

Turn Elephant Pattern into Gerald

Materials/Tools

- Our Moveable Mouth Elephant Hand Puppet Pattern - available at either [Craftsy](#) or [Etsy](#)
- Gerald Elephant Ear Pattern L (included in this pdf)
- Elephant Trunk Insert Pattern (included in this pdf)
- Black yarn wrapped glasses

Instructions

Step 1: Follow the instructions in the Elephant Pattern using light blue or light gray fleece/felt to match Gerald's color.

Step 2: Use Gerald Elephant Ear Pattern L instead of the original Ear L pattern.

Note: For floppy ears, use both fleece for both sides of ear. For stiff ears, use felt for both sides of ear. For medium stiffness, use fleece for back and felt for front of ear.

Step 3: Cut the Trunk Insert (included in this pdf) out of 1/2" foam with x-acto knife. You should have some foam left over from making the foam skull - or buy a larger amount before starting puppet. Insert the foam into the trunk to give trunk a bit more stability.

Step 4: Follow the step by step instruction on [this blog](#) for making yarn wrapped wire glasses. Use black yarn to make Gerald's glasses.

Step 5: Now you have your own Gerald elephant puppet. Have fun!

