

# bernette Piggy Bank Canvas

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## Materials List

- 31cm x 41cm (12" x 16") Canvas or similar size
- Base fabric 40cm x 50cm
- Iron on Interfacing 40cm x 50cm
- Pink Felt Square 21cm x 30cm
- 12cm Pink Zip
- Pink Pipe Cleaner
- Googly Eye or similar
- Pink and Black Thread
- Bernette 33 Sewing Machine

## Method

- Iron the interfacing onto the back of your base fabric.
- Use the pattern provided to cut your pig out of felt. Make sure you cut out the zipper section. Use chalk or a vanishing pen to transfer the buttonhole, tail, eye and mouth markings.
- Select the Overlocking Stitch G and change the Stitch Length to 1mm

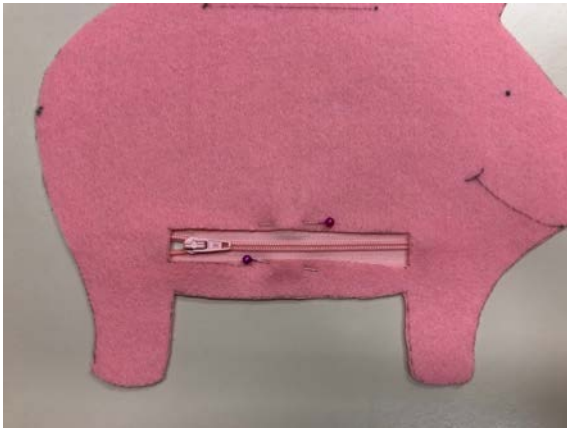


- Place your base fabric under the presser foot so the edge of the fabric, sits on the right inside edge of the foot.

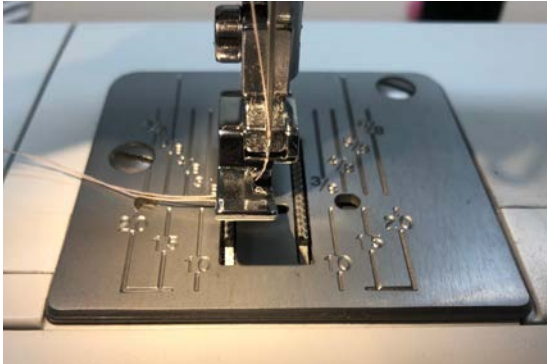


- Wind a bobbing and thread your machine with the Pink thread. Make sure the standard presser foot is attached.

- Stitch around all four sides of your base fabric with the Overlock stitch.
- Take your felt pig and slide the zip under the cut out section. Make sure the zip is centred and pin it in place.



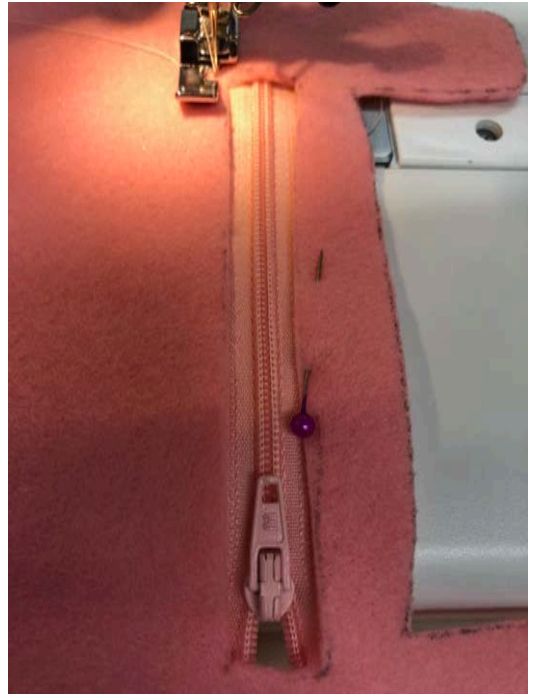
- Attach the Zipper Foot to the machine.



- Select Stitch A and move the Stitch Length to 2.5mm



- Place the pig under your presser foot so the zipper is to the right. The needle should be a few millimetres away from the edge of the felt.



- Stitch around the four sides of the zip. Make sure you start and end with some reverse stitches.



- Remove the Zipper Foot and attach the Standard Foot.

- Select Step 1 of the Buttonhole and change the Stitch Length to 0.5mm (the buttonhole symbol)



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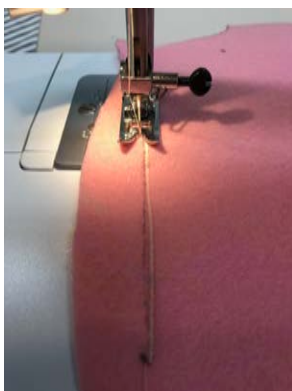
- Stitch down until you come to where you started the Buttonhole. Change to step 2/4 of the Buttonhole and finish off with 6-8 stitches.

- Starting at one end of the Buttonhole marking, stitch down until you reach the other end.
- Change to step 2/4 of the Buttonhole



- Use a small pair of scissors or a quick unpick to open your buttonhole.

- Stich 6-8 stitch with the bar tack. Lift the needle out of your felt. Lift the presser foot and turn the pig 180 degrees to your are facing where you started.





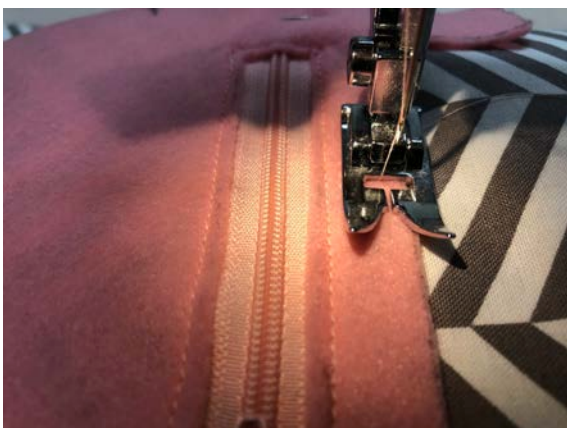
- Select Stitch A and move the Stitch Length to 2.5mm



- Place the pig in the centre of your fabric, and pin into place. Take your Pipe Cleaner and fold it in half. Curl it around your fingers. Slide the two ends between the base fabric and the pig at the tail marking and pin it in place.



- Place your work under the presser foot so the needle is a few millimetres away from the felt edge



- Stitch around your pig, doing a few reverse stitches over the tail.



- Sew a row of stitching along the bottom edge of the zipper and the top edge of the buttonhole. This will help secure both and make them easier to open



- Change the upper thread to Black. Move the Stitch Length dial to the **S**. This will give you a Triple Straight Stitch.



- Stitch in the mouth section.



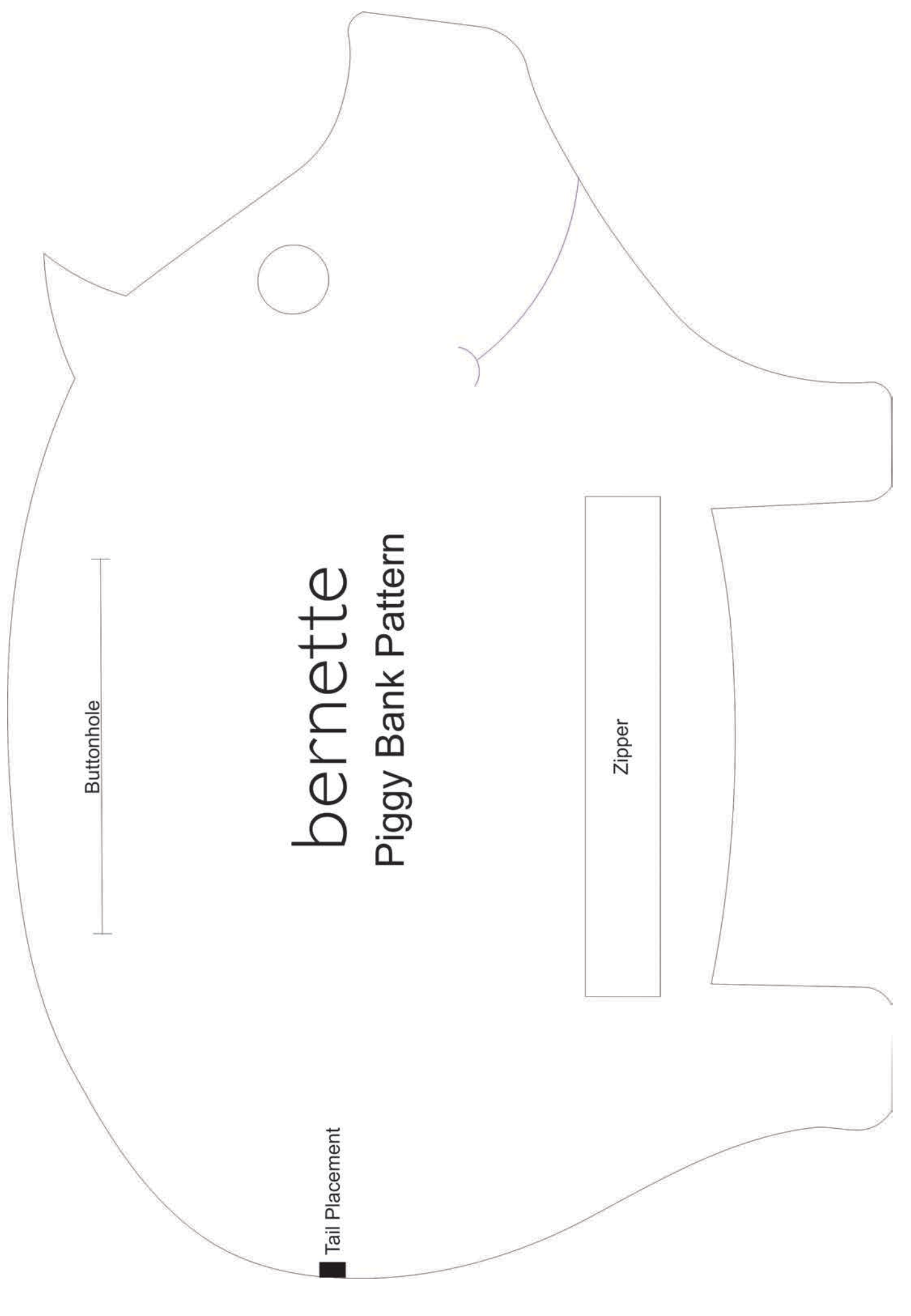
- Stitch

- Attached your googlie eye.



- Attach your work to the canvas and enjoy!





Buttonhole

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## Piggy Bank Pattern

Zipper

Tail Placement