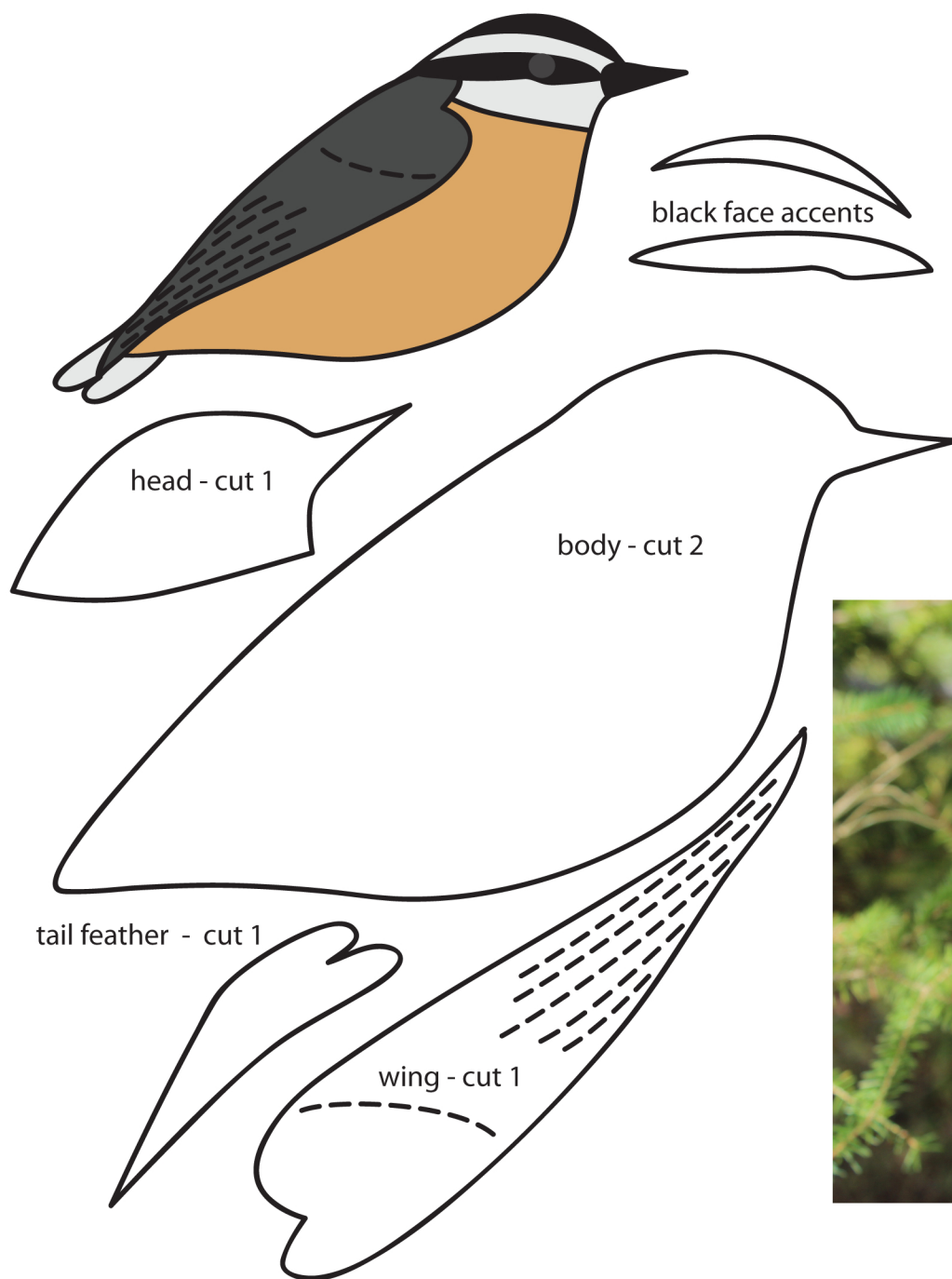


Downeast Thunder Farm Felt Nuthatch Pattern

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Layer the head and face accents on the body; pin in place. With a single strand of thread, tack the black face accents into place. This will hold the head in place until you finish. I used a grouping of seed beads for the eye. You could use a button or a small piece of felt.

Pin the wing into place on the body front. Sew on the decorative stitching. I used three strands of embroidery floss.

Pin the body front and body back together. Tuck the tail feather in between the two body pieces and pin. Using a blanket stitch (three strands of embroidery thread), sew the body front and back together, pausing to stuff with fiberfill before finishing. When finished I sewed the beak on with black thread. Alternatively, you could cut a piece of felt for the beak.

Have fun!

