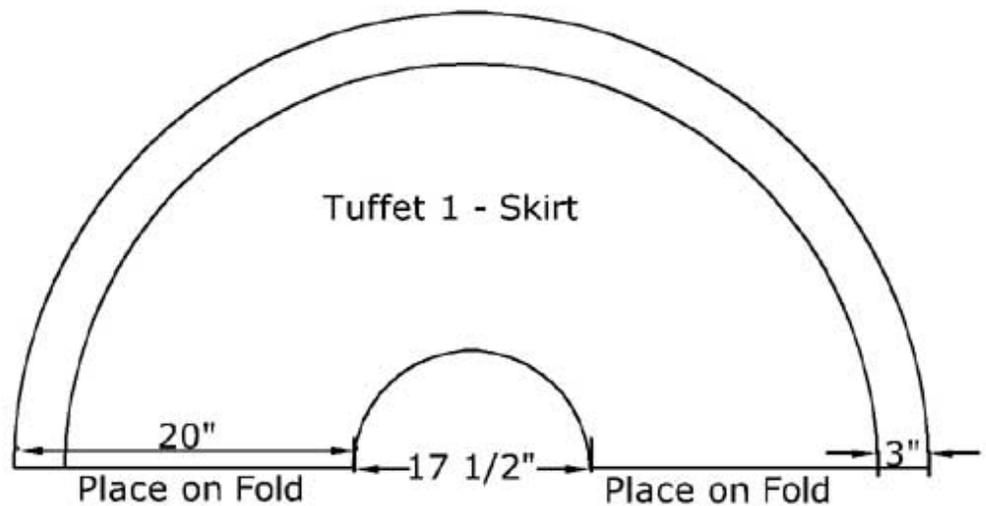
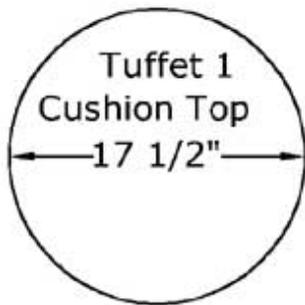
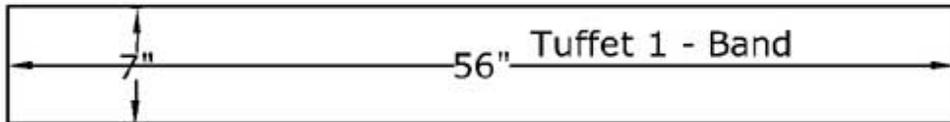


Tuffet 1



This tuffet has a two-tied circular skirt with a boxed cushion top. We used a pre-cut 16" wide x 17" tall round particle board.



Use pattern above for cutting. Seam allowances are included. The full-size pattern pieces shown above are available for \$10 plus shipping and handling by calling us at 205-424-1770.



Placing the skirt pattern on the fold, cut out the bottom skirt layer



Cut off 3" from the skirt pattern and cut the top layer. Be sure to place the pattern on the fold.



Pin the cushion top pattern onto fabric and cut. The seam allowances have been added to the pattern.



Cut the fabric to cover the piping on the bias. We use 4/32" piping and cut our pieces about 1-3/4" wide. Cut enough to go around the bottom of the skirts.



Apply piping the cushion top. See ["Apply Piping Like a Pro"](#) in our Tips & Techniques section of our website. Add additional trim or fringe at this point, if desired.



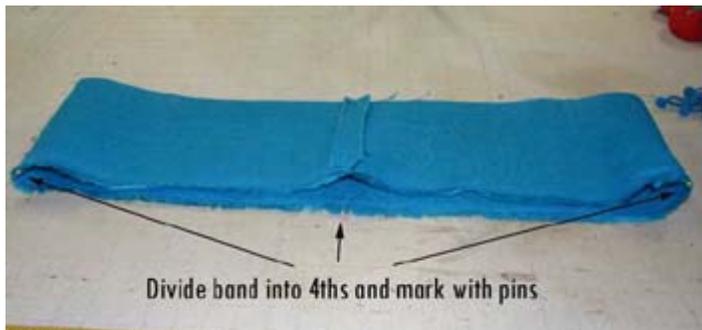
Apply piping to the bottom of the skirts. Add additional trim or fringe at this point, if desired



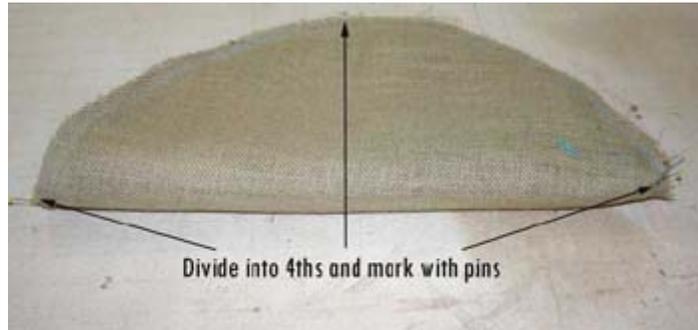
Cut the band for the cushion top using the pattern shown at the beginning of this slide show. Seam allowances are included.



Seam the short ends of the band together, right sides together using a 1/2" seam allowance.



Press seam open and divide the band into 4 equal sections.



Divide the cushion top into 4 equal sections.



With right sides together, pin the band to the cushion top, matching up the markings on the band and the marking on the cushion top.



Stitch the band to the cushion top using a 1/2" seam allowance.



Using 4" thick foam, cut it 16" diameter. Using batting (we use 1" thick), cut out the cushion top 16" diameter. Cut a piece of batting for the band that is 52"x4". Batting is available from Pate-Meadows Designs (205-424-1770).



Serge or straight stitch the band to the cushion top.



Slip the batting over the foam.



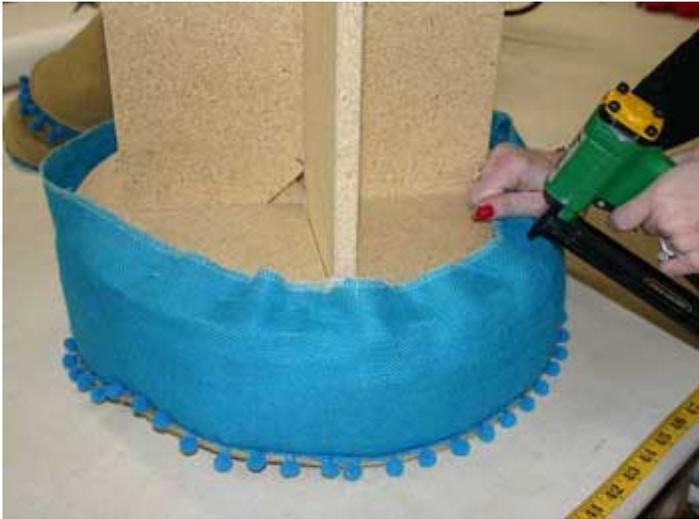
Slipstitch the batting in place with a needle and thread.



Slide foam into cushion top.



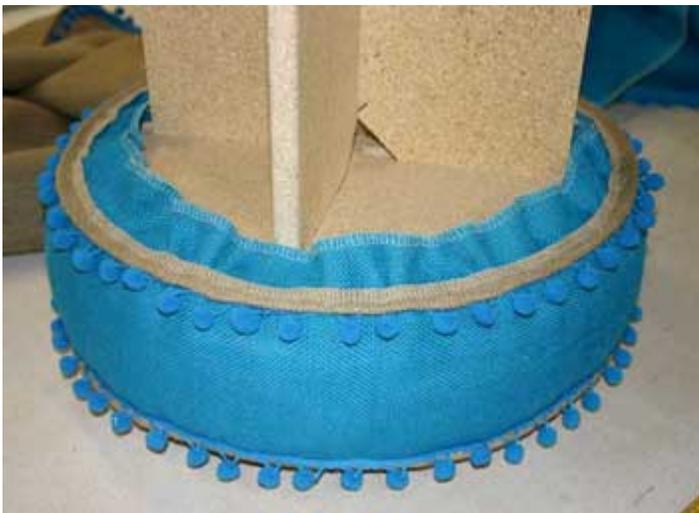
Spray foam adhesive on the bottom of the foam.



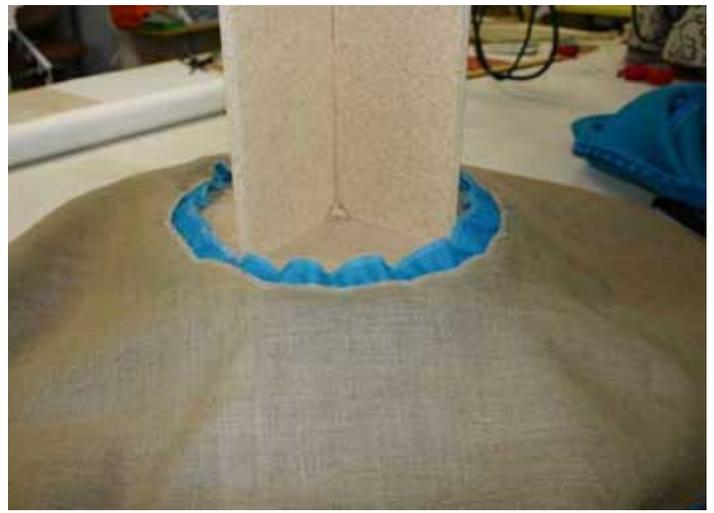
Staple the bottom of the cushion top to the bottom of the stool.



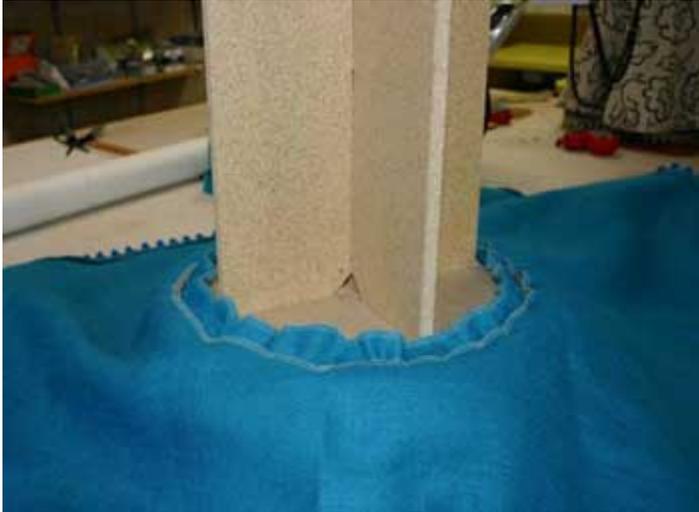
Add additional trim or fringe, if desired, by stapling.



Staple piping on next.



Staple the top skirt layer next, placing the right side down



Staple the bottom layer skirt next, right side down



Staple cardboard tacking strip next, lining up the outer edge with the edge of the particle board. This gives you a rigid edge. Cardboard tacking strip is available at upholstery supply shops and at www.patemeadows.com



Turn tuffet right side up and you are finished!