

# Mini Bucket

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## Materials:

- Lining (2) 8.5" x 4.75" & (1) 5.5" circle
- Outer (2) 8.5" x 4.75" & (1) 5.5" circle
- Drawstring Cover: 17.25" x 4.25"
- Drawstring 20.5"
- Batting: 8.5" x 4.75" & 5.5" circle

## Instructions:

1. Quilt outer fabrics and outer circle fabrics to batting.
2. Place outer side bucket fabrics **RIGHT SIDES TOGETHER**, stitch along both short sides, about  $\frac{1}{2}$ " seams.
3. Press seams open.
4. Right sides together, line up seams and mark center points.
5. Fold quilted circle piece in half and mark center points horizontally and vertically.
6. With right sides together, align center on circle to centers on outer bucket sides. Pin or clip all the way around and stitch around the circle.
7. Turn right side out.
8. Repeat for lining pieces but leave an opening when sewing lining outer sides together on one side.
9. Clip around curve once lining is sewn together. Do not turn right side out.
10. On drawstring cover, fold one long edge  $\frac{1}{4}$ " and press. Fold once more 1" and press.
11. On short sides, unfold previously pressed folds, clip where folds once were and sew 2.5" up from non folded edge about a  $\frac{3}{4}$ " seam.
12. Press seams open and double fold edges of seam allowance. Press.
13. Top stitch each double fold.
14. Recreate each fold from step 10, and top stitch to create channel for drawstring.
15. Right sides together, slide drawstring cover over the top raw edge of bucket, aligning raw edges.
16. Align side seams & stitch all the way around.
17. Turn through opening and stitch opening closed.
18. Push lining onto outer bucket.
19. Match seams at bucket and drawstring cover and fold cover towards lining.

20. Turn lining side out and topstitch.
21. Insert string into channel.
22. Ta-Da!