

**Tomorrow's Treasurers
Cavalcade Travel Bag
Supply List Required Before Class**

1) Basic sewing supplies:

- Sharp Fabric Scissors, blade at least 4" long
- Strong straight Pins long yellow -topped quilting pins
- Tap Measure 60" long, plastic, not cloth
- Metal seam guide 5-6" long
- Seam Ripper
- Thread to match your fabrics with extra bobbins for matching thread
- Standard foot, edge foot, zipper foot for your sewing machine
- Erasable/water soluble Fabric Marker or chalk marker
- Wonder Clips (if available bring multiple sizes from small to large)
- Stiletto or Awl
- 90/14 Topstitch sewing machine needles, you may need 2-4 for class
- Mini Iron with pressing mat
- Ruler 6" X 24"
- Sewing Machine with foot pedal and cord
- 1/8" double-sided adhesive tape
- Optional: Rotary Cutter and cutting mat

2) Cavalcade Travel Bag

- Pattern is Cavalcade Travel Bag by Sew Sweetness available at Tomorrow's Treasurers
- Purchase all fabric and notions per the pattern page 1, except for the following:
 - Zippers, if you choose not to use zippers by the yard for all the zippers needed, follow the zippers as indicated in the pattern supply list. For the two inside pocket zippers I used 2-14" sport zippers, this gives larger pulls and is easier to install.
 - Store sample uses 1" polypro strapping or webbing in the handles, shoulder strap, and back luggage strap. The webbing adds additional strength and support which I feel is needed to carry the weight when this bag is full. You will need of the 1" webbing; 1 ½ yards for the shoulder strap, 2 ½ yards for the handles and 17" for the back luggage strap and side tabs (used

to attach the shoulder strap)

- Bring all leftover extra fabric interfacing and Soft & Stable to class
- Ribbons to match for zipper pulls, optional
- If you choose to bind the bottom of the bag you will need 49 ½" long and 2 ½" wide for the binding (reference page 15 of the pattern)

3) Pre-Work Required,

- Tape together and trace the pattern pieces provided; I recommend that you trace the pattern pieces as full pattern pieces and not on the fold. This will make it easier for general cutting and especially if you are using directional fabrics. Also trace the Peltex pattern piece separate from the Bottom pattern piece.
- Cut all your pieces per the cutting instructions on page 2. The 1 yard of Peltex is just enough so remember to cut the front panel piece of Peltex first before cutting the rest of the Peltex pattern pieces.
- Consider adding these options:
 - Front exterior pocket; for this pocket you will need to cut 1 of the exterior fabric 7" high X 8 ½" wide, 1 accent or lining fabric 7 ¾" high X 8 ½" wide, plus cut 1 of SF101 interfacing 7" high X 8 ½" wide.
 - Back Strap; store sample uses 1" webbing for the back strap in place of the luggage sleeve. For the back strap cut of accent fabric used for the handles, 1 strip 4" wide X 9" long.
 - Comfortable pad for shoulder strap; store sample has a comfortable pad for the shoulder strap; you will need 1 quilted piece of exterior fabric 3" wide X 8 ½" long (I used pieces leftover from quilting the main front and back pattern pieces. If you do not have this then cut 1 piece of Soft & Staple 3" wide X 8 ½" long and quilt), and 1 main exterior fabric unquilted 3" wide X 8 ½" long; for the sleeve cut 1 each of exterior fabric and SF101 3" X 6 ¼" and 1 of accent fabric 3" X 7"
- It is very helpful to mark your pieces as you cut them. Marking your pieces also helps in picking your main, lining, and coordinating fabrics for the bag and will be necessary to correctly place your pieces later.

- Attach all interfacing as per the pattern on page 3.
- Continue with the instructions on page 3 completing items 1-4. No need to do the section on page 3 Assemble the Front and Back of Bag before class.
- To add stability and strength please quilt the main front and back pattern pieces as suggested on page 3, item 3, Helpful Hint . Store sample has horizontal lines quilted 1" apart.

NOTE: Sewing Machines:

You must bring along with your sewing machines the following:

1. All sewing machine accessories, feet (referenced above), screw driver, etc.
2. Must have owner's manual for your machine
3. Bring 2 extra bobbins with no thread
4. Remember to bring the power cord and foot pedal

For those students who need Sewing machines please contact store personnel for availability of sewing machine rentals.