

Omiyage for Safelight From My Carolina Home

Thank you for helping with this year's Safelight Project! Please note, these two cases are not made in the same way. The cosmetic case closes at the top to hold all the items inside. The sunglasses case has a flap that folds over the top to prevent the glasses from getting scratched on the velcro. Step by step instructions are on the blog.

Fabric cutting

Sunglasses Case

Two pieces of fabric and one layer of batting 10-inches x 9-inches.
One piece of velcro 4-inches in length, both hook and loop sides

Cosmetic Case

Two pieces of fabric and one layer of batting 10-inches x 15-inches.
One piece of velcro 8-inches in length, both hook and loop sides

For both projects, layer batting, then lining right side up, then focus fabric right side down. Sew around the edge, through all three layers, leaving a 3-4 inch opening for turning. Clip the corners to reduce bulk. Reaching between the lining and focus fabric, turn right sides out. Press the piece to sharpen the edges and the corners. Topstitch all the way around to close the opening, and finish off the edges. Add quilting to the piece if desired. Continue following the individual instructions for each item.

For the sunglasses case, on the outside fabric, stitch the hook side of the velcro near a short edge about 2-1/2-inches from the side edges (centered). Position the loop side of the velcro on the inside fabric near the edge and stitch down. Fold the bottom edge up 3-1/2 inches and topstitch the sides forming the pocket.





For the cosmetic bag, on the lining side, stitch an 8-inch piece of velcro centered at each short side, one end with loop side and one end with hooks. Press the velcro together, ensuring the bag matches up on the side edges. Topstitch the sides closed along the previous line of topstitching.

Mail your completed set to me for our Spring 2018 Safelight Project.

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