

# **Jake The Dog Pillow**

A pattern by Amanda from [3and3quarters.net](http://3and3quarters.net)

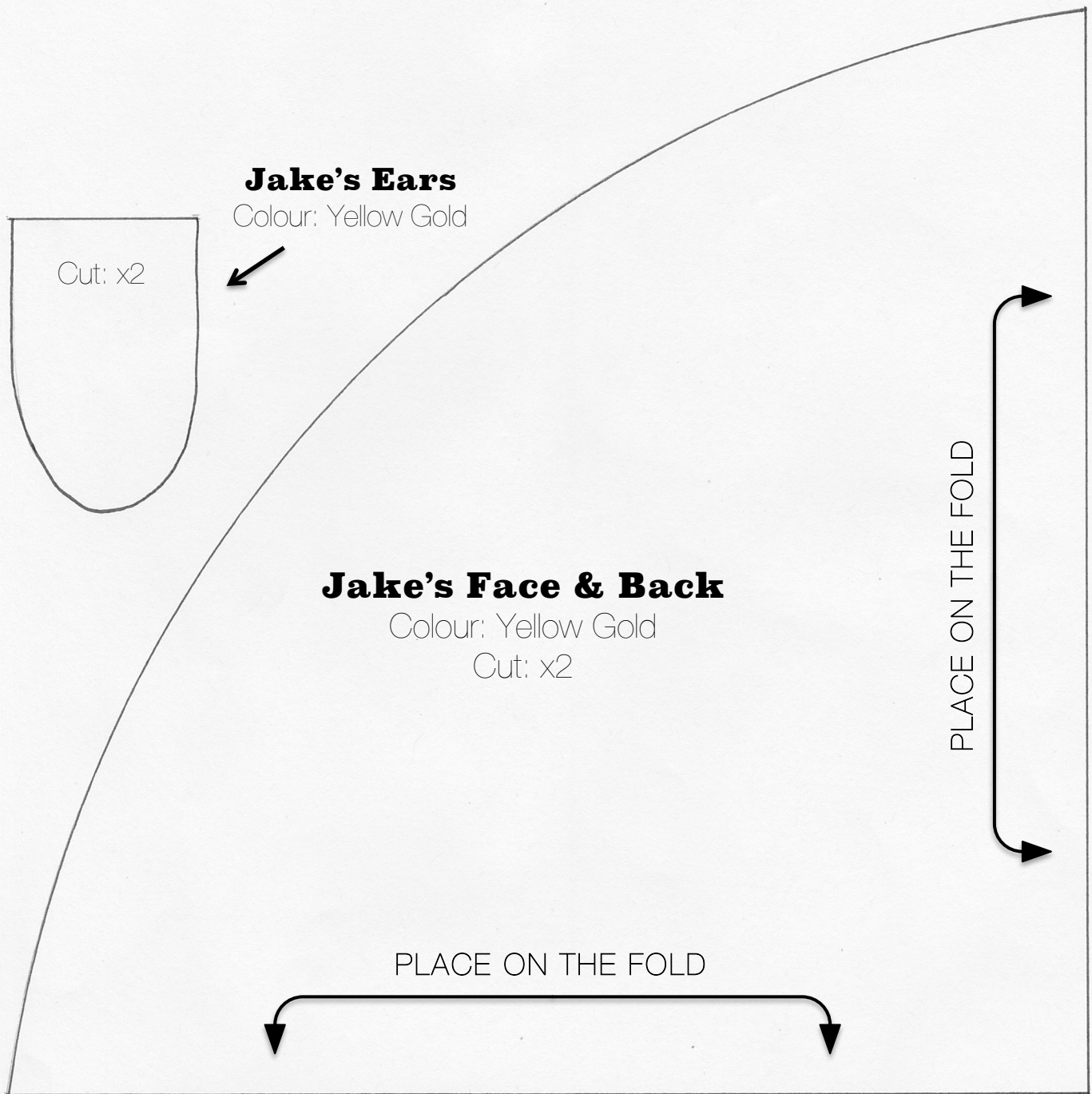


## **Finished Size:**

35cm or 14"  
Round (approx.)

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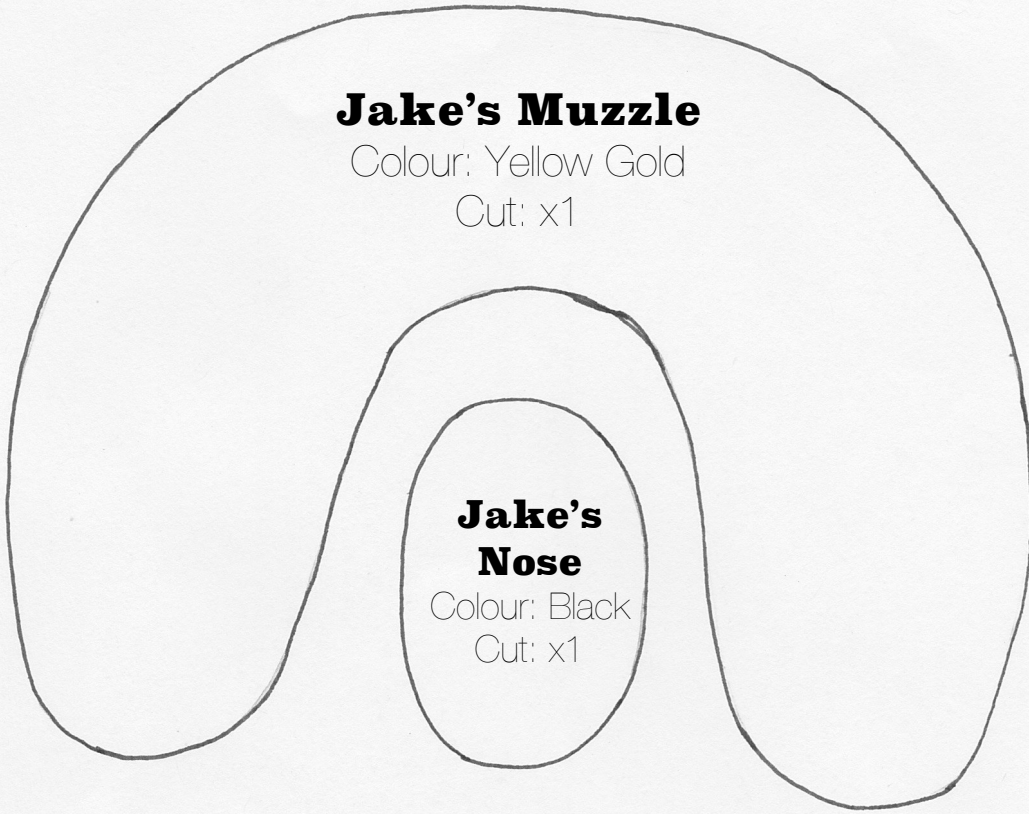
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**Jake's Muzzle**

Colour: Yellow Gold

Cut: x1



**Jake's  
Nose**

Colour: Black

Cut: x1

**Jake's Eye -  
Bottom**

Colour: Black

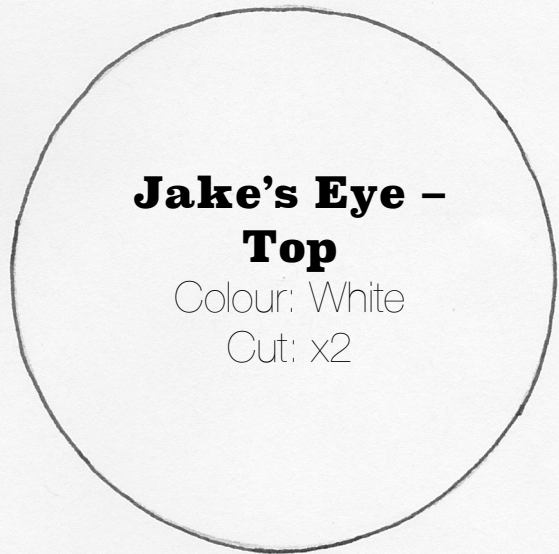
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**Jake's Eye -  
Top**

Colour: White

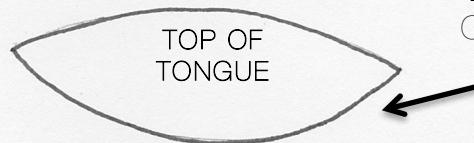
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**Jake's  
Tongue**

Colour: Pink

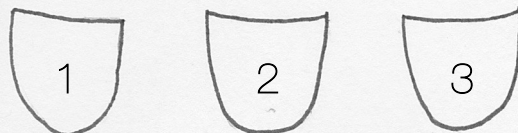
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**Jake's Mouth**

Colour: Red

Cut: x1



**Jake's Teeth**

Colour: White, Cut: x3 (Individually)

## **To make this mathematical pillow, you will need:**

- Felt
- Yellow Gold: 1mx90cm
- White: x1 A4 piece
- Black: x1 A4 piece
- Red: x1 A4 piece
- Pink: x1 A4 piece
- Craft or PVA Glue
- Sewing Machine with matching thread
- Hand Sewing needle & matching thread
- Fabric & Craft scissors
- Fine-Pointed scissors
- Dressmaking Pins
- Paint brush with tray (for glue)
- Chopstick or pointing/stuffing tool
- Polyester toy stuffing (e.g. Hobby Fill)

## **Instructions**

1. Begin by printing off the pattern from [3and3quarters.net](http://3and3quarters.net) (Search: Jake The Dog) and read through the instructions before starting. Alternatively, you can watch the tutorial on my YouTube channel: <https://youtu.be/1z4To8V-JRA>
2. Cut the template pieces out along the outer lines using craft scissors.
3. Pin the templates to the correct coloured felt as stated on them. If the template piece says PLACE ON THE FOLD, simply fold the piece of felt in half and then half again, placing the edge of the template with the arrows along the two folded edges and pin in place. (Do not cut along the folded edge).
4. Carefully cut around each shape using fabric scissors. Take the pins out and place the pieces to one side. (NOTE: The easiest way to cut out each of Jake's teeth is to use fine-pointed scissors.)
5. Next, assemble together Jake's mouth by placing his tongue and teeth shapes on top of the red mouth piece. Brush a generous amount of glue to the back of each piece (excluding the mouth piece) and stick into place. Set aside to dry.
6. Do the same with Jake's eyes by laying each of the white circles, close to one edge, on top of the black circles. Brush a generous amount of glue to the back of each white circle and stick into place. Set aside to dry.
7. Layout one of the yellow gold circle pieces. Place on top each of Jake's eyes, close to the centre. Add on his mouth just below, then centre over these the muzzle piece and then his nose into the centre. (NOTE: Use the photo on the front page as a reference for placing your pieces.)
8. Once you're happy with how the pieces are positioned, glue each piece down starting first with his mouth, then each eye, his muzzle and lastly his nose. Then, apply a line of glue to the top of Jake's ears and stick them down to the side just below his eyes. Set aside to dry.
9. OPTIONAL STEP: If you feel confident, slowly topstitch around the edges of each piece on Jake's face with a sewing machine and matching thread.

Secure the top of Jake's ears using a close zig-zag stitch. This step will simply give the pillow a nicer finish.

10. Lay Jake's face on top of the other yellow gold felt piece, facing down. Place pins all along the outside edge, leaving a 10cm gap near the bottom of the pillow.
11. Starting on one side of the 10cm gap, make a small back stitch and then slowly sew around the whole edge of the pillow using a ¼" seam allowance on the sewing machine. Take the pins out as you sew along. Once you come to the other side of the 10cm gap, make a small backstitch and remove the pillow from the sewing machine.
12. Carefully cut little snips into the seam allowance all the way around the pillow. (NOTE: This will help the curves sit flat when you pull the pillow out the right way.)
13. Slowly pull the pillow inside out through the 10cm gap. Use the chopstick or pointing tool to help open out the curved seams.
14. Once Jake is pulled out the right way, generously stuff him with toy stuffing until he is at your desired softness.
15. Lastly, take a hand-sewing needle and matching thread and slipstitch the 10cm gap closed.
16. Place Jake in your favourite reading spot and love him forever!

Thank you for downloading and making this pattern!

If you have any questions, feedback, completed projects or ideas to share with me, feel free to send me an email to the following address: [3and3quarters@gmail.com](mailto:3and3quarters@gmail.com)

Happy Sewing Friends!

Amanda.

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