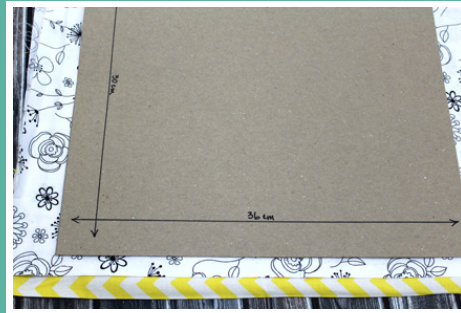




What you need:

.5m x 2 coordinating cotton prints
3m (120") cording (2 pieces x 1.5m)
Thread



What you do:

1. Cut 2 pieces of each print 30x36cm (12x14")



2. Sew face and lining together along the top edge.
Fold 1cm (1/2") along the side edge and press.

3. With wrong sides of face and lining fabrics together, stitch 3cm from the top edge to create channels for the cord.



4. Clip the fabric close to the sewn seam and press flat. With right sides together, sew along side edges being careful not to catch the top channel edges. Press seams open.



5. Fold face side out and thread 1 piece of cord through both channels, working left to right. Repeat in the opposite direction for the 2nd cord piece as shown.



6. Tack the cord ends to the bottom corners of the face fabric.



7. With right sides together, sew the bottom edge of the face fabric being careful not to stitch through lining.

8. Pin the lining fabric right sides together as shown and stitch from the edges towards the center leaving a small opening. (careful not to catch the face fabric)



9. Pull the face through the opening, press lining seam and sew the opening closed either by hand or machine.

10. Turn face side out to complete.

OPTIONAL: add embellishments such as appliques to make it extra special.

