



Quick Napkin Tutorial

This will make 4 double-sided napkins, approximately 16 1/2" square.

FABRIC REQUIREMENTS:

2 - 1 yard pieces of fabric

FABRIC PREPARATION:

1. Wash your fabric.
2. Straighten the fabric so the selvage edges align and press.

CUTTING:

1. Place on the cutting mat, and trim off the selvages.
Trim about 1" if you want to keep the selvage for another project.



2. Trim the left side of the fabric.



3. Trim the right side of the fabric



4. Fold in half with trimmed left and right sides meeting.

This is where you decide what your cutting number will be. 17" often works for a washed 1-yard piece of fabric, and

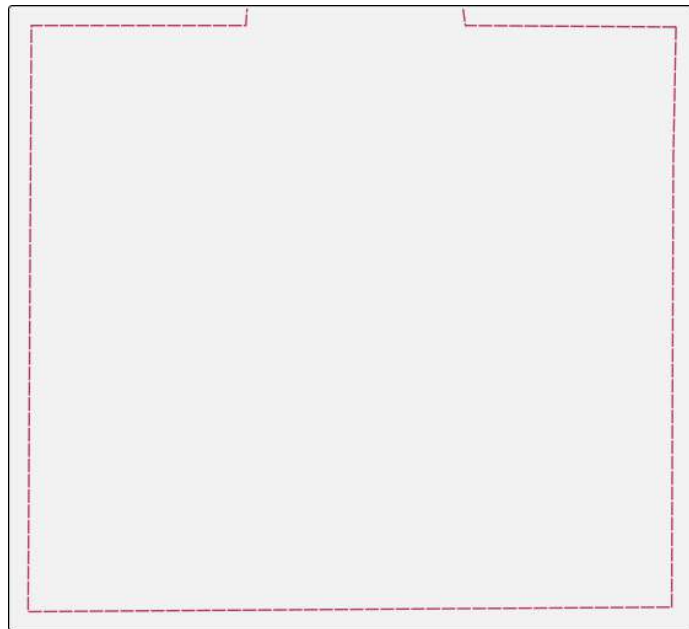


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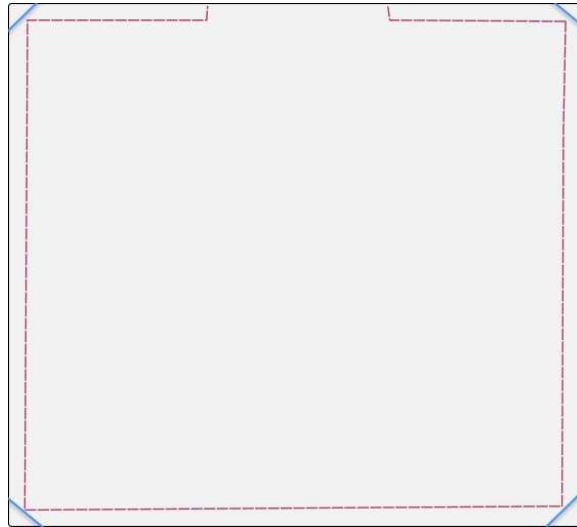
5. Repeat with second fabric.

MAKE THE NAPKINS

1. Put cut napkins right sides together. You can make one at a time or do each step on all 4. Somedays one way feels better than the other.
2. Sew 1/4" around all the napkins, leaving a 3" wide opening.
TIP: Sew from the outside edge to the 1/4" line to start, turn fabric 90 degrees, sew all the way around, then when 3" from start, turn 90 degrees and sew to the outside edge. This helps when finishing the napkin.



3. Trim the corners. Turn inside out. Press the seams.



4. Sew 1/8" around the outside edge of the napkin.

TIP: Start at the opening to be sure that the edge is closed correctly.



5. Fold and place on table!