

Tissue Box Cover
Plastic Bag Container
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Supply List

1 fat quarter of main fabric

1 fat quarter of lining

1 fat quarter of contrast for strap and flap

Fusible fleece cut the same size as the main parts

Serger thread to match



Other Supplies.

10 mm non-woven bias binder

1 9" x ¼ "elastic for flap closure

1 decorative button

Box of tissue

Paper tape

From Main fabric and lining Cut equal pieces

1-3 ½" x 18" this is the top

1-4 ½" x 18 cut in half to make 2-4 ½" x 9 for the opening of the tissue holder the center

1- 6 ½" x 18 this is the bottom

From the contrast cut

2 -3" x 22" for the straps 2@ 6" x 7" for the flap

1- 1 3/8" x 22" straight of grain for binding

First step:

Fuse the fleece to the back of each of the main fabric pieces. With the 4 ½" x 9" sections and the lining with wrong sides together apply a strip of binding to 1 short side of each of the 4 ½" sides of the center. Place the 2 binding pieces together and tape the bindings together. This will make a section 4 ½" x about 19". Set aside

Sandwich the top main section with right sides together with one long edge of the center section with the main fabric apply the same size lining to the back with right side together and serge. Repeat with the bottom.

Second step:

Square up the sides. Apply a strip of binding to the top edge of the top section. Put right sides together and serge. Flatten so that the seam is in the same direction as the center opening, serge across the bottom. Cut a square from each bottom corners 1 ½" from the serged edge measure from the top of the seam.

Flap and straps:

Fold the strap fabric in half with wrong sides together serge a wave stitch down each side and across one short end finish off one short end. Stitch with a regular sewing machine to the inside of the tissue box.

Flap:

Place the fusible fleece to one side of one piece of the flap fabric. Add the lining to the back side with wrong sides together. Trim with template. Add a wave stitch to the curve and across the top. Stitch to the back of the tissue box cover with regular sewing machine.

Machine set up for chain stitch:

Refer to the Quick Reference guide for the chain stitch.

Machine set up for the wave stitch.

Wide wave. O1 needle Stitch selector on A
Stitch width 7.5 Stitch length 1.0 – 1.5. Make sure that the wave stitch is selected from overlock. Refer to the quick reference guide for the threading path for the wave.

Use 4-thread overlock for construction.





