Sweets Sack

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Supplies Needed

1/2 yard ARD-14478-283 1/2 yard Kona Corn Yellow

Pattern Level: Confident Beginner

"I have basic block construction down and would like to learn a new trick!"

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Final project measures 11.5 x 10" x 3.5".



This very simple bag can be easily embellished, adding pockets, velcro or snap/button closures as desired.

Notes Before You Begin

- All of the seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise noted.
- Remember to measure twice and cut once!
- Please read through all of the instructions before beginning.

Cutting Instructions

ARD-14478-283 (Exterior fabric)

- Cut 1 rectangle 15" x 33" for exterior bag body.
- Cut 2 strips 3" x 15-1/2" for exterior strap.
 (excess fabric could be used to add a patch pocket, if desired).

Kona Korn Yellow (Lining fabric)

- Cut the same as above for lining bag body and lining strap.



Sewing Instructions



Step 1: Sew Exterior and Lining

Measure 12" up from short end of the bag body, and fold along that line, with right sides together.

Sew along the raw edges, stopping at the top of the fold and backstitching at the beginning and the end of the seam.

Repeat on the other side.

Repeat with the lining, BUT leave a small opening (2") in the middle of one of the side seams for turning later.

Step 2: Mitre Corners

Flatten a bottom corner of the bag, so the seam is in the middle, and you have a triangular point.

Measure 1-1/2" from the point and draw a line with a water soluble marker (or with a pencil) perpendicular to the seam at the 1-1/2" mark. Sew along this line, backstitching at the beginning and end.







Step 3: Assemble Bag

Turn the bag right side out, and slip it into the inside-out lining.

Line up the side seams and the flaps, and pin together.



Starting anywhere on the flap, sew along the 3 sides of the flap, pivot at the corners, and sew along the opening of the bag.

Clip corners, being sure not to clip stitching.



Clip corners

Turn the bag right side out through the hole in the lining. Slipstitch the opening in the lining to close it. Press bag and edgestitch along flap and opening if desired. Set aside.

Step 4: Sew Straps

Sew the exterior straps short sides together using 1/2" seam allowance to create one long strip. Press seam open. Repeat for the strap lining pieces.

Sew the strap exterior and lining pieces together along the long sides (right sides together), then turn right side out.



Press the strap flat, edgestitch if desired, then press 1" towards the lining on either end.



Step 5: Sew Strap to Bag

Place the strap on the outside of the bag, centering it over the seam, about 2" below the top of the bag.

Sew a box with an X inside, to reinforce the strap.

Repeat on the other side to attach the other end of the strap.



Enjoy your bag!