

# Coloring Book Zipper Bags In The Hoop 5x7-6x10

## Tools

### Tools:

- 5x7 or 6x10 hoop or similar
- Clear tape
- Fabric sheers
- 5" craft scissors
- Thread snips
- Seam ripper
- Embroidery needle 75/11
- Pre-wound 60wt bobbin
- Embroidery thread - Cream and Black
- Hand sewing needle
- Point turner
- Wonder clips
- Iron and pressing surface
- Fabric markers



**Owl design** was used as example - all Coloring Book Zipper Bags have the same steps.

There are separate instructions for the 4x4 size and the 5x7/6x10.

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## Materials 5X7

**Materials 5"x7": All materials are cut width by height**

- Cream (Front)
  - Bottom Front 9x6
- Main (Pink Paisley)
  - Top Front 9x4
  - Back 9x7
- Lining (Yellow Chevron)
  - Bottom Front Lining 9x6
  - Top Front Lining 9x4
  - Back Lining 9x7
- Pocket (Teal flower)
  - Back Pocket 9x12
- Interfacing - (Woven Iron on Fusible)
  - Bottom Front Interfacing 9x6
  - Top Front Interfacing 9x4
  - Back Pocket Interfacing 9x6
- Foam or Batting 9x7
- Tear away stabilizer large enough to fit the hoop
- Zipper 10-12"
- 20" - ½"-1" wide ribbon
- Beads to slip on ribbon handle (optional)

Pink  
Paisley



Cream

Teal  
flower



Yellow  
Chevron



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## Materials 6x10

**Materials 6x10": All materials are cut width by height**

- Cream (Front)
  - Bottom Front 12x6-½
- Main (Pink Paisley)
  - Top Front 12x5
  - Back 12x8
- Lining (Yellow Chevron)
  - Bottom Front Lining 12x6-½
  - Top Front Lining 12x5
  - Back Lining 12x8
- Pocket (Teal flower)
  - Back Pocket 12x14
- Interfacing - (Woven Iron on Fusible)
  - Bottom Front Interfacing 12x6-½
  - Top Front Interfacing 12x5
  - Back Pocket Interfacing 12x7
- Foam or Batting 12x8
- Tear away stabilizer large enough to fit the hoop
- Zipper 12-14"
- 20" - ½"-1" wide wide ribbon
- Beads to slip on ribbon handle (optional)

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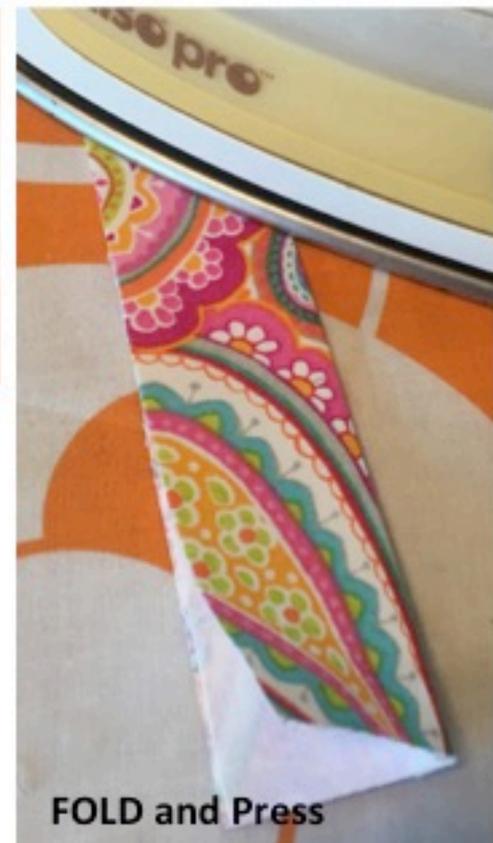
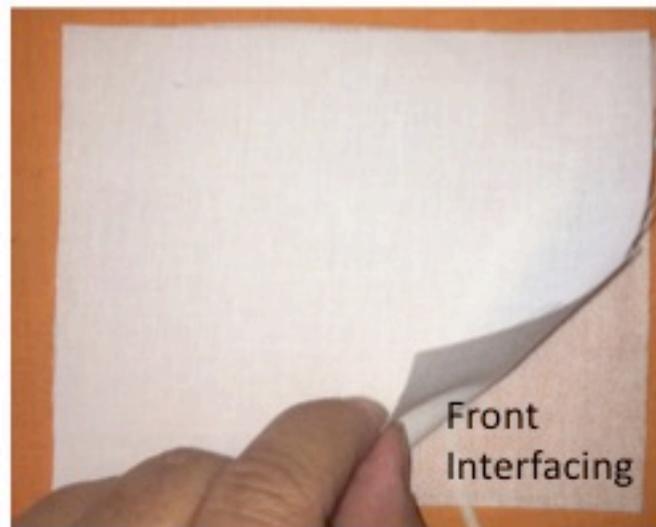


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**5x7 and 6x10 Instructions** are slightly different (the Front Top has a fold) from the 4x4 size.

Using steam iron Press these materials before beginning project:

- **Bottom Front Interfacing** to the wrong side of the **Bottom Front**.
- **Top Front Interfacing** to the wrong side of the **Top Front**. Fold in half lengthwise and press.
- **Back Pocket Interfacing** to the lower edge wrong side of the **Back Pocket**. Fold in half height wise and press.



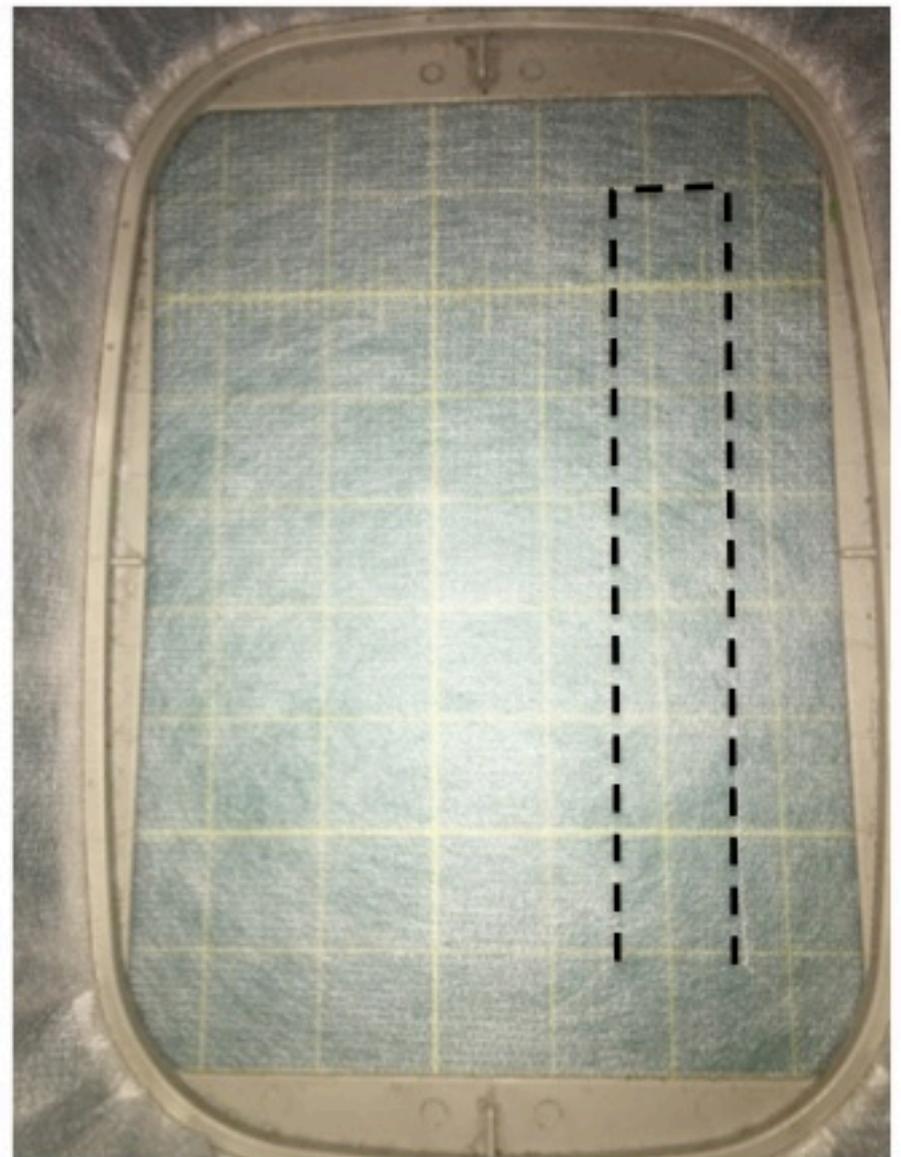
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1. Insert new embroidery needle.  
Thread top with cream thread and  
60wt or pre-wound bobbin (not  
shown).

2. Hoop **tear away stabilizer**.



3. Insert hoop and sew **Stitch #1**,  
the zipper placement stitch.



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4. Remove hoop and place on a flat surface. **\*Do not remove materials from hoop\***. Place zipper inside placement stitch, with the zipper pull at the top of the hoop about  $\frac{1}{2}$ "-1" beyond the stitching. Secure with tape in a few places.



5. Insert hoop back into machine. Sew **Stitch #2**, the zipper secure stitch.



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6. Remove hoop and place on flat surface right side up. Remove tape on zipper. Place one long edge of the **Bottom Front**, wrong side up, along the bottom edge of the zipper tape. Secure with tape. Turn hoop to wrong side facing up. Place the **Bottom Lining**, wrong side up, along the bottom edge of the zipper tape. Secure with tape. Gently insert hoop into machine. Keep fabric from shifting while stitching. Sew **Stitch #3**, the bottom front/zipper secure stitch.



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7. Remove hoop and place on a flat surface. **\*Do not remove materials from hoop\***. Remove tape on both front and back. Flip the **Bottom Front** down toward the bottom of the bag, tape to secure. Finger press. Keep the **Bottom Lining** in the same position as it was. Insert hoop into machine. Keep fabric from shifting while stitching. Sew **Stitch #4**, the bottom front secure stitch.



Stitch #4



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8. Change thread to Black embroidery on top. Sew **Stitch #5**, the coloring book design (Owl design show).



9. Change thread back to cream. Remove hoop and place on a flat surface. **\*Do not remove materials from hoop\***. Turn hoop to wrong side. Flip the **Bottom Front Lining** down toward the bottom of the hoop, tape to secure. Finger press.



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10. Place the **fold** of the **Top Front**  $\frac{1}{4}$ " below the zipper teeth (this lines up with the bottom of the zipper tape) and conceals the zipper.

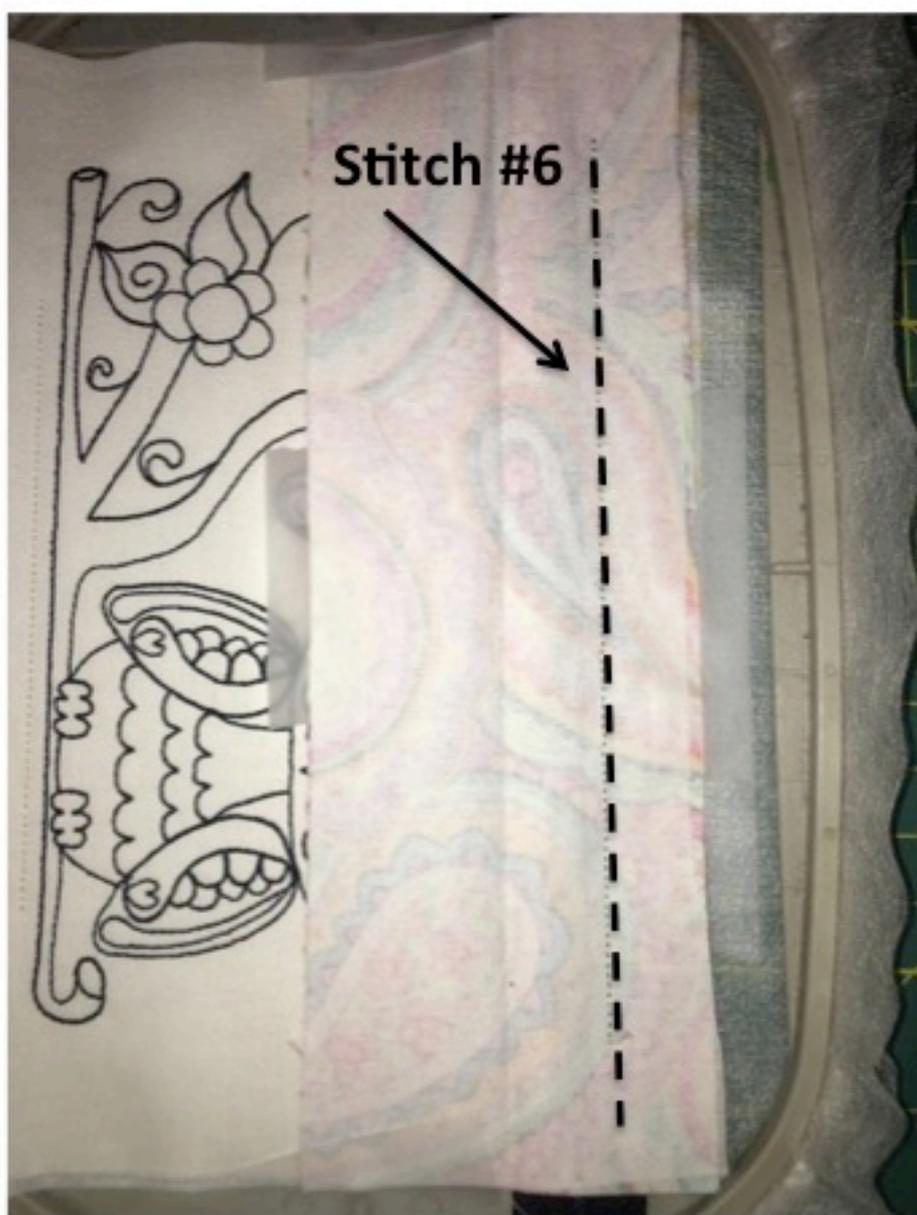


Open the **Top Front** up (keeping fold in position). Tape along sides, top and bottom.



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11. Turn hoop to wrong side. Place the **Top Front Lining** long edge aligned with the top of the zipper tape right side down. Tape to secure in place. Insert hoop into machine. Sew **Stitch #6**, the top zipper secure stitch. Keep fabric from shifting while stitching.



Remove hoop from machine. **\*Do not remove materials from hoop\***. Remove all tape. Flip the **Top Front** toward the top of the bag. Be sure the fold lays flat. Secure the top and with tape.

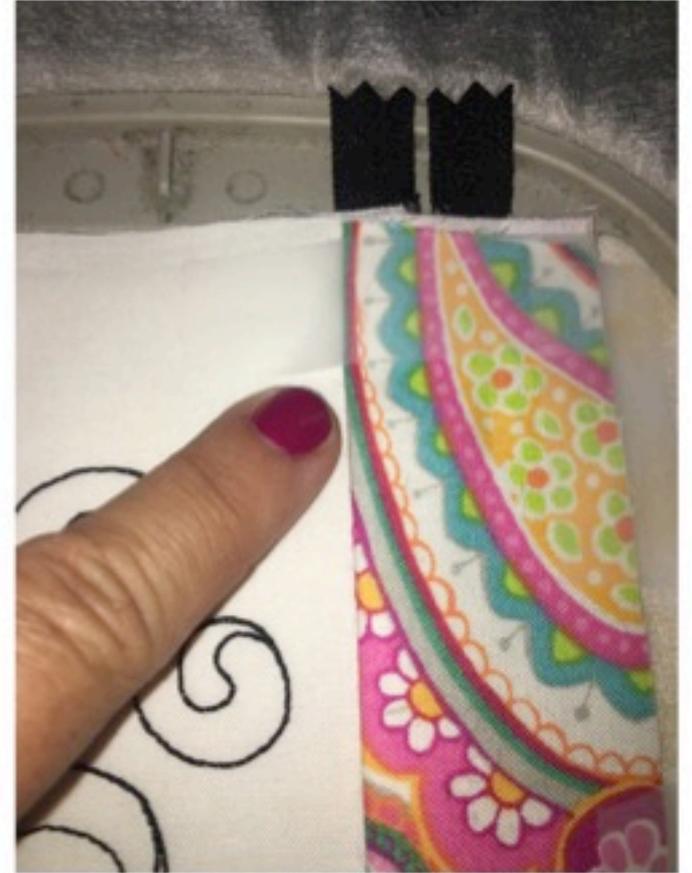


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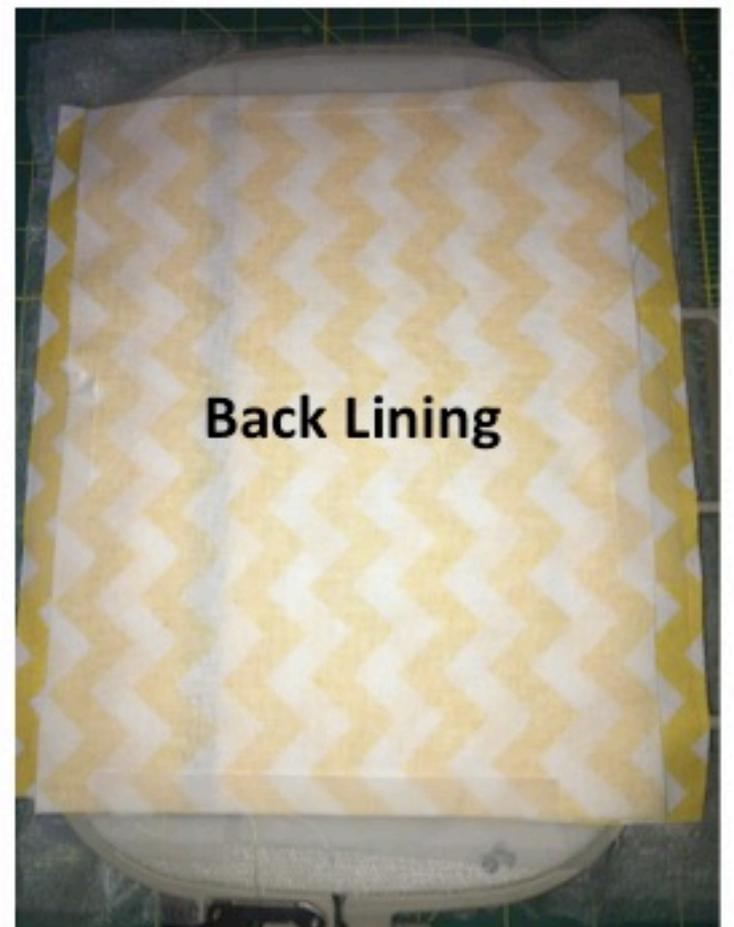
12. Open zipper 2/3rds  
of the way



13. Tape the sides of the **Top Front** fold along where the stitching will be. This will allow for the presser foot to more easily stitch over the **Top Front and zipper**.



14. Turn hoop wrong side up, place the **Back Lining**, wrong side up. Secure with tape.



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15. Insert hoop into machine. Sew **Stitch #7, Back lining** to the **Front**. Be sure the **Top Front** fold lays flat when stitched.



16. Remove hoop from machine. **\*Do not remove materials from hoop\***. Fold ribbon in half. Align the raw edges with the raw edge of the **Bottom Front** and just below **the Top Front** fold. Secure with tape. Fold the length in half and secure with tape. Make sure ribbon is inside of the front coloring book stitching area.

Raw  
edges of  
ribbon

Fold



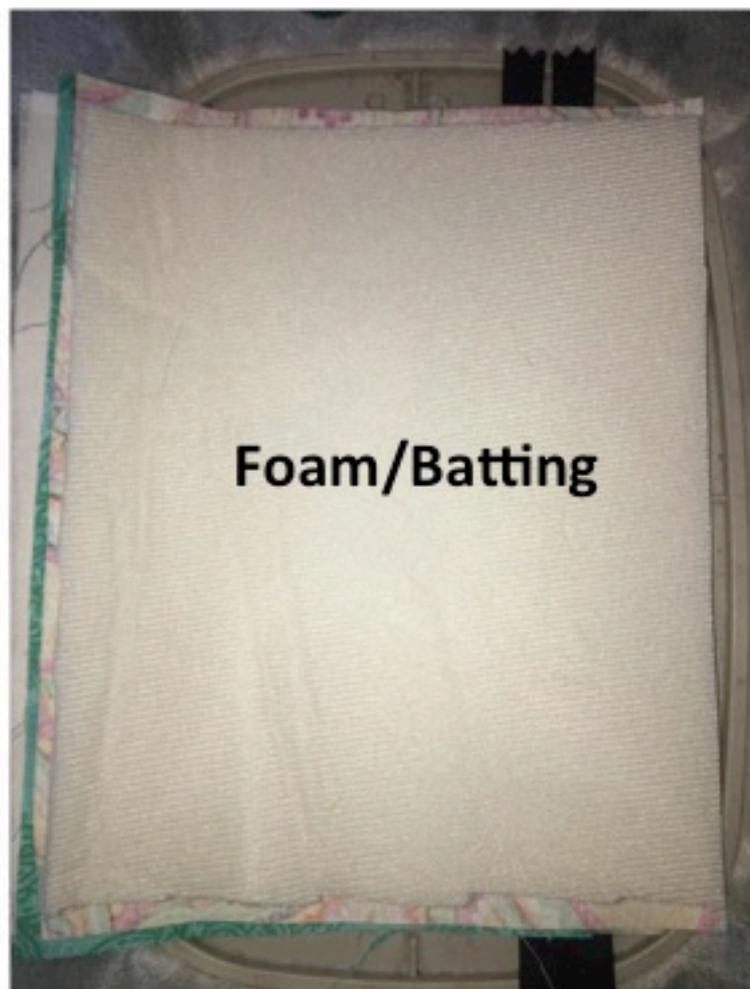
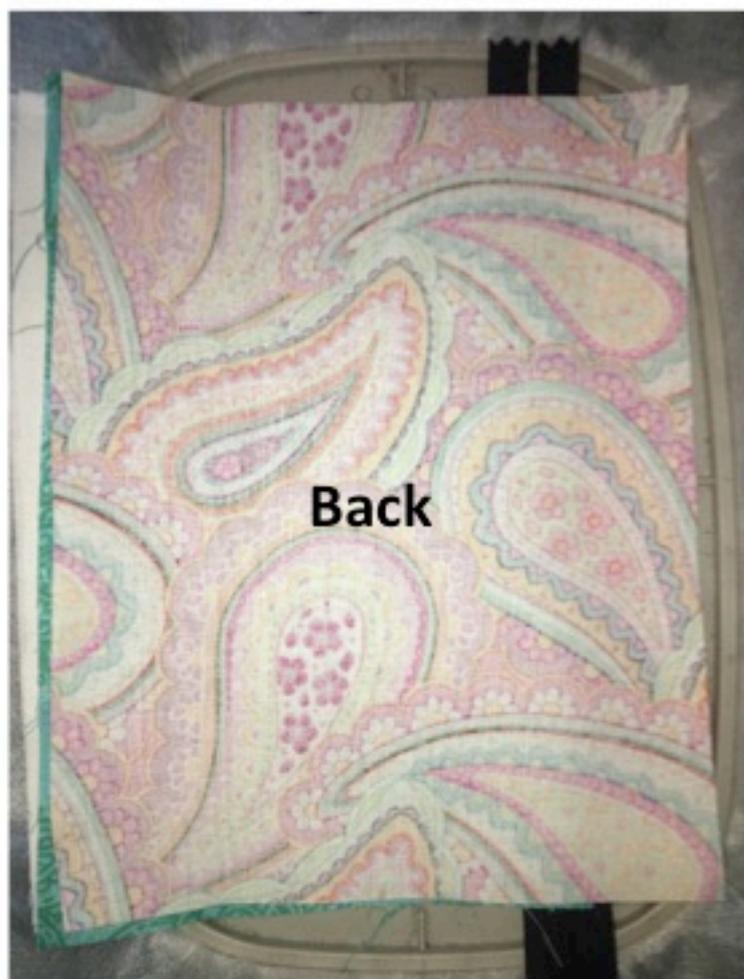
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17. Place the **Back Pocket** right side facing the bag **front**, with the top fold covering  $\frac{1}{4}$ " covering the **Top Front** fold. Insert hoop into machine and sew **Stitch #8**, the lower bag construction stitch.



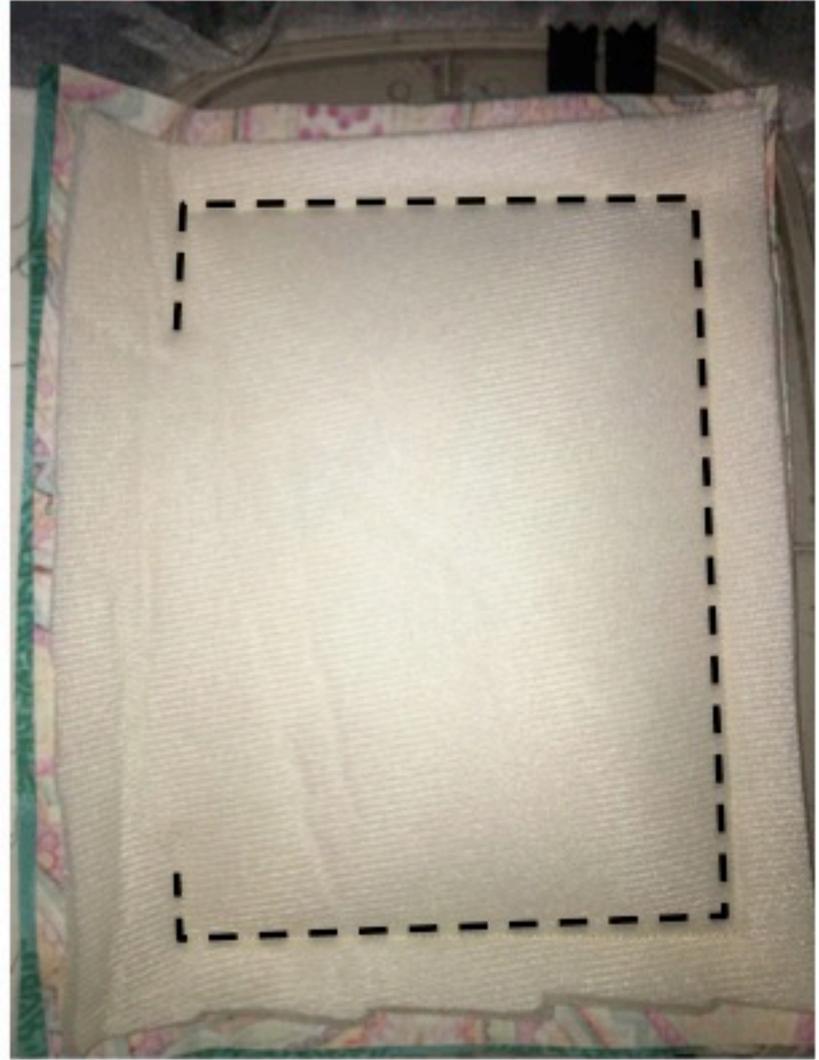
18. With hoop in machine, place the **Back** wrong side up covering all the front pieces.

19. Place the **Foam/Batting** over the **Back**.



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20. Insert hoop into machine.  
Sew **Stitch #9**, the final  
construction stitch.



21. Remove hoop from  
machine and **ALL materials**  
from hoop. Tear away all  
stabilizer around seams. Cut  $\frac{1}{4}$ "  
around outside of stitching  
except bottom opening leave  
 $\frac{1}{2}$ " -  $\frac{3}{4}$ ". \***Leave the extra ribbon  
seam allowance, this will give  
more stability when carrying  
the bag by the ribbon handle\***.

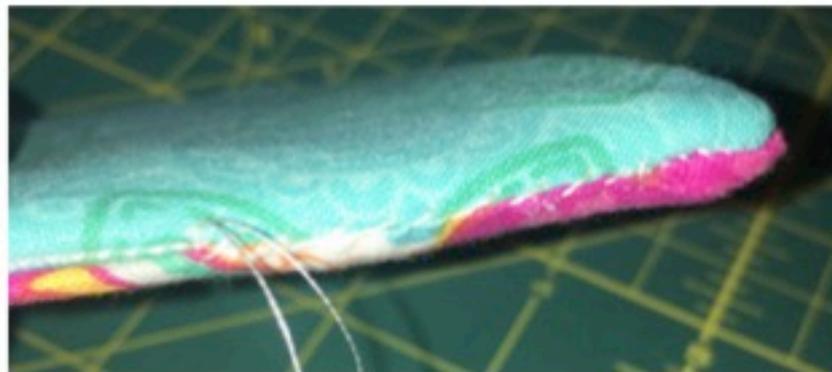


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22. Turn right side out revealing the **lining** and **back pocket**. Use point turner as needed. Grade the seam allowance opening including the **Foam/batting**. This will make the bottom of the bag less bulky in the seams.



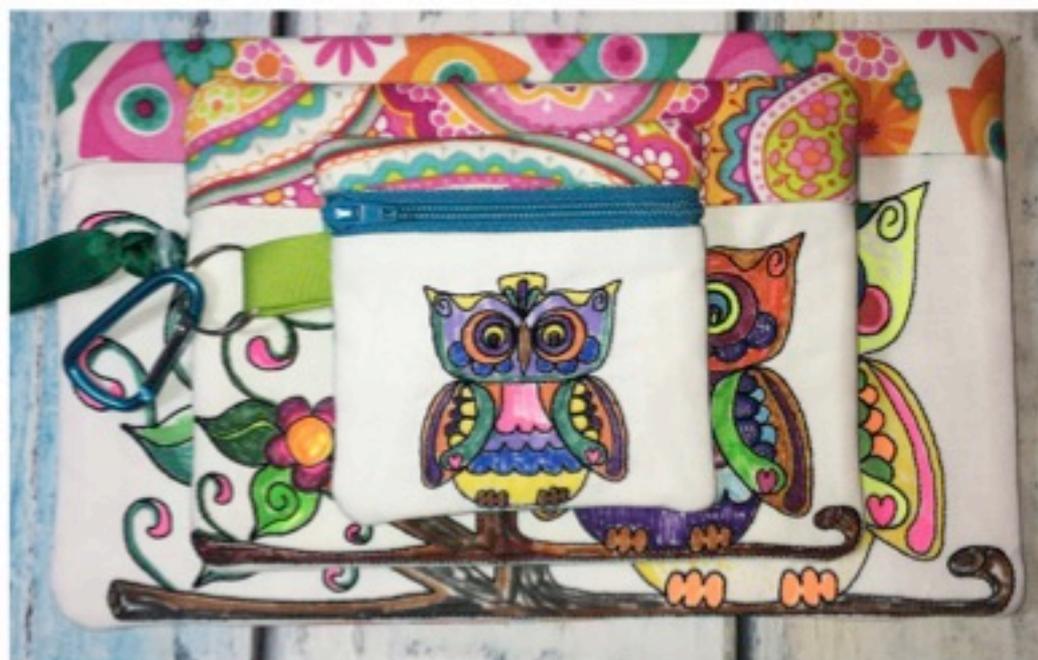
23. Turn seam allowance inside seam opening and hold in place with wonder clips. Thread hand sewing needle and slip stitch the opening closed. Press and use point turner to reveal final outside corners (not shown). Remove the stabilizer from the zipper opening. Use 5" craft scissors or seam ripper.



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24. Add beads to handle by slipping wide open beads and tying at knot to secure. Add as many as desired.

25. **\*TEST on a scrap piece of fabric first\***. Color the **front** of the bag with fabric markers or fabric crayons. Follow manufacturer's instructions



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