit the doll's arms. Knot the ribbon and tie into bows. Trim as desired.
6. Hand-gather around the cut-out center of the doily square 1/4" from the edge, using six strands of floss. Place the doily around the doll's neck. Pull the gathering threads tight, knot and trim the threads. Place the fabric collar over the crochet collar, with the opening in the back, and glue in place.
7. Make 2" bundles from the hair fabric and tie with floss. Arrange and glue the bundles to the doll's head and trim as desired. Glue the cherries in her hair.
8. Blush Sweet Cherie's cheeks.

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