



Sewing 201: Stowe Bag Advanced Beginner/Intermediate

A collaborative effort between Grainline Studio and Fringe Supply Co., Stowe is the ideal project bag – whatever your project may be! The main compartment is perfect for works-in-progress while the many side pockets organize small tools, patterns & notebooks. It may have been designed with knitting in mind, but you'll find it equally useful for a variety of purposes. The large size makes an excellent reusable shopping bag and the included inside pockets to corral a wallet and other small items mean it can be the only bag you take to the store. Along the way you will also learn about bias binding and how to apply it.

Prerequisite: Sewing 101 or equivalent experience.

SUPPLY LIST FOR CLASS

- Grainline Studio Stowe Bag pattern
- Medium weight woven fabrics such as lightweight denim, linen, twill and canvas. Fabrics over 9 ounces are not recommended and may increase sewing difficulty.
 - Small Bag
 - $\frac{7}{8}$ yard of 45" or wider fabric
 - Large Bag
 - 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ yards 45" wide fabric **OR** 1 $\frac{1}{3}$ yard 54" wide fabric
- Double fold bias binding $\frac{1}{4}$ " - $\frac{3}{8}$ " wide
 - Small bag – 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ yards
 - Large bag – 3 yards
 - *If you would prefer to make your own bias binding you will need $\frac{1}{2}$ a yard of quilting cotton. This will result in more binding than necessary for your Stowe bag; however, it will mean fewer joins in your binding and you can use the excess on future projects.*
 - **Please make your bias binding before coming to class.**
- Matching thread

You will receive a 20% discount on your class supplies when you show your registration receipt.

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