

Chair Back Book Bag

Large Chair

Fabric:

Choose heavy denim or an upholstery fabric

Directional prints are very difficult to work with especially up and down prints (when folded over one side will be upside down). I strongly suggest AGAINST directional prints

Purchase 1 yard 54 or 72 inch width. I personally go with 1 1/2 yards to allow for any errors and re-do's but you should be able to cut out all of your pieces on non-directional fabric from 1 yard.

Cutting Instructions

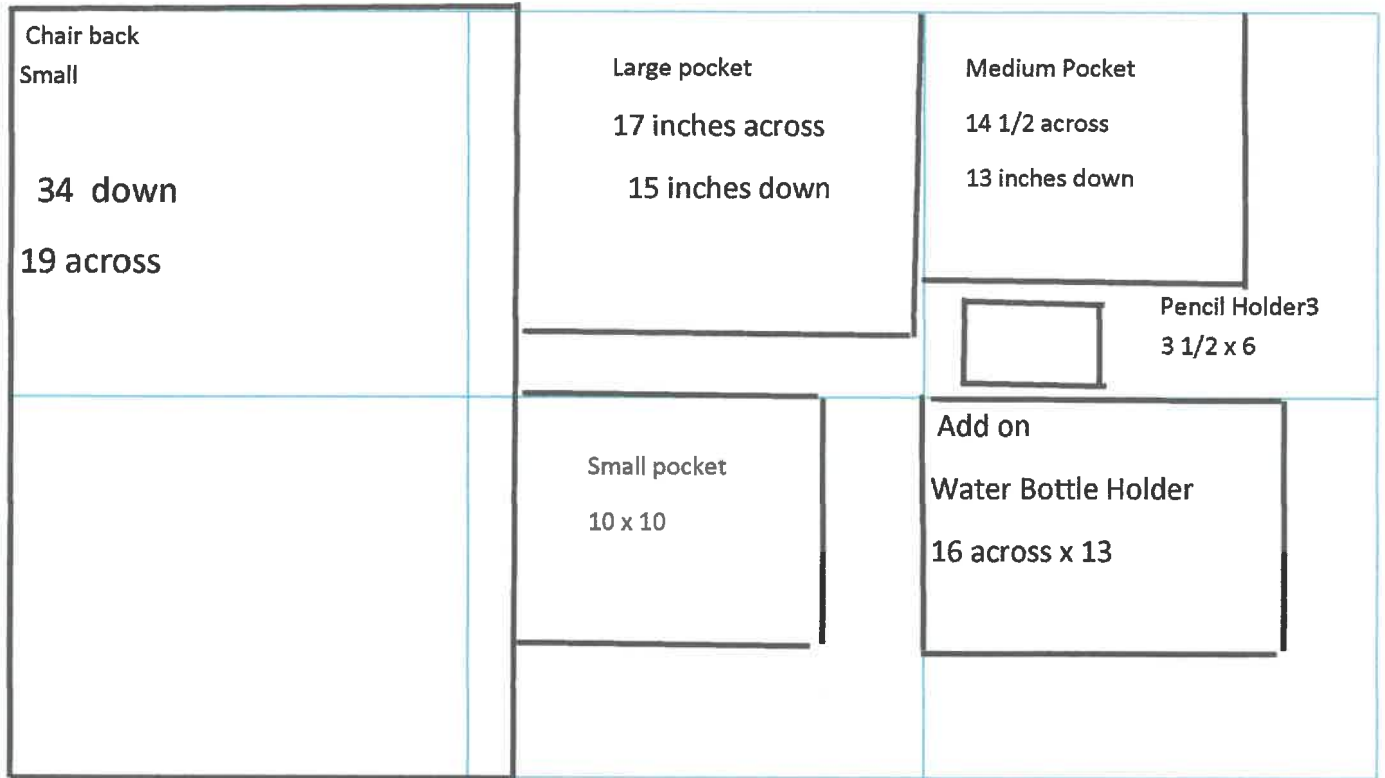
1. **Chair Cover** 19 1/2 inches by 34 inches
2. **Large Pocket** 17 inches by 15 inches
3. **Medium Pocket:** 14 1/2 inches by 13 inches
4. **Small Bag** 10 inches by 10 inches
5. **Pencil Holder** 3 1/2 inches by 6 inches
6. **Add On Water Bottle Holder** 16 inches by 13 inches

Cutting Chart

54 inches wide (

36 inches (1 yard) down

Blue Squares are for reference 18 x 18



Stitching Directions

1. After cutting zig zag or straight stitch all edges to fraying
2. Turn in edges of all sides of pockets by 1/4 inch and stitch with either straight stitch or zig zag. Turn under 1/4 inch again on top edge and stitch again (no raw edges showing on top)
3. If using the add on water bottle holder

Turn under top under as described above stitch

Fold over right sides together (side to side) and sew across bottom

Turn right side out

Stitch to large bag with one inch over lap

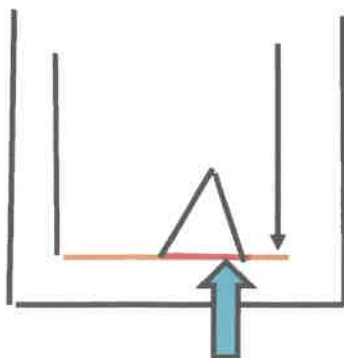


Use this pattern of stitching to add strength

One inch across

Later you will use this pattern again to attach water bottle to chair backnd large pocket to the chair back

4. Attach pencil holder to small pocket one inch or more from side and one inch down
5. Attach small pocket to medium pocket. When doing so place tuck at bottom being sure to leave space to add books and supplies



6 Attach medium pocket to large pocket also making a tuck at the bottom to create room

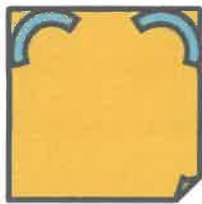
7 Chair Back

Turn under 2 times 1/2 inch bottom of front and back stitch

Fold over 15 1/2 inches finished length of front

If you want the upper corners curved to fit more closely the chair back , on wrong side trace curve from a 6 inch diameter circle or dish onto the top corners

When closing the chair back you will sew along these lines



On right side of the fabric on the long side (back of the chair) of the chair back cover

Sew on the large pocket and water bottle holder. Use the pattern for sides as shown on page 3. Double and triple straight stitch across bottom adding tuck as shown on page 3.

Add second pattern stitch next to large pocket attaching water bottle to the chair back

This will give the water bottle holder extra strength

8. Right sides together for chair back (pockets on the inside. Close side seams

Clip around corners and double stitch .

Remember, the back with the pockets will hang about two inches below the front