

Walker Bags

Supplies: 15" X 20' Canvas or home decorator fabric
4 coordinating fat q quarters or some of your stash
4 - 18" ribbons, light weight webbing, shoelaces etc. for ties (or two 36" cut in half)

Sewing

1. Trim one fat quarter to 15" X 20" . (BASE)
2. Trim 2nd fat quarter to 15" X 18" , first pocket.
3. Trim 3'd fat quarter to 12" X 19" , second pocket.
4. Trim 4th fat quarter to 13" X 15" , third pocket.
5. Cut Ties in half if needed and set aside {four 18" ties}.
6. Fold all pockets in half and press.
 1. Pocket#1- 9 x 15" folded;
 2. Pocket #2-6x 19" folded, this pocket will have tucks;
 3. Pocket #3 - 6 1/2" x 75" folded.
 4. Sew close to folds of all pockets for stability.
7. Lay pocket #1 down first aligning cut edges with the 15" side of the base piece of fabric on the right side. Pocket #2 goes on top of #1, making tucks in fabric to fit the width of the base, make tucks near each corner and two in the middle. Pocket #3 goes on the opposite side of the bag
8. After pinning, baste pockets to base piece.
9. Place ties 3" from bottom and pin or baste in place.
10. Lay canvas on top face down and pin. Be sure to tuck ties inside before sewing. Sew 1/2" around leaving an opening to turn right sides out, approx.. 4"
11. Turn right sides out and press. Sew 3/4" around edge, making sure to turn under at opening and catch in stitching.
12. Sew the pockets on the stitching lines indicated and reinforce at the tops with an X or zigzag or your favorite method.
13. NOTE: If you are using plain fabrics, be creative and decorate the bags. (ribbons, button, beads, hand work, or applique) up to you. Have fun with it.

