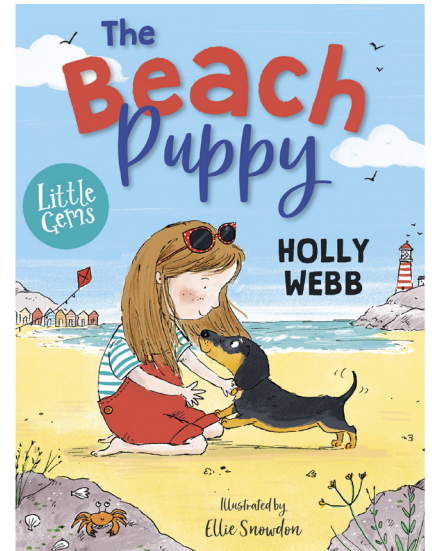


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# PUPPY PENCIL HOLDER!

Get crafty and create a sausage dog pencil holder, just like Ruby's adorable Dachshund Coco in *The Beach Puppy*!

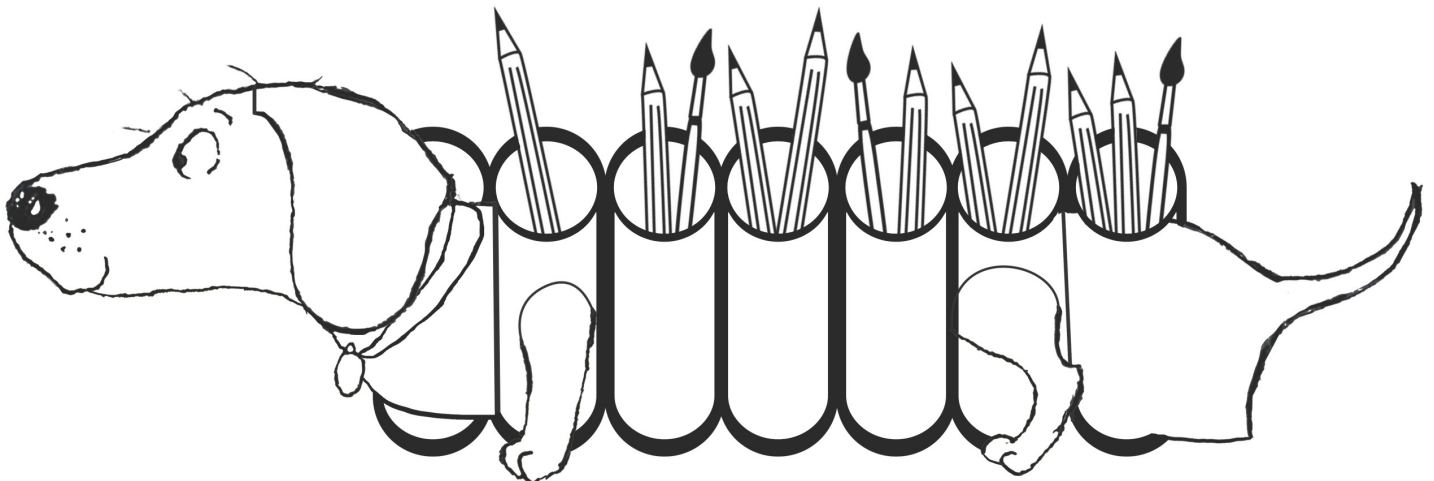
Please ask an adult for supervision when cutting out the fiddly bits and be sure to send us photos of your canine creations. Happy crafting!



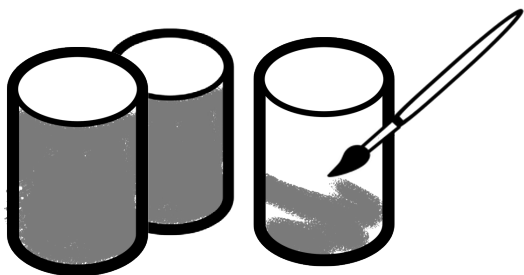
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## You will need:

- **our printable template** – you can colour it in or use it as a stencil (you'll find it at the end of the instructions)
- **paper** – the thicker the better
- **paper rolls** – as many as you'd like (toilet paper rolls, kitchen towel paper rolls etc.)
- **brown colour** – you can use paint, markers, pencils, crayons (whatever takes your fancy)
- **glue** – white school glue should do the trick (but if you have a glue gun and adult supervision even better!)

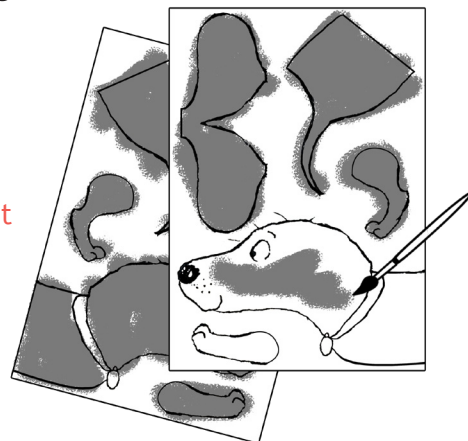


1. Paint your paper rolls brown. You can also wrap them in brown paper.



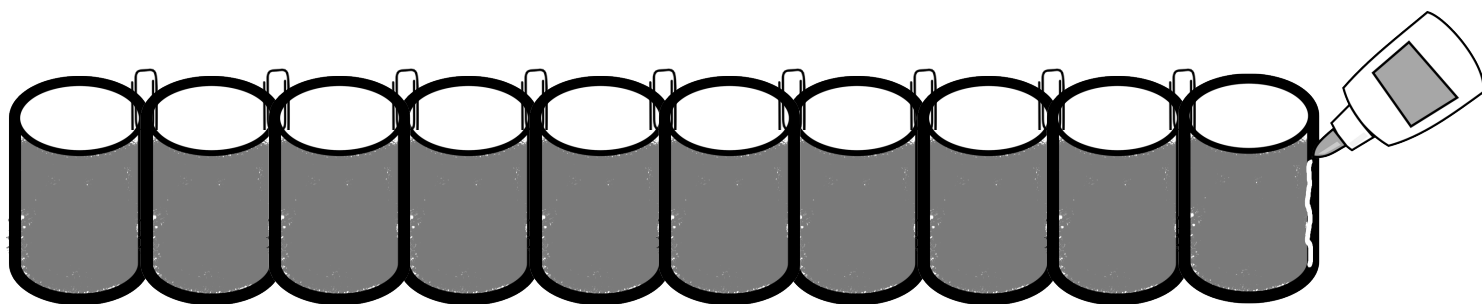
2. Print out the Coco template and either trace onto brown paper or colour it in. You could try some fun markings!

TOP TIP: Colour in over the lines so when you cut it out the colour goes to the edges.

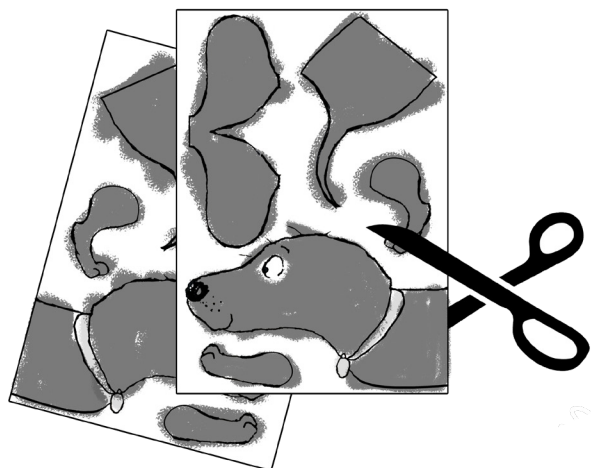


3. Glue the paper rolls together in a straight line. Make it as long as you want!

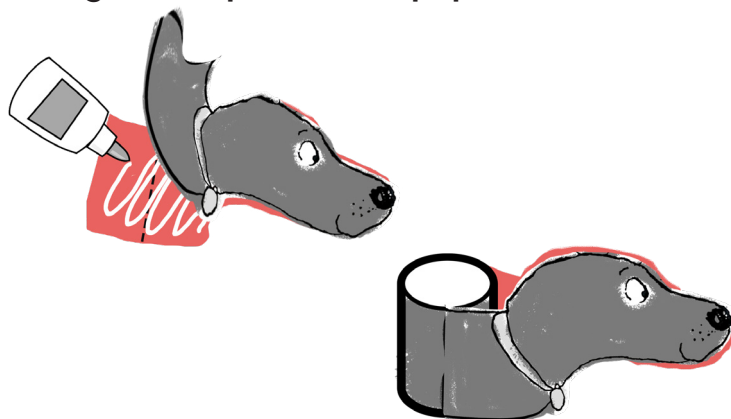
TOP TIP: Use paper clips to hold the rolls together whilst the glue dries. You need to let the glue dry completely - maybe leave it overnight for it to set.



4. Cut out the template pieces. Ask an adult for supervision.



5. Apply glue to the reverse side of one dog head piece, then glue the two head pieces together. Start from the nose! Leave space at the neck end to glue the pieces to a paper roll.



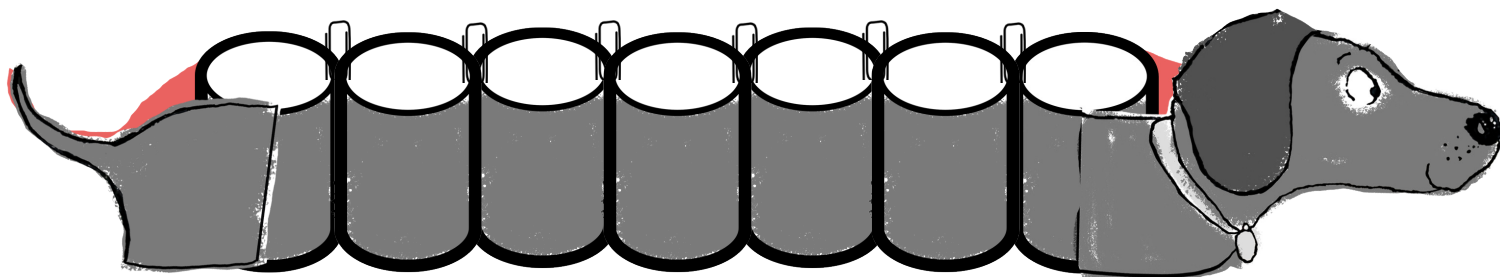
6. Glue on the dog ears.  
Fold them over  
the head.



7. Do the same gluing to the tail part  
– just like the head.

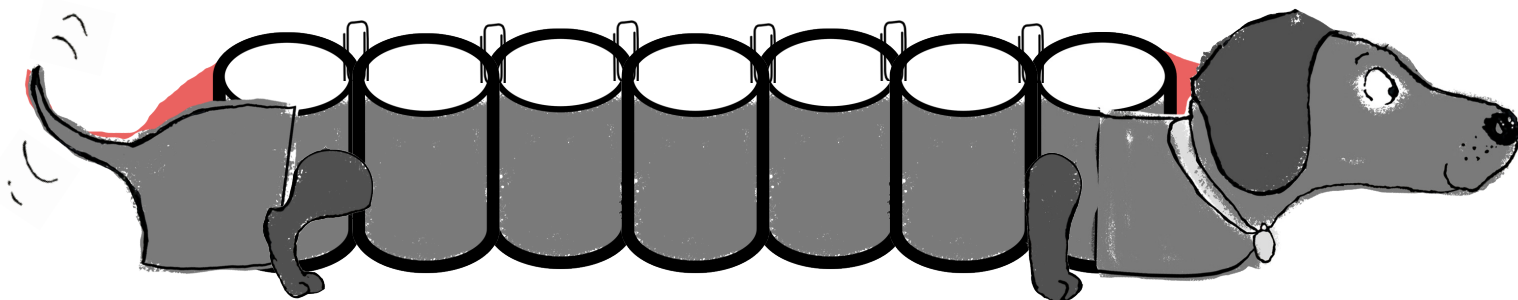


8. Glue the paper roll with the head  
and the paper roll with the tail  
onto the paper roll body.

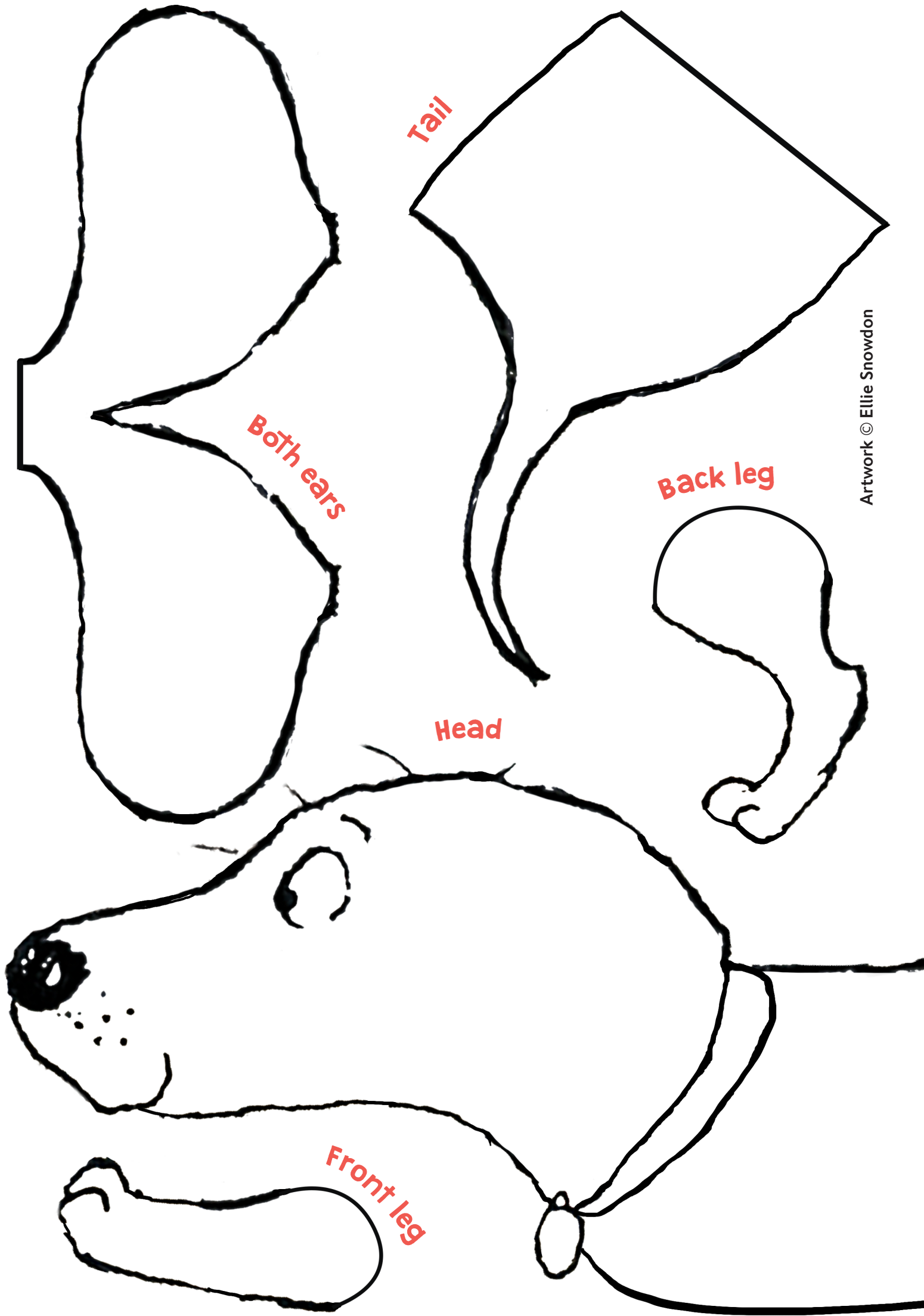


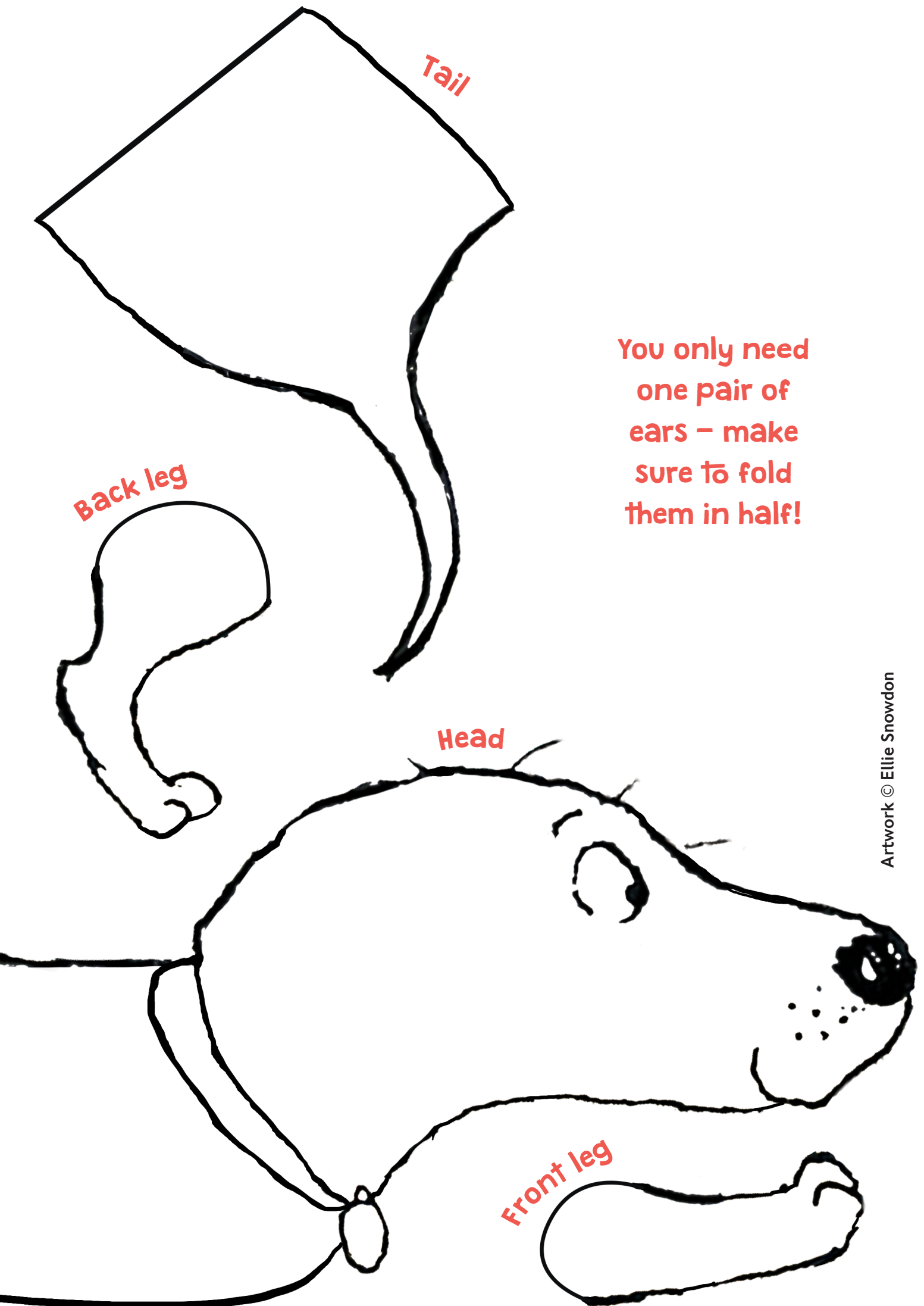
9. Glue the paper roll with the head  
and the paper roll with the tail  
onto the paper roll body.

10. Glue on the legs ...



You have just finished your fantastic Coco pencil holder!  
Now fill it with your pencils, pens and bits and bobs.





You only need  
one pair of  
ears - make  
sure to fold  
them in half!