

Dog Pirate Costume

Things You'll Need for the Pirate Hat

- Two pieces of stiff black craft felt
- White embroidery floss
- One package red double-fold seam binding
- Half a yard of black elastic
- Embroidery needle
- Sewing machine and thread
- Pins
- Scissors
- Dressmaker's pencil

What to Do to Make the Pirate Hat

1. Print out the pattern.
2. Cut out two pieces of the hat pattern.
3. Trace the skull and crossbones design on one piece of felt.
4. Use the white embroidery floss to add the skull and crossbones.
5. Stack the two felt pieces together with the skull and crossbones on top. Pin the red seam binding over both edges along the top of the hat. Sew in place.
6. Topstitch the vertical sides of the hat.
7. Try the hat on your dog, and pin the bottom edges to get a good fit. Sew up the bottom edges.
8. Sew on the elastic and adjust so that the hat goes over one ear.

Things You'll Need for the Pirate Scarf

- Half a yard of black and red striped fabric
- Pinking shears

What to Do to Make the Pirate Scarf

1. Print out the pattern and enlarge as directed.
2. Align the pattern piece with the fabric fold. Cut out the scarf using pinking shears for a ragged effect.
3. Loosely tie the scarf around your dog's neck.

