

NEW PATTERN GIFT BAG

Fabric and Cutting Instructions:

2 pieces of main fabric – cut 10” x 14”

2 pieces of lining fabric – cut 10” x 14”

2 pieces of ¼” ribbon – cut 15” long

Assemble Bag: all seam allowances are ¼”

1. Place one main fabric and lining piece right side together – do the same for the other main fabric and lining piece. Sew seam along top edge (10” side) Press seams in opposite directions (or finger press) to butt seams together.
2. Pin ribbons on each side 4 ½” down on top main fabric. – Double stitch to reinforce the ribbons in place. Then tie ribbons loosely together and pin to center to prevent them from getting caught in the seams when sewing bag together.
3. Place right side of main fabrics pieces together and right side of lining pieces together butting the seams.
4. Sew all the way around the bag leaving about a 3” opening on bottom of lining for turning.
5. Turn bag right side out. Hand or machine stitch lining closed. Put lining inside main bag. Press bag -
6. Turn down about 2” to create a cuff.
7. Bag is complete and ready to fill.