SHOP KIT

Technique:	Zipper Installation
Skill Level:	Beginner/Easy
Crafting time:	An Evening

Materials
Coats Jeans Thread.
Dual Duty XP All Purpose Thread: to match denim & lining.
Coats Jeans Zipper: 9" Navy.

Additional Requirements
Sewing machine,
Hook & loop fastener.
Denim: section from leg of jeans.
Flannel: fat quarter or 1/8 yd.
Hook & loop tape: 3/4" wide, 5 1/2".

Cutting

Denim:

For pocket top: 11" x 1 3/4"

For pocket bottom: 11" x 3", centering the topstitched leg seam lengthwise if using old jeans

Flannel:

11" x 4": cut 2, one is cuff lining, one is pocket lining

Steps

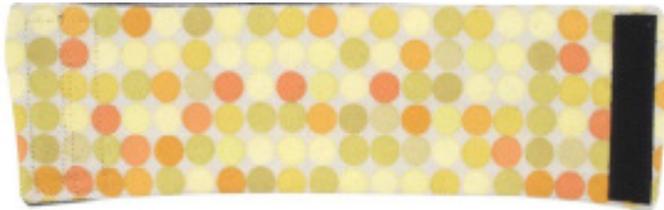1. Denim pocket top & bottom: Turn under one long edge 1/2" to the wrong side, press.

2. Place the fold of both pieces of denim on the zipper tape, with the top stop 5/8" from the end. Pin in place or use glue stick.

3. Thread machine with denim topstitching thread on top and all-purpose in the bobbin. Set stitch length to 3.5mm. Using the zipper foot on your machine, stitch close to the fold on both sides of the zipper.

4. For the cuff & pocket lining: Pin the flannel pieces wrong sides together. Change back to the all-purpose presser foot and thread. Machine baste 3/8" from the edge.

5. Cut a 2 3/4" long piece of the hook side of the fastener tape. Place on the flannel at one end 5/8" from three edges; use glue stick to hold in place. Set stitch length to 2.5 mm. Stitch around the fastener tape twice .

6. Open the zipper half way.

7. Place the denim and flannel together with the right side of the zipper against flannel piece with the hook tape and with zipper top stop and hook fastener tape at the same end; pin.

8. Stitch around the cuff 1/2" from the edges. Zig zag or overcast seam allowances to prevent raveling. Trim corners.

9. Turn right side out. Press. Close the zipper.

10. Cut the loop side of the fastener tape into two pieces, each 2 3/4" long. Place the fastener tape side by side on the denim side of cuff with the outside edges even. Stitch around the fastener tape through all layers.