

# Strippy Strappy Bag



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## Fabric & Supplies Needed:

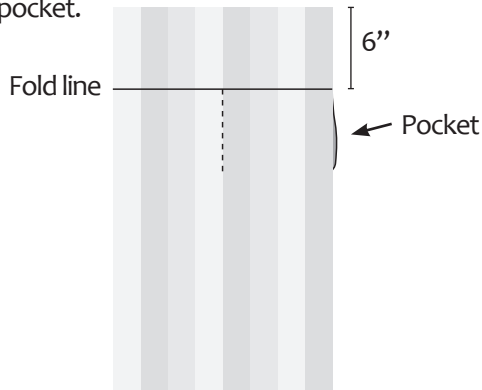
18 – 2 1/2" Rolie Polie Strips  
1/2 yard Pellon Décor Bond Fusible Interfacing  
1/2 yard Fusible Fleece  
22" zipper

## Cutting Instructions:

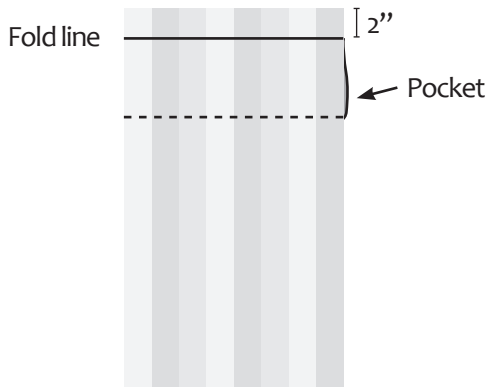
1. Fusible Interfacing:  
Cut 1 – 16 1/2" strip x width of interfacing.
2. Fusible Fleece:  
Cut 1 – 16 1/2" strip x width of fleece.
3. Strap Tabs:  
Cut 2 – 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" pieces from one of the Rolie Polie Strips.

## Sewing Instructions:

1. Bag Outside:  
Stitch together 8 – 2 1/2" strips.  
Fuse fleece to wrong side of bag outside.
2. Back Pocket:  
With right side up, measure down 18" from end of bag outside on both sides and mark.  
Measure down 6" from same end on both sides and mark.  
Fold bag outside so that the 18" mark meets the 6" mark.  
Pin in place.  
Stitch from top of pocket down center seam line to bottom of pocket.



3. Bag Lining:  
Stitch together 8 – 2 1/2" strips.  
Fuse interfacing to wrong side of lining.
4. Inside Pocket:  
Measure 14" down from zipper on both sides and mark.  
Measure down 2" from zipper on both sides and mark.  
Fold lining up so that the 14" mark meets the 2" mark.  
Pin in place.  
Stitch 1/4" up from the bottom of the pocket that you made to create pocket bottom.



## 5. Zipper:

Layer the following:

Bag Outside (right side up)

\*Note: The back pocket that you created will be upside down.

Zipper (right side down)

\*Note: Place tab side of zipper near the end with the excess of the zipper tail hanging off.

Bag Lining (right side down)

\*Note: The inside pocket that you created will be right side up.

Pin all three layers together and stitch together using zipper foot.

Turn right side out and top-stitch.

Fold un-zipped end of bag outside to match up with right side of the zipper.

Fold un-zipped end of lining to match up with wrong side of zipper.

Pin in place.

Stitch all three layers with zipper foot.

Turn right sides out and top-stitch.

## 6. Strap Tabs

Fold 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" piece in half and press.

Unfold and fold raw edges to center press line.

Press.

Fold in half and press again.

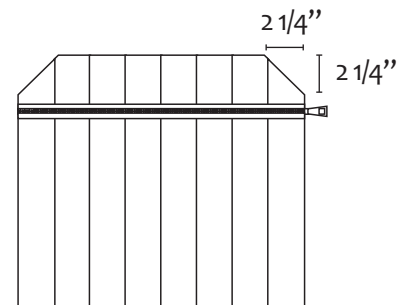
Stitch down both sides of strap tab.

Repeat to make 2.

Turn bag inside out and fold in half so that zipper is 3" down from top.

Pin together at sides.

Measure 2 1/4" at sides and top and mark diagonal line.



Cut on marked line.

Repeat for other top corner.

Fold strap tab in half.

Open up corner that you just cut and insert strap tab inside near the top of the diagonal with raw edges together.

Pin in place.

Repeat for other corner.

Stitch 1/2" across diagonal and down side.

Repeat for both sides.

Trim zipper.

Zig-zag or serge side seams.

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## 7. Bag Bottom

Fold bottom corner of bag so that seam goes directly up the center of the side, creating a triangle.

Pin in place.

Turn bag over so that seam is on the back.

Stitch across bottom seam line of bag lining.

Repeat for other side of bag.

Turn bag right sides out.

## 8. Strap

Fold 2 1/2" Rolie Polie strip in half and press.

Unfold and fold raw edges to center press line.

Press.

Fold in half and press again.

Stitch down both sides of strap.

Cut ends on a diagonal.

Insert ends into strap tabs and tie large knot to hold in place.