

Roll-Up Pencil Holder



Keep writing tools organized with this simple roll-up holder, made of simple felt and tied with leather cord. Use it for pencils, pens, maybe even for make-up brushes when traveling! The holder accommodates up to ten pencils. The finished size (when opened flat) is approximately 16" x 7½" (40cm x 19cm).

What you need

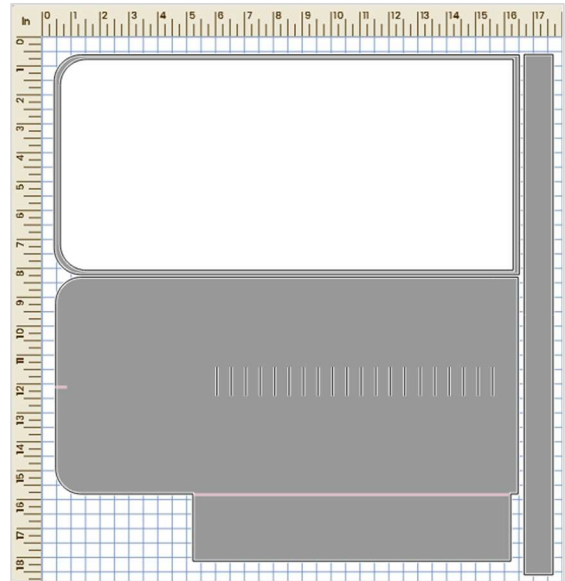
- Felt Fabric 20" x 20" (50cm x 50cm)
- Fusible Interfacing 20" x 10" (50cm x 25cm)
- Flat Leather Cord 1 yard (90cm)
- Fabric Grip Mat 24" x 24"
- Heat Removable Fabric Pen
- Rotary Blade
- Brayer
- Iron and Ironing board
- Sewing Machine

- All Purpose Thread
- Fabric Clips

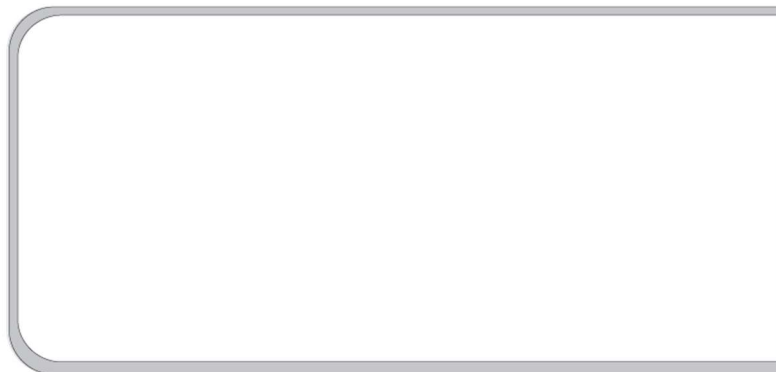
Directions

1. Open the project in Canvas. Go to the Output Menu and press Send to Machine. Place the felt on your Fabric Grip Mat. Use a Brayer to help adhere the material to the cutting mat, eliminating wrinkles or bubbles. Follow the steps to cut the felt on your crafting machine.

Note: When using more than one material, check all settings and customize inputs for your mat size, material type, material size, and arrangement of pieces before selecting next to begin cutting each layer.

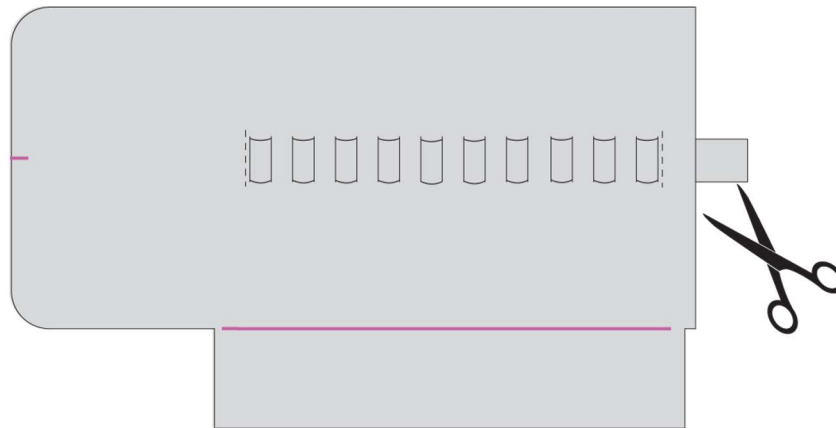


2. Place the fusible interfacing on your mat and follow the steps to cut the material on your crafting machine.
3. Follow the manufacturer’s instructions to apply the fusible interfacing to wrong side of the outer felt piece, using an iron or a heat press.

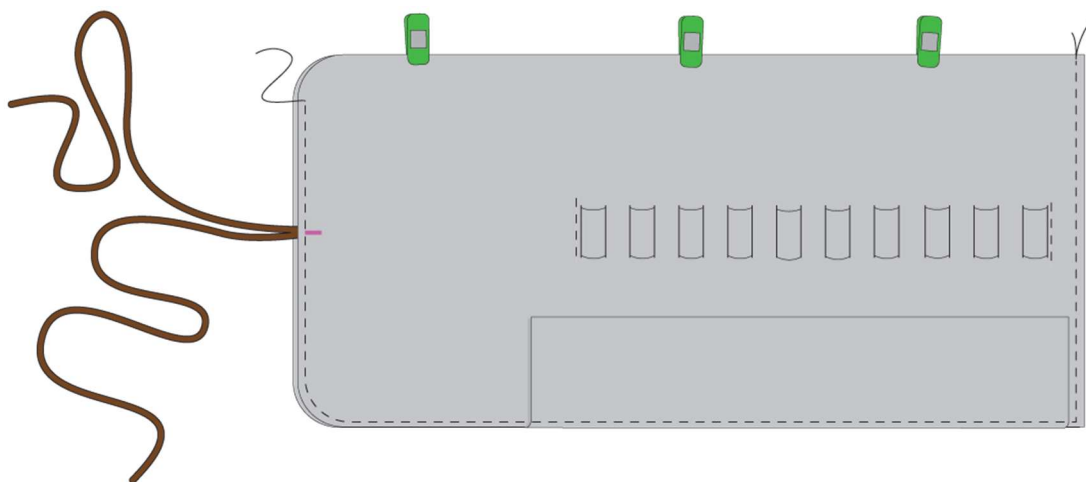


4. Thread the felt strip through the cut slots on the pencil holder. Start and end on the wrong side.

5. Set your sewing machine for straight stitch and stitch along the first slot to attach and secure the felt strip.



6. Adjust the strip. Insert pencils and tighten or loosen if necessary. Sew a seam to lock the last pencil holder loop. Cut off excess felt strip.
7. Fold the bottom flap rectangle along the pen line toward the inside of the pencil holder and press.
8. Place the inner and outer case pieces wrong sides together and use sewing clips to hold the pieces together while sewing.
9. Fold the leather cord in half and insert between the layers at the pen mark.
10. Sew all the way around the case, 1/8" (3mm) from the edge.



11. Insert your pencils or brushes, roll up the case and tie with the leather cord!