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ANCHOR HESSIAN BAG

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WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- 0.65m Anchor Metallic Printed Hessian Fabric
- Sewing Machine
- Scissors
- Pins
- 80/12 Universal Sewing Needle
- Polyester Thread
- Tape Measure

INSTRUCTIONS

This is a super quick and easy bag to make. Note the finished bag will be 41cm x 41cm x 15cm deep.

- Step 1.** Start by cutting out your pieces, these measurements include your seam allowance;
- 1 x 58cm x 101cm piece for the main of the body. (1 side of your bag will have the pattern upside down)
 - 2 x 10cm x 50cm pieces for the handle.

Step 2. Fold a 2cm hem on both the short ends of your main body piece, stitch down using the sewing machine. These 2 edges will be the opening of your finished bag.

Step 3. Trifold the 10x50cm panels along the length. Using a double stitch, sew along the length of the handle. Attach these handles on the hem you just made of the inside of the main body. These will be your bag handles. Top stitch to secure in place.

Step 4. Fold the main body in half and pin along both sides with right sides facing together. Sew a 1 cm seam along each side.

Step 5. To make the square corners of the bag, flatten the base of the bag out and measure in 7.5cm from the corner tip and pin through both layers of fabric. Sew a straight line across the corner at the 7.5cm mark, you should create a triangle shape. The sewn line should be 15cm in length. Repeat on the other side. This will create a 15cm base/gusset to your bag.

Step 6. Once both corners have been sewn, turn bag inside out and use hands to push out the corners neatly. Your bag is now ready for use!

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