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FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

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ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

- 12” All Purpose Zipper
- One (1) Magnetic Snap
- One (1) 1 1/2” Circle Ring
- Pellon Craft and Home Decor Interfacing 926
- Fusible Fleece

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**CUTTING DIRECTIONS**

- One (1) 8 1/2” x 13 1/2” rectangle from Fabric A (Front Clutch)
- Two (2) 8 1/2” x 13 1/2” rectangle from Interfacing (Front and Back)
- Two (2) 6 1/4” x 8 1/2” rectangles from Fabric A (Back Clutch)
- One (1) 2” x 8 1/2” strip from Fabric C (Back Clutch)
- Two (2) 1 1/2” x 3” strips from Fabric A (Zipper Tabs)
- Two (2) 8 1/2” x 13 1/2” rectangles from Fabric D (Lining)
- One (1) 9” x 10” rectangle from Fabric B (Flap)
- One (1) 4 1/2” x 10” rectangle from Interfacing (Flap)
- Two (2) 6” x 9 1/2” rectangle from Fabric B (Pocket)
- One (1) 6’ x 9 1/2” rectangle from Interfacing (Pocket)
- Two (2) 2 1/2” x 4 1/2” strip from Fabric C (Strip closure top)
- One (1) 2 1/2” x 4 1/2” strip from fusible fleece
- Two (2) 2 1/2” x 8” strip from Fabric C (Strip closure bottom)
- One (1) 2 1/2” x 8” strip from Fusible Fleece

**CONSTRUCTION**

*Sew all rights sides together with 1/2” seam allowance, unless otherwise noted.*

- Take a 1 1/2” x 3” strip from Fabric A fold raw edges on each 1 1/2” side in at 1/4” and then fold in half and press. Sandwich one end of your zipper in the folded strip from Fabric A and pin in place and stitch as close to the edge as possible. Repeat this same process for the other end of your zipper. (Diagram 1)

**Flap Construction:**

- Take a 9” x 10” rectangle from Fabric B and place a 4 1/2” x 10” piece of interfacing at the bottom of your piece and stitch sides down as close to the edge as possible. (Diagram 3)

- Now fold piece in half with right sides together and stitch sides at 1/4” and flip right side of flap out. Press piece and topstitch around sides and bottom of piece at 1/4”. (Diagram 4)
Pocket Construction:

- Take a 6” x 9 1/2” rectangle from Fabric A and sew a 6” x 9 1/2” piece of interfacing to the wrong side of the fabric. Take both 6” x 9 1/2” rectangles and sew right sides together all the way around leaving a small unsewn portion at the top of your piece to pull right side of fabric through.

- Pull right side of fabric through and tuck under unsewn portion and pin in place. Topstitch top of piece at 1/8” and then again at 1/2”.

- Pin pocket to front clutch at 1 1/4” up from the center bottom. Topstitch pocket down to front clutch at 1/8” and then again at 1/2”.

- Take flap and fold raw edge of pocket at 1/4” and press. Place 1 1/4” down from the top of your clutch centering to your pocket. Topstitch top of flap at 1/8” and then at 1/2”. (Diagram 5)

Attaching the Circle Ring

- Take both 2 1/2” x 4 1/2” strips from Fabric C and iron fusible fleece to wrong side of one of your strips. Sew strips wrong side together, sewing the long sides of your strips. Flip right side of the fabric through using a safety pin. Press piece flat. (Diagram 6.1)

- Tuck raw edges inside tube created when sewing the two strips together and pin in place. (Diagram 6.2)

- Top stitch at 1/8” on the sides and bottom of you strips. (Diagram 6.3)
• Take circle ring and thread it through the strip and fold end over 1”. Topstitch a small rectangle to secure ring in place. (Diagram 6.4)

• Place top of strip and ring at the center top of your piece and topstitch a rectangle to secure your strip to the front clutch. (Diagram 6.5)

Sewing the Zipper

• Sandwich a 12” zipper with zipper tabs between your back clutch and lining piece. Make sure right sides are touching and sew zipper down with a zipper foot. (Diagram 7.1)

• Press fabrics with wrong sides together and repeat the same process on the other side of the zipper with the front clutch and other lining piece.

• You should now have a piece that looks like Diagram 7.2.

• Pull away top fabric and topstitch the lining seams down, sewing as close the edge of the fabric. (Diagram 7.3)

Applying the Magnetic Snap

• Note: A magnetic snap has two main components, a male side & a female side. The magnetic snap also comes with a backing washer for each component. When you purchase a magnetic snap, you will receive 4 metal pieces in total.

• Take one of your 2 1/2” x 8 1/2” strips from Fabric C and iron a piece of fusible fleece to the wrong side of the fabric. This is where you are going to be attaching both the male and female side of your magnet.
• Find the midpoint of your strip and measure up 1 1/4” from one end of your strip and mark on the fusible side. Place a washer on this mark. Mark with a pencil two lines, from top and bottom tracing inside the rectangles on the washer. (Diagram 8)

![Diagram 8](image)

• Remove the washer and make two slits on those marks using a small pair of sharp scissors.

• Place the arms of the male magnet clasp through the slits from the right side of the strip.

![Diagram 9](image)

• Put the washer over the arms from the fusible side.

• Using pliers, fold each arm of the clasp out and down in opposite directions around the washer. Make the arms as flat as a possible.

![Diagram 10](image)

• To attach the female side of the magnetic snap measure 4 1/2” up from the same end as the male magnetic snap. Repeat the same process following Diagram 8-10 with the female magnetic snap.

• Take your other 2 1/2’ x 8 1/2’ and place it right sides together to the 2 1/2’ x 8 1/2’ strip with the magnetic snaps attached to it. Sew the longer sides together and flip right side of the fabric through with a safety pin.

• Turn raw edges under like we did in Diagram 6.2 on the end closest to the male magnet. Press and pin place and topstitch strip just like we did in Diagram 6.3.

• Once your strip is topstitched, place strip at the bottom center of your front clutch, make sure magnets are facing up and sew at 1/4” to the bottom of your clutch. Topstitch a small rectangle on strip to secure to front clutch just like we did in Diagram 6.5.

• Now you should be able to thread your bottom strip through the circle ring and attach your magnets together.

• Next unzip zipper half way and place front and back clutch right sides together as well as the lining pieces. Sew all the way around your piece leaving a small unsewn portion in the bottom of you lining.

• Pull right side of fabric through the unsewn portion and then sew unsewn portion closed and place lining inside of your clutch!