

Fabric bookmark

SUPPLIES NEEDED:

- Fabric-(2) 2" x 6½"
- Medium weight fusible interfacing (1) 1½"x 6"
- Yarn or ribbon 2-3"

TOOLS NEEDED:

- Sewing machine
- Thread
- Scissors
- Iron
- Ironing board
- Pins or clips

SKILLS:

- Sewing a straight line
- Top stitching
- Cutting Fabric
- Using interfacing
- Pressing
- Turning fabric

MAKING YOUR BOOKMARK:

1. Cut (2) 2" x 6½" fabric pieces (Image 1) and (1) 1½"x 6" interfacing (Image 2).

2. Fuse the interfacing to the center of the wrong side of (1) fabric piece (Image 2).

3. Cut a 2-3" piece of yarn or ribbon, fold it in half, line it up in the center of the top of the bookmark raw edges lined up, sandwiched between the (2) layers, pin or clip in place. (Image 3 & 4)

4. Place the right sides of the fabric together, sew ¼" seam around all edges, making sure to leave a 2-3" opening on one of the long sides to turn it out later, and backstitch at the beginning, and end. (Image 5)

5. Clip the corners (Image 5) being sure not to cut through the seam, turn the bookmark right side out, push out the corners and sides, and press with your iron. When pressing the opening make sure it is straight and even to help when topstitching later.

6. Top stitch ⅛" seam allowance around the entire bookmark closing the opening you made to turn it right sides out. (Image 6)

7. All done! You can add a tassel at the top if you prefer.



Image 1



Image 2



Image 3



Image 4



Image 5



Image 6

