

# PILLOWCASE

This is a quick and easy project. You will need the following:

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

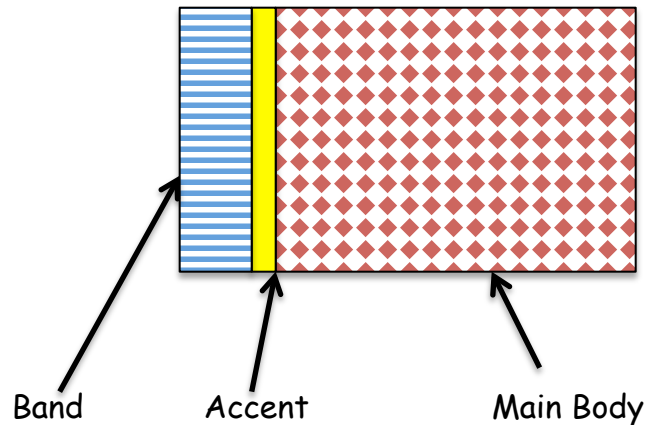
$\frac{1}{3}$  yard fabric for band

\*optional  $\frac{1}{8}$  yard fabric for accent

Sewing machine

Thread to match your fabric

Pins, scissors, seam ripper



Step 1:

From the main body fabric, cut a piece approximately 27" by the width of the fabric. From the band fabric, cut a piece approximately 12" by the width of the fabric. If you would like to add the optional accent border; cut a piece of fabric that is  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " by the width of the fabric.

Step 2:

Place the piece of band fabric RIGHT sides together on top of the main body fabric. Stitch along the width of fabric. Press the seam towards the band. Trim sides even. )If you opted to have the accent border: fold your piece of accent fabric WRONG sides together and press. Place in between the band and main body fabric before stitching together).

Step 3:

Fold pillowcase RIGHT sides together and stitch from the bottom of the pillowcase to the corner. Turn corner and continue stitching along the long side of the pillowcase. If desired, finish raw edges.

Step 4:

Fold under approximately  $\frac{1}{2}$ " along the band edge. Place folded edge over previous stitching and stitch in place in the ditch. Turn right sides out. Done.