

You will be making a drawstring bag. For each step you complete, you MUST get the instructor's initials before starting the next step. DO NOT proceed until you do this or you will not get credit for those steps. (Also, you might make a little mistake that will turn into a big mistake.) Every time you see a line ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) you MUST see your instructor so she can check your work and initial on the line.

1. Cut out the drawstring bag pattern. Fold your fabric and place the edge of the pattern that says "Place on fold" right along the folded edge. Pin on. Have instructor check pinning. ( \_\_\_\_\_ )
2. Cut out fabric. DO NOT cut the edge that is on the fold. ( \_\_\_\_\_ )
3. With the WRONG side of the fabric facing you, line up the notches and use a tracing wheel and tracing paper to mark the sewing lines and dots. ( \_\_\_\_\_ )
4. Fold the fabric in half with the RIGHT sides facing each other, matching your notches. Pin in place. ( \_\_\_\_\_ )
5. Using a small running stitch, sew along the sewing line across the bottom of the bag and up the long side, stopping at the dot. Make a knot here at the dot. Knot this twice so it is secure. ( \_\_\_\_\_ )
6. Start sewing at the next dot and sew to the edge of the bag. Knot the thread at the edge. Clip your corner (see pattern for location of what you are to clip.) ( \_\_\_\_\_ )
7. Press (iron) the long side seams open and flat. Fold the top edge of the bag down (1/4"). Press this edge. Fold this down again to the hairline mark and press again. ( \_\_\_\_\_ )
8. Sew this seam using the invisible hem stitch. ( \_\_\_\_\_ )
9. Turn bag right side out. Using a safety pin, thread a string through the opening in the bag, through the casing and back out of the opening. Remove the pin and tie the end of the string together. ( \_\_\_\_\_ )
10. Now pin your bag to this paper and turn it in for a grade. Your project is finished!

All steps followed correctly \_\_\_\_\_ Neatness \_\_\_\_\_ Completed on time \_\_\_\_\_ Total \_\_\_\_\_

