

Utility Basket

This little padded basket is a great place to store your beads, bracelets and other fashion accessories.



Skill level:
Intermediate

Time:
20 to 30 Min.



You Will Need

- 2 pieces Assorted colour Cotton Drill Fabrics
11 x 11 inches (28 x 28 cm)
- Felt fabric 9.5 x 9.5 inches (25 x 25 cm)
- 8 pieces Ribbon - 5 inches each (13 cm)
- Measuring Ruler and Fabric Pencil
- Fabric Cutting Scissors and Pins
- Sewing Machine



STEP 1:

Pin the two pieces of cotton fabrics (outer and inner cover fabric) keeping, their right sides together, as shown.

STEP 2:

Sew all the sides, leaving a 5 inch (12.7 cm) opening, for turning the right side out. Remember to press the Reverse Button after stitching both the ends of the opening, to create a Lock stitch*

* Lock stitch: A Lock stitch is used to strengthen the beginning and the end stitches of the seam. Lock stitch keeps the seam from tearing apart.



Tip: Remember to start and finish seam with a *lock stitch where you see the arrow mark.



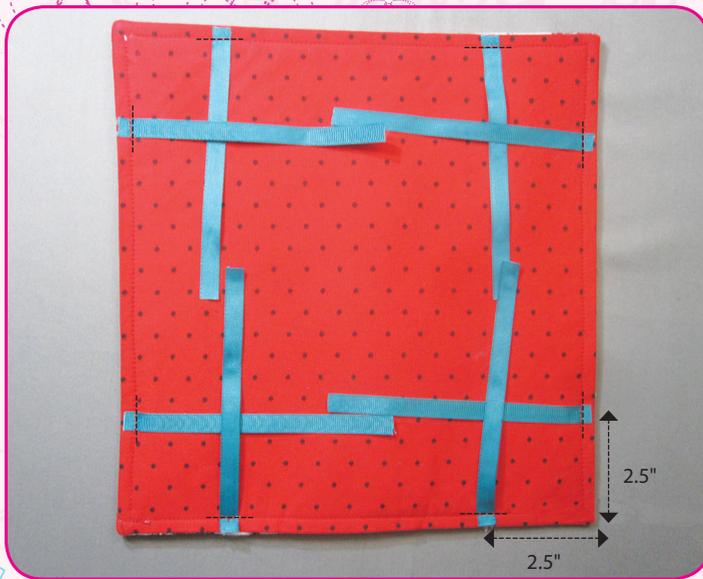
STEP 3:

Turn the stitched piece right side out and insert felt fabric from the opening.

STEP 4:

Sew all the four sides of the fabric, leaving 1/4 inch (0.6 cm) space from the edges, to fix the felt fabric.





STEP 5:

Sew the ribbon pieces to all the sides of the inner cover fabric, leaving a distance of 2.5 inches (6.3 cm) from all the corners, as shown.

STEP 6:

To finish the basket, tie the ribbons at each corner into neat bows.

