The Projects

Maddie's Blankets teaches children the value of community service. It is designed for kids ages seven to ninety nine. If your group is interested in supporting a Maddie's Blankets project please contact us and we can arrange a memorable and rewarding experience.

Community service hours can be given out for school and civic requirements.

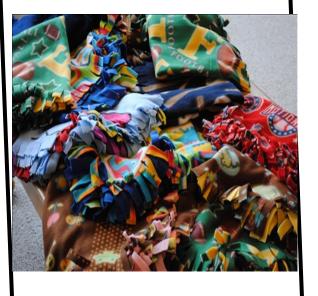
Donations of fleece or cash support are always appreciated.

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Instructions

You will need... 1 yard of fleece fabric, scissors, and half an hour

- --Cut the fabric in half so that you have two same size rectangles.
- --Place the rectangles together so the "nice" sides of the fabric are facing out (and the "ugly" sides are touching) and that the rectangles match. (If they do not completely match that is fine.)
- --All around all four sides make cuts with scissors that are about 3 inches only and 1 to 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ inch wide kind of like making fringe.
- --You will cut through both pieces of fabric at the same time making the same cuts in both.
- --Then, take a piece of fringe from the top and tie a knot with the bottom piece - connecting the two pieces together and leaving the edges hanging.
- -- Do this all the way around.
- --The corners are tricky and you can just tie every other one if that is easier.
- --The result should be one blanket with knotted fringe all the way around with the pretty sides showing.

About Maddie's Blankets

Maddie's Blankets was started in 2007 and became a 501(c)3 in 2009. We make blankets for animals in shelters and kids who are currently living in difficult situations. As of August 2012, Maddie's Blankets has made over 9500 blankets. Maddie's Blankets are donated to animal rescue groups, police departments, foster care systems, child protective services, government subsidized day cares and homeless to housing organizations. Blankets have been made or donated in the following states: VA, WV, MD, NC, PA, NH, OK, MS, MA, and KS. If your organization is interested in receiving or making Maddie's Blankets please contact us.

Maddie's Blankets is funded entirely by grants and individual donations there is no cost to make or receive a blanket.

About Maddie



Maddie is a young teen who lives in Oakton VA. She is currently a 4.0 student taking all honors classes and a varsity athlete. She has a deep love of travel, volunteering, cheering and is a certified junior scuba diver.

If you are interested in a Maddie's Blankets party, we provide all the supplies, come to your location and distribute the blankets when done. A party takes about one to one and a half hours and can have up to fifteen participants.



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