

Margaret Moorehead's

# Virtual Sewing Guild OnLine Class

# **Royal Dual Duty Baby Bib**



# **Supply List:**

- \* Fabric for Side 1 of Bib
- \* Fabric for Side 2 of Bib
- \* Fusible Interfacing
- \* Snaps and Snap Kit
- \* Painters Tape

# **Equipment List:**

- \* Sewing Machine in good working order
- \* 1/4" foot
- \* Edge Stitch Foot
- \* Open Toe Foot
- \* General Sewing Supplies



#### Note:

These instructions are to be used in conjunction with the video for this class.

### **Dual Duty Bib**

This bib is cute, easy and oh so FUNCTIONAL!

Although no embroidery was used on the bibs in this class, adding embroidery could be a fun way to personalize these!

Be creative and enjoy the process!

## Royal Dual Duty Baby Bib

Fabric and Batting	Quantity	size	prep
Bib Fabric Side 1	1	12" x 12" square	
Bib Fabric Side 2	1	12" x 12" square	
Fusible Interfacing	2	4" squares	Cut Each square from corner to corner to create 2 triangles from each square for a total of 4 triangles.

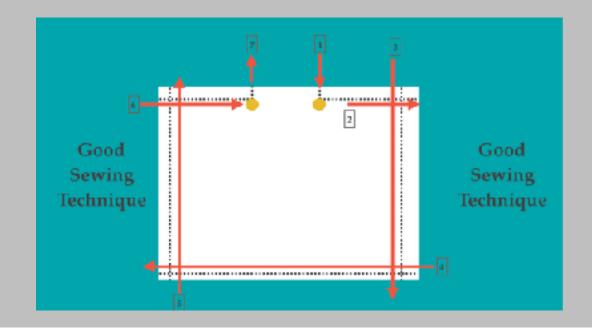


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## Ready, Set, GO!

- 1. Cut TWO 12" squares of coordinating fabric
- 2. Cut TWO 4" squares of fusible interfacing
- 3. Place the two 12" squares of fabric RST and pin together
- 4. You will need to leave an opening for turning right side out (about 5")
- 5. Mark on your fabric where this will be so you don't accidentally stitch this opening closed.
- 6. Stitch the fabrics together using 1/2" seam allowance and leaving the opening for turning.

**Hint:** When creating an opening for turning your project right sides out, start stitching at the cut edge. Stitch from the cut edge in the distance of your seam allowance (for this project) 1/2" then pivot and continue



- 7. Fuse the triangles of interfacing to the project in opposite corners of the squares.
- 8. Make sure the same corners are fused on side 1 and on side 2

Hint: On some fabrics figuring out which corners have been interfaced once the project has been turned right side out can be difficult. For this reason, be sure to identify the corners that have been interfaced. You want to be sure the snaps get attached to the correct corners.

9. Turn right sides out, and notice how the opening just automatically wants to turn in exactly how it is supposed to.

There is a GREAT tip for turning corners in the video....be sure to refer to it!

- 10. Press the bib.
- 11. Top stitch around all four sides using the stitch of your choice
- 12. I used an open toe foot, a decorative stitch, and embroidery thread in the needle and the bobbin

Hint: Test how you are going to do your top stitching.

Test with the same fabric you are using for your project

Test to make sure you like the length and width of the stitch

Test to see where you want to line up the stitch...how far away from the edge do you want it to be.

Test to make sure the foot you are using works like you want.

Refer to the video for using a "leader" to make stitching over the corners with a decorative stitch a bit easier.

## **Attaching the Snaps**

- Measure in diagonally from the corner 1" and make a mark with your fabric marker.
- 2. Repeat this for the opposite corner (the "other" corner that has the fusible interfacing in it.
- 3. Use a "cap" on both snaps (sometimes you will use a ring on the snaps, but since we want this to be reversible using a cap on both corners gives the bib a nicer look.
- 4. Follow the directions for your Snap tool to attach the snaps
- 5. Make sure the correct side of the snap is on the correct side of the reversible bib, so the snaps will function properly.
- 6. Refer to the video for more details.





Attaching the snaps