Sew-Fab Foam Bag with Monogram

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Materials:

- Jenny's Hoop Magic® Pressure Sensitive Tearaway
- Jenny's Water Soluble® Topping
- · Jenny's Rayon Thread
- Monogram Design of your choice
- 1x Fat Quarter
- 2x 8" Squares RNK's Sew-Fab Foam®
- 1x 7" Decorative Ribbon
- Sewing Thread
- Zipper Foot
- Sewing Foot
- Precision Turning Tool





Directions:

- 1. Fuse Sew Fab Foam® (smooth side) to the wrong side of the fabric.
- 2. Cut out the two 8" squares of Sew-Fab Foam that has been fused to the fabric.
- 3. Place the Hoop Magic in the embroidery hoop. Score the Paper Release Paper from corner to corner and all around the inside of the hoop.



4. Remove the Paper Release Paper in 4 easy pieces.



- 5. Bring up the monogram or design for the front of the bag.
- 6. Position the bag front on the Hoop Magic in the desired position. Make sure when you decide where you want your monogram/design to be located it is in the bottom section of the bag front, away from the zipper.

7. Embroider your monogram using Jenny's Water Soluble Topping on top of the fabric.



- 8. After embroidering remove the Water Soluble Topping.
- 9. Position the decorative zipper on the bag front where you would like the opening of the bag to be. Sew the zipper into position.



- 10. Turn the bag front over and cut the foam apart following the teeth of the zipper.
- 11. Pin the bag front and back together with right sides together. Make sure you have the zipper open approximately ½ way. You can mark your stitch line if it makes it easier.



12. Sew all around the bag to stitch it together. Trim corners and ends of the zipper.



13. Gently open the zipper the rest of the way.

14. Turn the bag inside out and use your Precision Turning Tool to make sure all corners are pushed out.



- 15. Zip the zipper and steam press your bag to finish.
- 16. Fill your bag with your favorite items!

^{*}If you have an "In the Hoop" bag project, Sew-Fab Foam would be great to use for it!