

DIY REVERSIBLE TOTE BAG

SUPPLIES

- Sturdy Cotton/Linen Look Fabric
- Decorative Trim of your choice
- 3/2" Cord (2)
- Scissors
- Ruler/Measuring Tape
- Sewing Machine
- Iron
- 14mm Grommets
- Hammer/Mallet

STEP 1

Cut 4 (16"x18") rectangles of your fabric.

STEP 2

Cut 2 squares (2"x2") off the bottom corners of your rectangles as shown.



STEP 3

Sew on decorative trim to the right side of the fabric.



TIP: Don't be afraid to get creative!

STEP 4

Sew the sides and base of the rectangles together, wrong side facing out. Leave a 1/2" seam and leave corners and the bag opening unstitched.

STEP 5

Pinch the corner gaps together and stitch them shut. This will be the base of your bag.



STEP 6

Repeat Steps 2-5 for the second look.

STEP 7

Once you have completed the stitching for both looks, flip Look #1 wrong side out and keep Look #2 right side out. Place Look #2 into Look #1.

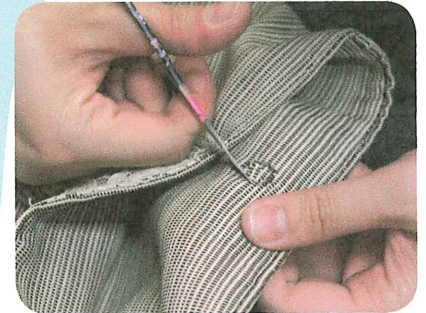


STEP 8

Sew the openings of the bags together.

STEP 9

Mark holes 4-5" away from the edge of the bag for the handles. Use your grommets as a template to mark the hole size and cut accordingly.



STEP 10

Insert grommets into holes and hammer together follow grommet package instructions.



NOTE: Complete this step on a sturdy surface.

STEP 11

Loop in your cord and tie a knot to secure.

OPTIONAL: Fray edges of knot

PRO TIP

Use an iron to press your stitches between steps for easier handling and cleaner look.

