

Pillowcase Instructions

Yields one: standard pillowcase: 20" x 31"

Supplies:

$\frac{3}{4}$ yard of fabric for the pillowcase body

$\frac{1}{3}$ yard of fabric for the border

Sewing Instructions:

1. Cut a rectangle 26 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 40 $\frac{1}{2}$ " for the body of the case
Cut a strip 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 40 $\frac{1}{2}$ " for the border
2. Place the border totally under the body matching the **right side** of the border to the **wrong side** of the body lining up the two 40 $\frac{1}{2}$ " edges.
3. Sew a $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam. Iron the seam toward the border.
4. Press a $\frac{1}{4}$ " hem along the long raw edge of the border.
5. Iron the border in half, **wrong sides** together, along the 40 $\frac{1}{2}$ " edge.
6. Pin the pressed edge in place, just hiding the seam line
7. Sew the pressed edge of the border to the body with a regular or decorative stitch
8. Place the right side edges of the pillowcase together. Stitch down the side and across the bottom.
9. Zig-zag the raw edge.
10. Turn to the right side and press.