

ENVELOPE HANDBAG

Design: Husqvarna Viking Sewing Studio

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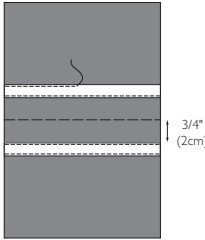
In vinyl or fake leather and fusible interfacing:

- 1 piece 12 5/8" x 12 5/8" (32 x 32 cm) for bag.
- 1 piece 11" x 12 5/8" (28 x 32 cm) for flap.
- 1 piece 4" x 10 5/8" (10 x 27 cm) to cover a bottom liner.
- 1 piece in cardboard a 1 2/3" x 9 1/2" (4 x 24 cm) bottom liner for the bag.

Cut the grosgrain ribbon in two 12 5/8" (32 cm) lengths for the bag and one 11" (28 cm) length for the flap. Press fusible interfacing on all pieces to add stiffness to the bag.

SEW

Fold the 12 5/8" x 12 5/8" (32 x 32 cm) piece in half to create a fold mark. Draw lines 3/4" (2 cm) on both sides of the fold mark to mark out the bottom of the bag. Thread with white sewing



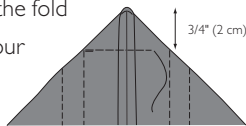
thread on top and in the bobbin. Snap on presser foot D or the optional Edge/Joining Foot. Select left needle position straight stitch. Select "vinyl" if your Husqvarna Viking Sewing machine has a Sewing Advisor: Stitch grosgrain ribbons to both sides of the bottom lines.

Fold the 12 5/8" (32 cm) side of the 11" x 12 5/8" (28 x 32 cm) piece for the lid wrong sides together to create a piece 6 3/8" x 11"

(16 x 28 cm). Fingerpress to create a fold mark. Unfold again. Stitch a grosgrain ribbon 3/8" (1 cm) from the fold mark. Rethread your

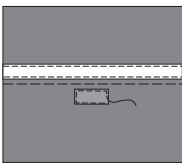
sewing machine with black

sewing thread. Stitch the hook side of the velcro centered 3/8" (1 cm) on the other side of the fold mark. Set aside.

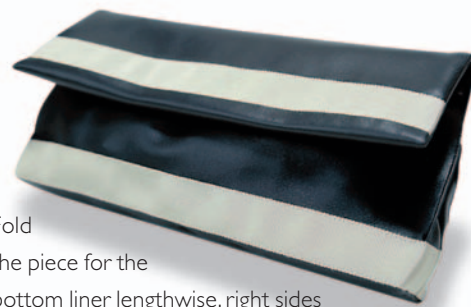


Fold the piece for the handbag, right sides together. Stitch the sides. To make a 1 1/2" (4 cm) wide bottom of the handbag, fingerpress the side seams against the bottom and sew across the corners 3/4" (2 cm) from the tip as illustrated. Trim corner seam allowance. Turn bag right side out. Fold the upper edge 3/8" (1 cm) to the inside. Use the Teflon Foot. Topstitch 1/4" (6 mm) from the edge.

Snap on presser foot D or the optional Edge/Joining Foot. Select left needle position straight stitch. Start stitching from the grosgrain ribbon and up and topstitch all corners on the bag for stability.

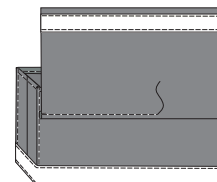


Fold the flap piece right sides together. Use center needle position straight stitch. Snap on the Teflon Foot and stitch the sides. Turn right side out. Place the edge of the flap 1 1/2" (4 cm) from the upper edge of the bag, right sides together, as illustrated. Stitch in place. Fold the flap over the seam allowance and topstitch from the right side.



Fold the piece for the bottom liner lengthwise, right sides together. Sew the side seam with 1/4" (6 mm) seam allowance. Press seam allowances open. Sew one short side. Turn right side out. Put the bottom plate inside the tunnel and fold the open short side seam allowance to the inside. Use presser foot D or the optional Edge/Joining Foot and straight stitch left needle position. Stitch the opening closed.

Sew the loop part of the Velcro to the front side of the bag. Place the bottom liner inside the bag.



SEWING SUPPLIES

- 3/8 yd (35 cm) vinyl or fake leather width 43" (110 cm)
- 1 yd (1 m) white grosgrain ribbon, 1" (1.5 cm) wide
- White and black sewing thread
- 4" (10 cm) Velcro
- Fusible interfacing for all pieces of vinyl or fake leather (see cutting instructions)
- Teflon Foot H (411 85 30-45)

OPTIONAL:

- Edge/Joining Foot (412 28 02-45)

3/8" (1 cm) seam allowance included in all measurements.