

HomeMade Bat Costume!



Here are the pictures of my daughter's Halloween costume for this year. She loves bats and has wanted to be one for Halloween for a few years.

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Instructions

- To make the wings, I took apart 2 satin dresses I bought from a second hand store. Choose a dress with a full skirt and pleating to get the spread of the wings. The other dress (brown) was cut in half and added to make the inside of the wing. (You can see it looks like the dress was cut in half and joined at the top).
- I used felt for the hat with scraps of the satin for the ears.
- To attach the wings, I used hook and eye closures along the back of the dress, elastic straps at the elbow, and ribbon ties at the wrists.
- The "body" is just a black dress I found at the second hand store. We will add black shoes and leggings- depending on the weather.

