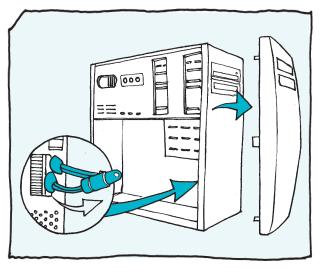
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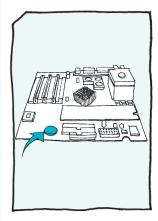
1. GET YOUR LEDS

Open your computer case by removing the side panel. Next, remove the front panel and detach the LEDs from the case. Finally, unplug the LEDs from the motherboard.



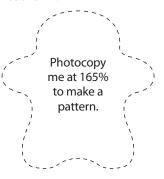
2. GET YOUR **BATTERY**

The motherboard should have a 3V coin cell battery. Remove this battery to use as the power source for the LFDs.



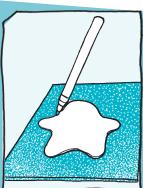
3. MAKE A PATTERN

Make a small pattern no more than a few inches tall that has a head large enough to pass your battery through, a body large enough to hold your battery, two tiny arms, and two little stumps for legs, as shown.



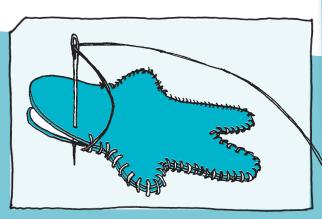
4. TRANSFER

Fold a piece of felt in half. Cut out your pattern from the sheet of paper and, with a marker, trace it onto the felt. Cut along the traced lines, through both layers, to make two equal felt cutouts.



5. SEW!

Slide the piece of felt with the marker on it to the back so that once you start sewing, the marker lines will be on the inside. Thread your needle and tie the ends in a knot. Start sewing at the neck by stitching from the inside of the fabric out until the knot catches. Continue sewing a whipstitch around the edge of the body, until you reach the other side of the neck. Knot the thread so it doesn't unravel.



HELPFUL HINT

The whipstitch is an over-edge sewing technique. You stitch always pulling the needle through from the same side and advancing while you go. This will generate a diagonallooking stitch on the outer seam.

