

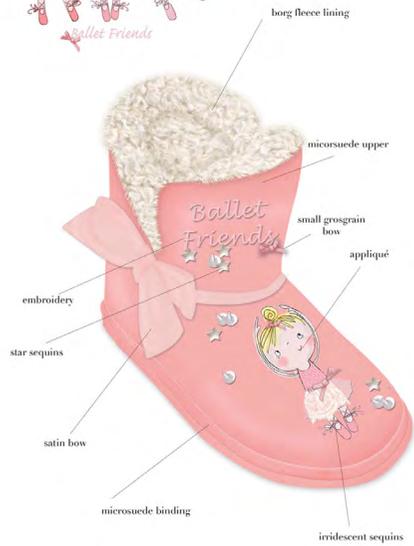
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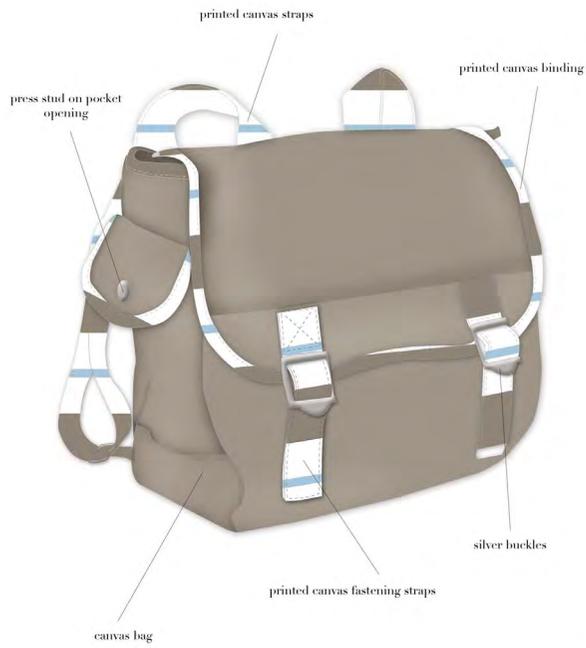


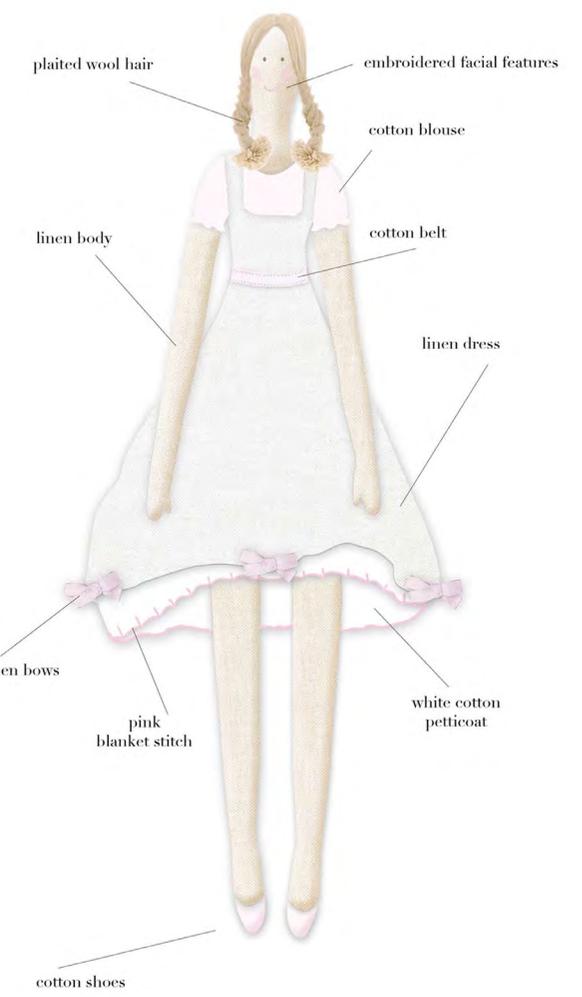
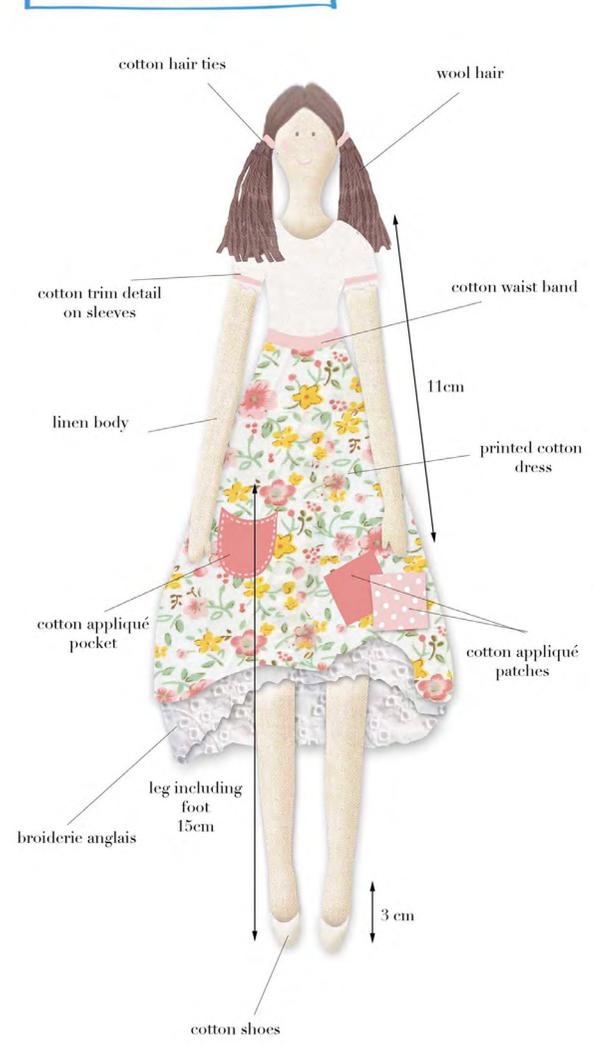
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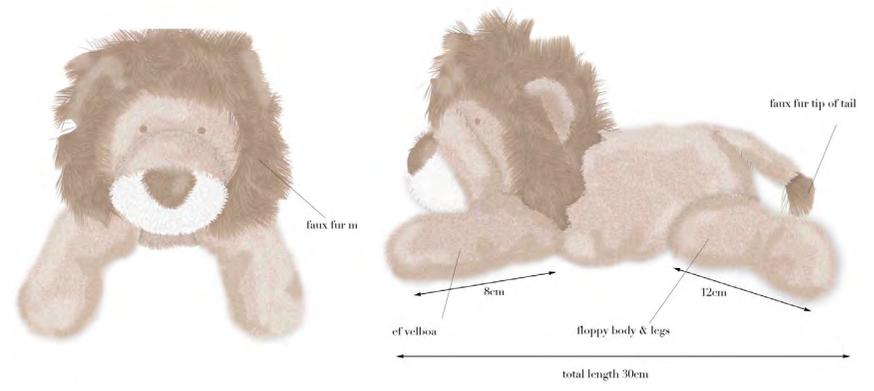
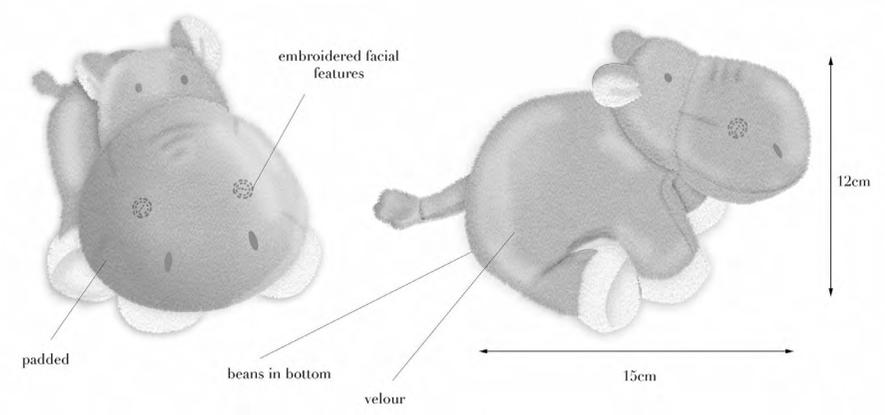
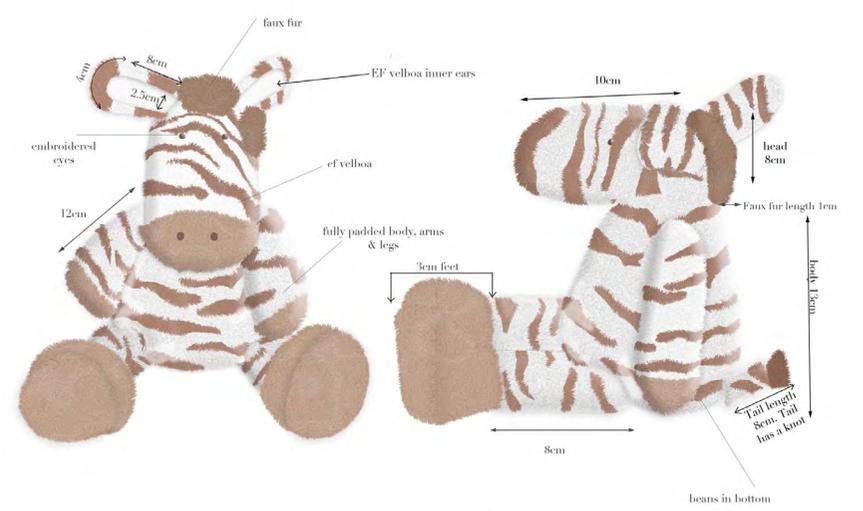
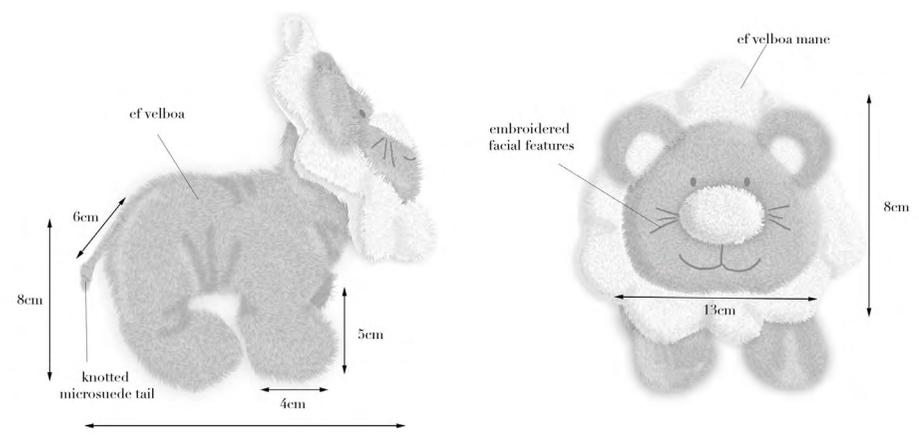


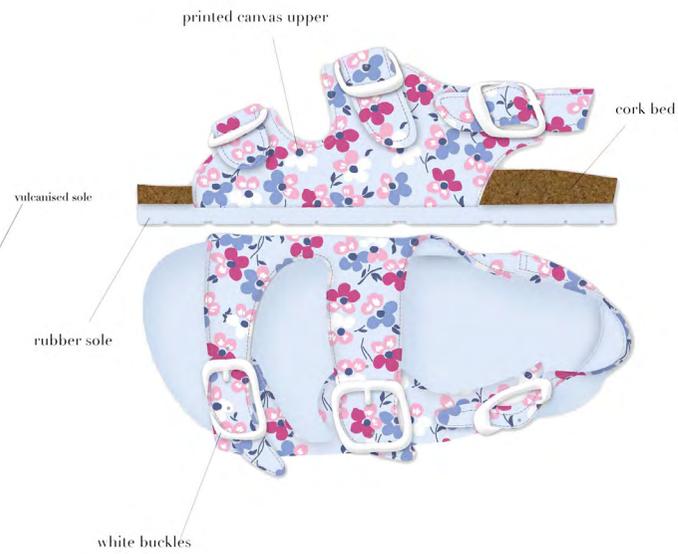
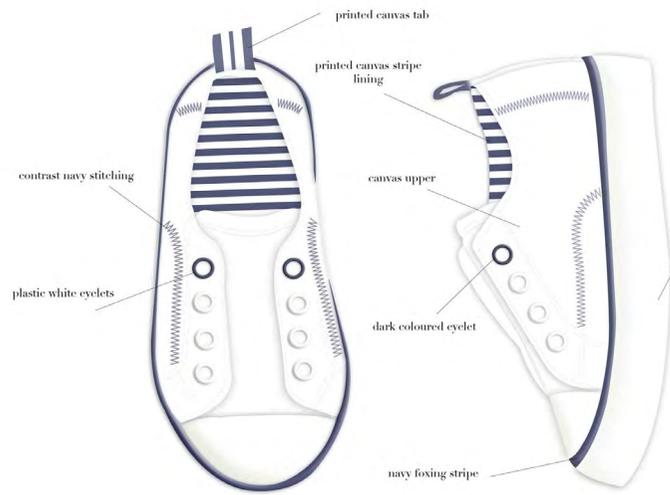
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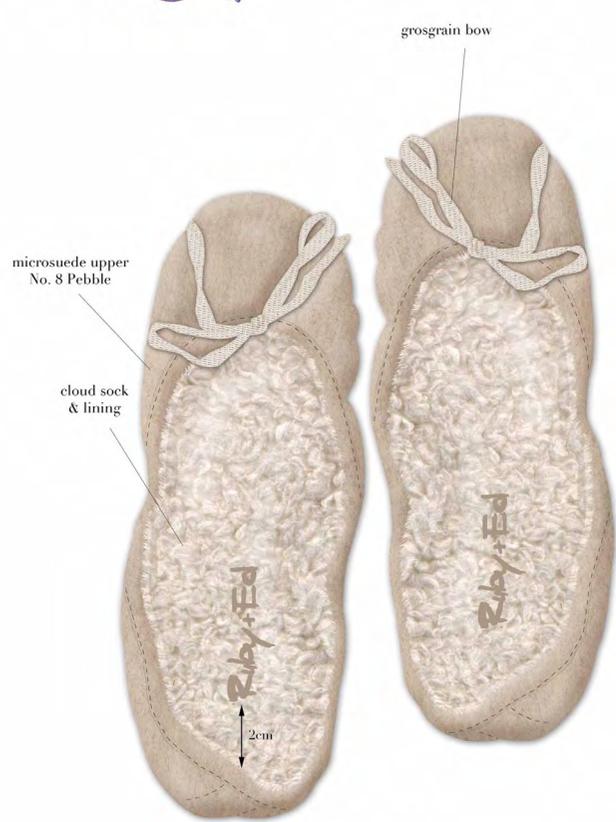














Mood Boards



TRULY ORGANIC
Organic fibers and yarns continue to evolve with innovative measures. It is however, important to find ways to monitor the certification of organic products as many fakes have been flooding the market. Look to the Global Organic Textile Standard (GOTS) to find the latest news and developments.

LOW IMPACT
Yarns made with low impact fibers, such as linen, are a smart direction for eco-friendly buyers. CELC Masters of Linen works with yarn spinners and mills to help develop new products featuring linen, with a soft hand feel



BLOCK PATTERNS
Basic geometric patterns are key, returning to a blockier, contrasting style. Minimal jacquard patterns are once again appreciated for their fundamental simplicity in softened contrasting tones.



LINEN STRIPES
Horizontal & vertical stripes merge / sailor stripes soften in waves / broken graphics / clean linen hues



RECYCLED
Recycled yarns are more easily verified than organic varieties and are perhaps more eco-friendly as they transform waste, like plastic bottles and fabric scraps, rather than create new materials from scratch. Cardato Regenerated CO2 Neutral creates yarns from wool and fabric scraps gathered within a 20km distance of Prato in Italy while carbon emissions from the process are offset by the purchase of green credits to eliminate the entire carbon footprint. End products are carded into unique yarn blends with cashmere, angora, alpaca, mohair, fine wool, silk and viscose.

GRAPHIC LINES
Minimal decoration involves the use of simple sketchy lines. Jacquard patterns and printed knits are muted with a masculine aspect.



AIRY FELT
Felted and compact knits are lightweight and airy in a range of neutral hues. Boiled wool is newly imbued with a cloud-like aspect, for a clean and natural finish.



NATURAL PATTERNS
Nigel Peake influence / naïve renderings / soft cross-hatched lines / hand drawn aspect / neutral grounds



MARVEL

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SOFT & AIRY

Super soft mohair in high pile surfaces develops an imaginative tactile style. Saturated colours mix with textured stitches to create high-impact dimensions and an ethereal hand feel



GLORIOUS GLITTER

Marvel encourages ultimate fantasy with sparkly yarns that appear encrusted with glitter. Sheer and compact knits are equally coated with the glorious addition of all-over sparkle. Silver and aquatic hues emphasize the magical effect.



ALCHEMY

Odd mélange combinations mix sticky-sweet colors with offbeat neutrals. Infusing soft hues with arbitrary fibres develops a pop color effect, reflecting developments in chemistry and science.



APRÈS PATTERN

Oversized Fair Isle ski sweaters evolve from vintage 1960s patterns. Simple geos and stylized snowflake patterns develop a retro blocky effect. Use bright, contrasting colour stories for ultimate impact.

RETRO TEXTURE

Mod fashions are revived from the 1960s with reference to chic skiwear. Retro lace and textured stitches develop a dense micro pattern style. Colour and pattern blocking create graphic effects, complemented by kitsch finishes like oversized pompoms and rib trims.



EXOTIC BUTTERFLIES & PHOTO FLORALS

Surreal style / dense kaleidoscopic patterns / translucent overlaid wings / saturated colors / filled motifs/ photo florals

HYPNOTIC 70S

Sophisticated geo repeats / 1970s interiors influence / tonal turquoise hues / curves meet angles



M I G R A T I O N



SIMPLE CABLES
 Classic cable stitches return, to adorn chunky knitwear with a homey feel. Fat braided cables in rustic yarns and hairy blends offer ample surface depth. Knits have a weathered look in dyes faded by the sun and prolonged usage.



SOFT TWEED
 Loosely spun, tweeded yarns are softened to create a handmade look. Wool blends emphasize the natural and unrefined aspect. Infuse neutral browns and greys with colour pops in offbeat tones.



MOHAIR SURFACES
 Mohair will continue to be important this season, emphasizing retro cocooning qualities. Mohair mixes with other yarns to create accents for surface dimensions and color play. Used in portions or striped with other yarns, mohair draws attention to finishing details.



MARQUETRY
 The highly skilled art of marquetry inspires new Fair Isle patterns in woody browns and rust. 1970s styling influences the re-emergence of layering pieces. Larger gauge patterns create a slightly pixelated stitch effect.

PAINT EFFECTS
 Hazy painted yarns appear with oversized, space-dyed effects. Mixed stitches develop added surface interest while muted colours are soft and blend organically.



FADED FLORALS
 Vintage country house wallpaper / wistful & romantic / cabbage roses & dahlias / muted feminine hues

FOLK TAPESTRY
 Look to the colorful and vivacious knitwear and patchwork styles by Kaffe Fassett to create knitwear with a tapestry feel. Historical tapestry patterns and inspiring imagery for jacquard and intarsia knits is key to create new vivid styles.



SOFT BOUCLÉ
 Rustic bouclé yarns and stitches develop an organic textural style in chunky gauges. Ideal for outerwear and layering pieces, bouclé materials can be rendered in neutral or two-tone yarns.



RUGGED BLANKETS
 Traditional blankets inspire lofty patterned knits in classic stripes and plaids



FEATHER NEST
 Feathery yarns become dimensional with a soft pile effect. Compact jersey stitches maximize the textures of the yarns to create a super cozy hand, akin to wrapping up in a duvet.

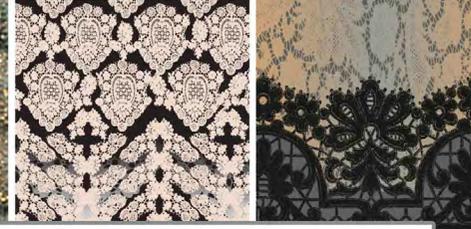


OUTRÉ

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GOLDEN YARNS
Transparent or matte knits act as a base for lavish embellishment this season. Lurex and metallic gold yarns add lustrous life to classic knits. Decoration runs the gamut from soft sheen to high-definition sparkle, depending on the desired effect.



GUIPURE LACE
3D lace style / overlapping layers / soft shading effects / placement prints or repeats / also used for flocking



MIDAS TOUCH
Gold paint appears in random patterns or placements, reminiscent of the cables created by Marco Di Vincenzo. Knits are embroidered with gold threads or wrapped with metallic wires, while embellishments include metallic beads and sequins, for extra encrustation.



PEACOCK PLUMAGE
Peacock feathered patterns / saturated hues / light effects



HERALDRY
Symbolic motifs / military & historical references / ornate frames have a trompe l'oeil effect / regal colors



GOLD BROCADE
Photo-real brocades / ornate symmetrical motifs / luxurious gold / layers create depth & richness



TACTILE KNITS
Chunky crochet and textured knit stitches are key for this season. Combined yarns yield a variety of textural effects. Use compact stitches to achieve dense and armor-like stiffness.



LUXURY ALPACA
Super soft alpaca and alpaca blends develop cozy layering pieces with a touch of decadence. Fine gauge and chunky stitches converge to develop an unusual textural blend.

