

DIY REVERSIBLE HALLOWEEN BAG

Choose two 112cm cotton fabrics x .7m each and cut out 2 rectangles from both designs. This tutorial uses rectangles of 51x66cm (20x26''). You can easily adjust the size of the bag and fabric needed to fit the trick-or-treater.



Pin together 2 panels of the same design, right sides together. Sew the panels together along one short edge, 1.25cm (1/2'') from the edge. Iron seams flat.



With right sides together, pin and sew the 2 designs along the 2 shorter edges to create a circle of fabric. Iron seams flat.



Line up the new seams with right sides still together and stitch along the long sides, starting 2cm or so from the seam where the two fabrics meet leaving an opening.

Do this 4 times, creating the seams for the sides of your bag.



Trim the corners and turn bag inside out through one of the openings by the seam. Invert one side into the other to create the bag.

Top stitch just below the openings about 1.5cm from the edge. (If you are using a particularly wide cord you may want to adjust this to 2 or 2.5cm.) Cut 2 pieces of cord each about 2x the width of the bag plus an additional 20.3cm (8") for ease. (Example shown: about 142.25cm (56") 2x pieces.)



Using a safety pin, thread one cord through one side of the bag, then the other side. Tie ends and trim. Repeat with other piece of cord going in the opposite direction. Knot the 2 ends of cord and pull to close.

