

Mommy and Me Makeup Case

Courtesy of Fabric Traditions®

Supplies & Tools:

- ¼ yard of Fabric Traditions Novelty Prints Fabric
- ¼ yard Fabric Traditions Blender Print to match
- 1 yard Ribbon – contrasting or to match
- Thread – contrasting or to match
- Removable Fabric Marker or Chalk
- Basic sewing tools – pins, needle, sewing machine, iron

Directions

1. Cut two rectangles at 10" tall by 26" wide out of the Novelty Prints fabric and cut one rectangle at 10" tall by 26" wide out of the blender print fabric.
2. Take the blender print and fold it in half length wise so that the wrong sides are together and press.
3. Lay one of the novelty print fabrics face side up and place the folded blender fabric on top. Pin the blender fabric to the novelty fabric and stay stitch together using a 1/8" seam.
4. Using the fabric marker, draw vertical lines across the blender fabric. These lines do not have to be even in width. Make sure they are wide enough and skinny enough to hold your makeup brushes. (**If you have a small pallet you would like this case to hold, measure the width and make sure to add a little room for it to fit snug)
5. Stitch on the lines you just drew making sure to stop stitching each line once you hit the top of the blender fabric. This will create the pockets to hold your brushes. (**And optional pallet)
6. Cut your ribbon into two parts. Make one part 10" long and the other part 26" long. Find the center mark on one of the short sides of your case and pin down both ends of the two ribbon sizes. (*One end of the 10" ribbon and one end of the 26" ribbon) Make sure the ribbon's raw edges are lined up with the raw edge of the fabric and the rest of the ribbon is on top of your pockets. (**If you would like to finish the raw edge of the ribbon not caught in a seam we suggest a double fold and stitch, or using a lighter/match to set it by melting the edge.)
7. Take the second novelty print rectangle and place it face down over your mixed blender and print piece. Pin around the entire thing making sure the loose ribbon ends stay inside.

8. Stitch around with a $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam and leave a 3-4" gap for turning. Turn right side out, slip stitch the hole and top stitch around the edge using a $\frac{1}{4}$ " allowance. (*We suggest pressing flat before top stitching to keep fabrics in place)
9. Put your makeup brushes in, roll up, tie, and your good to go!

Skill Level: Beginner

Approximate Crafting Time: 1-2 hours