

# Flannelboard Workshop

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## Basic Definition:

Flannelboard/feltboard (n.): a felt-covered surface to which other felt pieces, such as letters, numbers, shapes, and other creations adhere merely by contact



## Steps to Making a Flannelboard:

1. Cut out the template.
2. Tape the template to the felt. (Either right on top of the felt/template or roll a piece of tape in between them.)
3. Cut out the largest felt piece.
4. Cut out the smaller detail pieces.
5. Glue them together!
6. Add paint and detail work (eyes).

More in-depth tutorial online: <http://storytimekatie.com/2010/11/19/making-a-flannelboard-seals-on-the-bus/>

## Patterns & Templates:

- DLTk Kids ([http://www.dltk-kids.com/type/felt\\_board.htm](http://www.dltk-kids.com/type/felt_board.htm))
- Etsy (<https://www.etsy.com/>)
- Kizclub (<http://www.kizclub.com/stories.htm>)
- Making Learning Fun (<http://www.makinglearningfun.com/themepages/FeltBoardPrintables.htm>)
- Storytime Katie (<http://storytimekatie.com/flannelboards>)



## Flannel Friday

- <http://flannelfridaystorytime.blogspot.com/>
- <http://pinterest.com/flannelfriday>
- *Flannel Friday is an online event in which bloggers post a description of a flannelboard, puppet, or prop storytime activity on their blogs every Friday. All the posts are gathered into one spot in a link round-up. It is a way of sharing ideas, encouraging new techniques, & building community among children's library staff around the world.*

