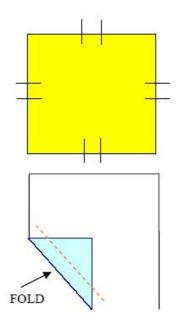# BERNINA✛

Draw String Bag

FOLD

Requirements

- **2 x pieces of cotton fabric, 1 plain, 1 patterned. Cut each fabric piece to measure a 25 cm square**
- **2 x 70cm of narrow ribbon, braid or cord**
- **Matching sewing thread**
- **# 10 foot (edge stitch foot)**

1. With right sides of the fabric together and a 1cm seam allowance, stitch around the square, leaving an 8cm gap at one side.
2. Turn through to the right sides, clip the corners and press.
3. Attach the # **10 Foot** and move your needle position to the far left.
4. Stitch around all 4 sides of the square (*perfect top stitching*).
5. Taking each corner in turn, measure 8cm in each direction from each corner and mark with a pin (8 pins in all) (1st diagram).
6. Fold over each corner using the pin positions as a guide and press (2nd diagram).
7. About 1 cm from the folded edge stitch a line across each corner (- - - - - -).
8. Thread one ribbon through the channels starting at one side.
9. Thread the second ribbon through from the opposite side.
10. Knot the free ends of each ribbon together.
11. With folded corners to the outside, fill the bag with sweets, soap, pot-pouri or tissue wrapped jewellery.
12. Pull the ribbons tight to close.

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