## **Recommended Notions**

Sewing with Cuddle<sup>®</sup> plush, Luxe Cuddle<sup>®</sup>, faux furs, Cuddle<sup>®</sup> Suede and Embrace<sup>®</sup> double gauze is made easy when you have the right tools! We've tried out a variety of notions to find the best for our fabrics and these are the tools and notions we prefer.

## **General Sewing & Quilting**

Batting	<b>Quilters Dream Request Poly</b> (very thin and lightweight, perfect for Cuddle <sup>®</sup> quilts) <b>Quilters Dream Puff</b> (extra loft but lightweight, great for Embrace <sup>®</sup> quilts)
Rulers	<b>OLFA Frosted Acrylic Ruler</b> (non-slip, ideal markings for self-binding blanket) <b>Quilters Select Acrylic Ruler</b> (non-slip with easy-to-read markings)
Cutting	<b>Famore EZ Stitch Snips with Micro Serrated Blad</b> e <b>Omnigrid Cutting Mat</b> (the larger the better for laying out wide fabrics)
Unsewing	Kai Seam Remover

StuffingFairfield Poly-Fil (for stuffed animals and play toys)Fairfield Poly Pellets (use in feet, bottom, and hands of stuffed animals to make them sit)

## Embrace® Double Gauze

CuttingOLFA Stainless Steel 18mm rotary cutter (great for garment pattern cutting)Man Sewing Shark Applicutter 14mm rotary cutter (great for garment pattern cutting)Kai 7280SE Scissors (serrated top blade makes for easy and accurate cutting)

SewingSCHMETZ Universal 70/10 NeedlesAurifil Cotton Thread (40 wt is ideal for the double gauze)Mettler Seracor 100% polyester thread (perfect for serging seams and rolled hems)Clover Flower Head Pins - Fine (won't snag on fabric or slide out easily)Clover Fabric Folding Pen (create an easy-to-fold hem for tops, dresses and swaddles)Dritz Fray Check (keeps seams from fraying when not otherwise finishing seam)Dritz Mark B Gone (use instead of cutting notches --easy to see and doesn't cause fraying)Mary Ellen's Best Press or Niagara Spray Starch (adds a little extra stability to the fabric)Robert Kaufman Cambridge Cotton Lawn (perfect for facings and seam stabilizer)Pellon 910 Sew-In Featherweight Interfacing (use for interfacing and to stabilize fastenings)