

## 4x6 drawstring bags

Christmas Fabrics Please (solid colors OK, decorated denim etc. Christmas décor)

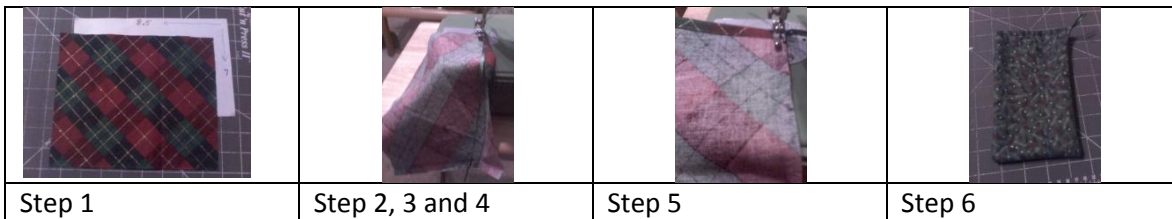
3 versions available depending on the fabric pieces used.

All directions use ¼ in. seam allowance.

Requirements: Scraps of Christmas fabric, 1/8 or ¼ in. ribbon.

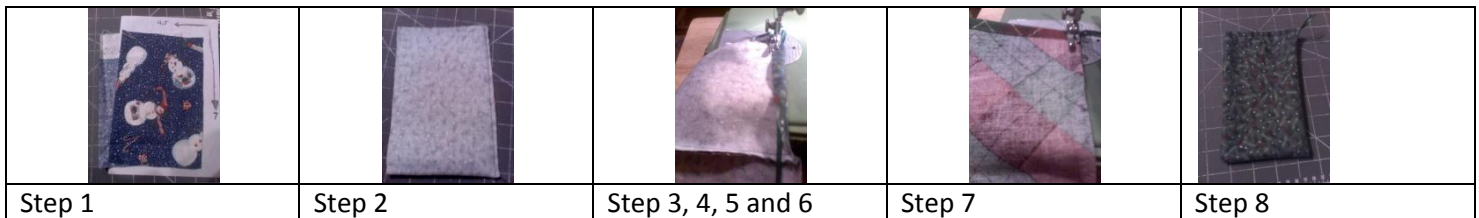
### Version I Side Fold

1. Cut Fabric 8.5x7.
2. Fold ½ in. down along 8.5 edge and press.
3. Place 1/8 in. or ¼ in. ribbon under ribbon should be approximately 9 in. long fold lining ribbon to fold.
4. Sew along edge that was folded down, you can use a straight, zig-zag or decorative stitch.
5. Fold bag in half and stitch along 2 edges being careful to allow the draw string to move (don't sew the drawstring into the seam).
6. Turn bag inside out.



### Version II 2 piece bag






1. Cut 2 pieces of fabric 4.5 x 7.
2. Sew along 4.5 edge to create one piece 4.5 x 13.5.
3. Sew one 7 in. side closed.
4. Fold ½ in. down along 8.5 edge and press.
5. Place 1/8 in. or ¼ in. ribbon under ribbon should be approximately 9 in. long fold lining ribbon to fold.
6. Sew along edge that was folded down, you can use a straight, zig-zag or decorative stitch.
7. Stitch along 2 edges being careful to allow the draw string to move (don't sew the drawstring into the seam).
8. Turn bag inside out.



### Version III bottom fold bag

1. Cut fabric 4.5 x 14.
2. Sew one 7 in. side closed.
3. Fold ½ in. down along 8.5 edge and press.
4. Place 1/8 in. or ¼ in. ribbon under ribbon should be approximately 9 in. long fold lining ribbon to fold.
5. Sew along edge that was folded down, you can use a straight, zig-zag or decorative stitch.

6. Stitch along 2 edges being careful to allow the draw string to move (don't sew the drawstring into the seam).
7. Turn bag inside out.

				
Step 1	Step 2	Step 3, 4 and 5	Step 6	Step 7

Mail completed bags to:

Operation Care Package  
611 Wilcox St.  
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