

The Fabric Bag!



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Fabric Bag Template

3 cm seam allowance - top edge

2 cm seam allowance - French Seam

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leave open

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Cut 2

2 cm Seam Allowance on main seams
3 cm turn back allowance on top hem



2 cm seam allowance - French Seam

A selection of sizes!

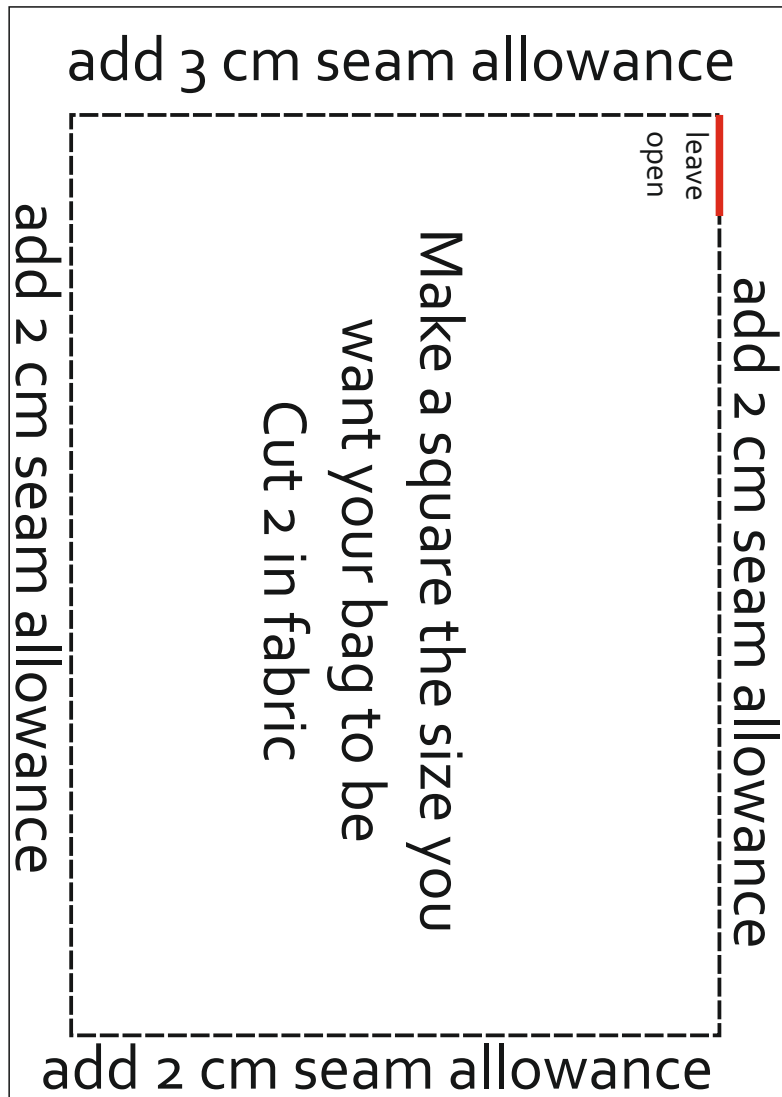




You will need a piece of cotton and a tie cord of your choice

Use my template for a small gift bag version, or make your own.

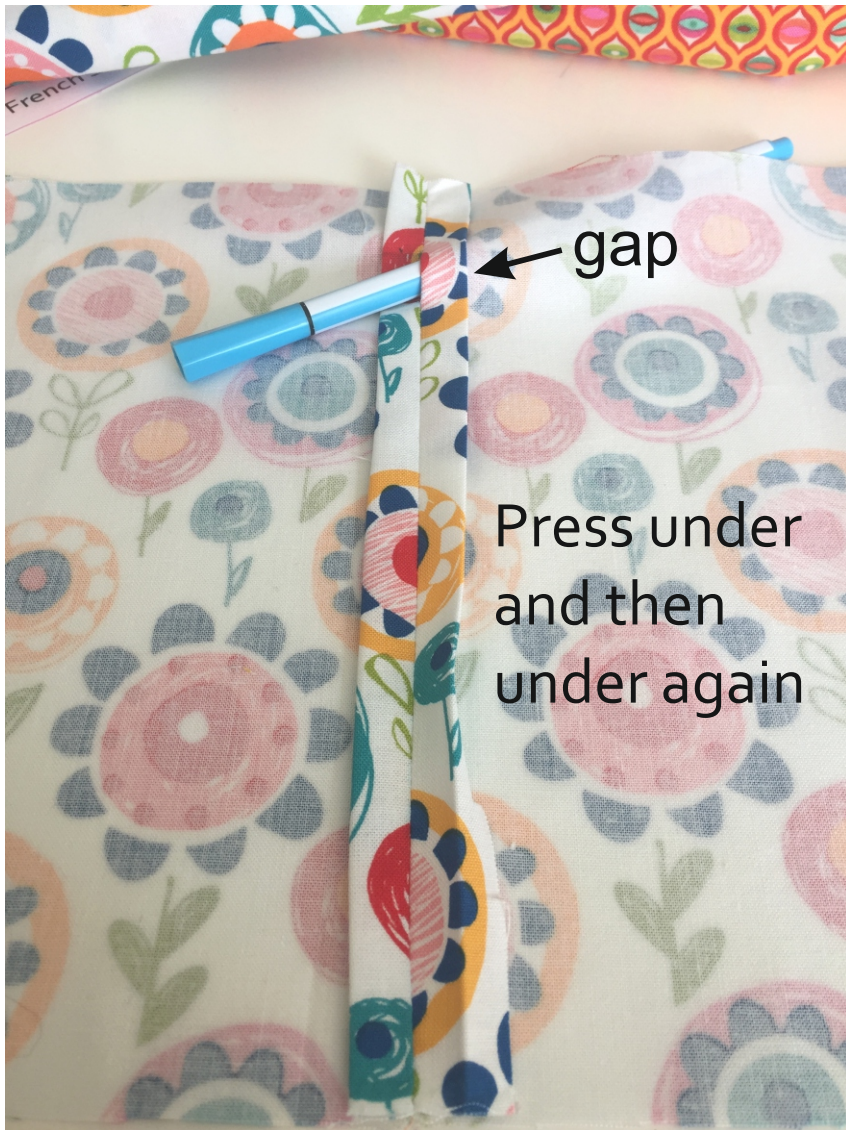
Simply make a rectangle the size you would like your bag to be and add 2 cm seam allowance on the sides and base and 3 cm seam allowance on the top edge.



Step 1

For the first side seam, take a 2 cm seam allowance and sew 3 cm down, back tack and then leave a gap of 1.5 cm, this is for the tie cord - now continue to sew the rest of the seam.





From the wrong side press the seam allowance in half and tuck under. The top stitch in place, this makes a strong and neat seam.

This is how it looks from the right side



Step 2

To create the other side seam we will make a French seam. First take 1 cm seam allowance on the right side of the fabric, trim down this edge by half to neaten. Then turn the bag to the wrong side and take 1 cm seam allowance, this captures the raw edge in the seam.



Sew side seam from the right side trim down by half



turn to the wrong side and sew again

Step 3

The base of the bag can also be finished with a french seam



Turn the bag to the right side



Take 1 cm seam allowance - then trim by half



Pin down the seam to help

Turn to the wrong side and sew again taking 1 cm seam allowance

Step 4 - the top of the bag



The 1.5 cm gap will be perfectly aligned on the right side



Thread through the tie cord

