



KIDS KAMP 2020



PIECED POCKET PILLOWCASE JULY 30, 2020 2pm

SUPPLIES:

FABRIC A: 25" x 20 ½" pillowcase front

FABRIC B: 25" x 20 ½" pillowcase back

FABRIC C: 2" x 40" for contrast band 7" x 10" for pocket lining

FABRIC D: Two pieces 7" x 40" pillowcase hem

Seven coordinating strips of fabric: 2" x 12" for pieced pocket

One strip 1 ½" x 7" pocket band

Construction Thread

Embroidery thread for embellishing

¼" foot

Open toe foot

Standard foot

Point turner

Frixion Pen

Rotary cutter, mat and ruler

Basic sewing supplies: scissors, ruler, wonder clips, pins, seam ripper, ect.

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Thread machine and bobbin with construction thread. Attach ¼" foot and select straight stitch with needle in center position. Lay the 7 strips out in a pleasing order. Sew the strips together using a ¼" seam. Press seams in same direction after each strip.
2. Lay the completed piece diagonally on a cutting surface. Using rotary cutter, ruler & mat, cut into a 7" square.
3. Use a Frixion pen and draw diagonal lines 2" apart on the pocket. The diagonal lines should be in the opposite direction as the strips.
4. Attach the open toe foot and thread machine with embroidery thread. Choose a decorative stitch. Embellish the pocket with decorative stitches following the

drawn lines, changing threads and stitches as desired. Press with iron to remove lines.

5. Rethread the machine with construction thread. Attach $\frac{1}{4}$ " foot and select straight stitch with needle in center position. With right sides together, sew the $1\frac{1}{2}$ " band to the top of the pocket. Press away from the pocket.
6. With right sides together, sew the pocket lining to the band.
7. Press the lining away from the band. Now with wrong sides together align the side and bottom edges so they are even. Press. Since the lining is longer than the pocket it creates a faux binding.
8. Lay one of the hem pieces, right side up, on a work surface. Place the pocket on top, right side up, matching the side and bottom edges. Pin in place. Sew around the sides and bottom edge.
9. With right sides together place the remaining hem piece on top. Sew along the right hand edge.
10. Press so the wrong sides are together and sew along the remaining long edge.
11. Place the pillow front and the pillow back right sides together. With the $\frac{1}{4}$ " foot, pin and sew along one of the 25" sides. Press the seam to the back.
12. Sandwich the band in between the pillowcase body and the hem with right sides together, making sure the pocket is on the pillow front piece. Sew along the 40" edge with a $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam.
13. Press the band toward the body of the pillowcase. Attach the standard foot and keep the needle in center position. Fold the pillowcase in half, right sides together, and sew the side seam using the edge of the foot as a guide.
14. Switch to a zig zag stitch. Adjust the stitch width to 3.5 and stitch length to 1.8. Zig zag between the seam and the raw edge to prevent the seams from raveling during laundering.
15. Turn right side out and press.
16. Use a point turner to sharpen the corners.