Using the fabric folding template



Starting – the template, the fabric and small bulldog clips
Dimensions – from bottom edge – 30mm to 1$^{st}$ fold, then 15mm to 2$^{nd}$ fold, 30mm to 3$^{rd}$, 15mm to 4$^{th}$, 30mm to 5$^{th}$, 15mm to 6$^{th}$.



Clip the bottom edge of the fabric to the bottom of the template

Fold the template and fabric together to make the first pleat, then clip the fabric on either side



Repeat to make the second pleat

Repeat again to make the third pleat



Take off the bulldog clips, slide the template and fabric apart, and the fabric is ready to sew
Note – this was done only on a sample of the fabric, not a full-sized mask