

Easy Makeup Roll Case

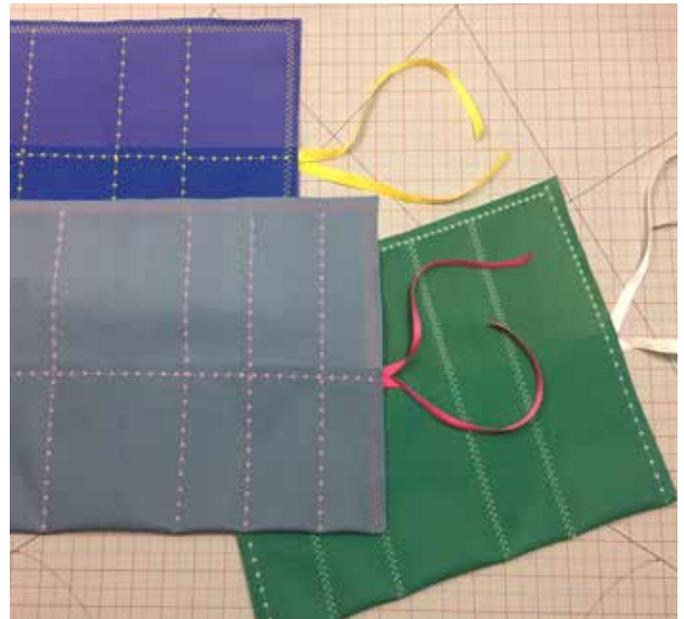
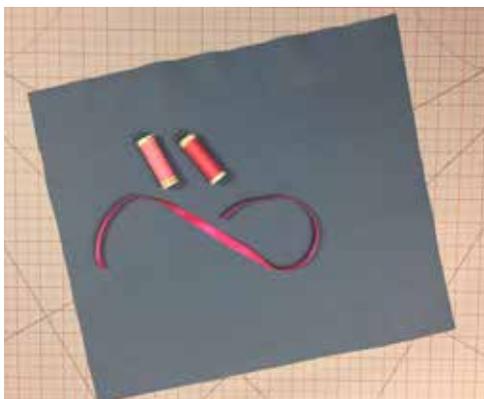
This simple roll-up case — ideal for makeup brushes, pencils, markers, knitting tools and so much more — was Brother's make-and-take project at the Fall 2017 Creativ Festival in Toronto. Attendees stopped by the Brother booth to discover the NQ900 Sewing Machine while completing a stylish and useful project and walked away with a free blush brush. The project is made using a material that doesn't fray, so the edges can be left raw, keeping the focus on achieving beautiful decorative stitching.

Time Required: 30 minutes

Skill Level: Beginner

MATERIALS REQUIRED

- Brother Sewing Machine (this project was made on The Dream Machine; Creativ Festival guests used the NQ900)
- Pink thread
- 13.5" x 16" (34 cm x 41 cm) piece of blue, medium weight, fabric-backed vinyl
- 18" (46 cm) length of ribbon



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INSTRUCTIONS

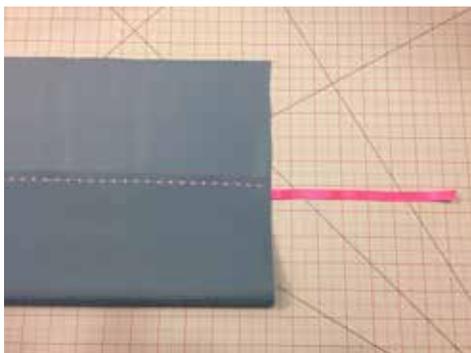
1. Fold the bottom, short edge of the fabric one third of the way up to create the main pocket.



2. Sew a decorative stitch across the bottom, short edge of the fabric.



3. Find the mid-point of the ribbon and lay it under both thicknesses of the fabric, lined up with the top of the pocket edge.



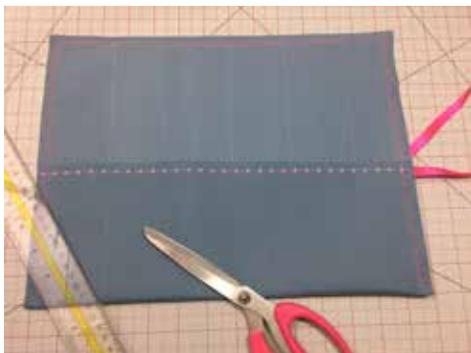
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4. Sew a decorative stitch around the perimeter of the project, excluding the fold. Be sure to catch the ribbon as you sew down the final side.



5. Using a ruler and a closed pair of scissors, score a series of vertical lines down the centre of the case. Base the distance between the lines on the various thicknesses of the items you plan on carrying in the case.



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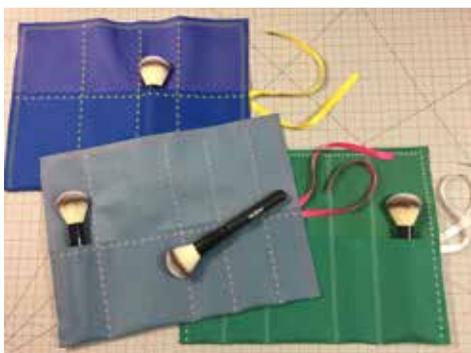
6. Sew down the scored lines. You can use the same decorative stitch or choose a new one.



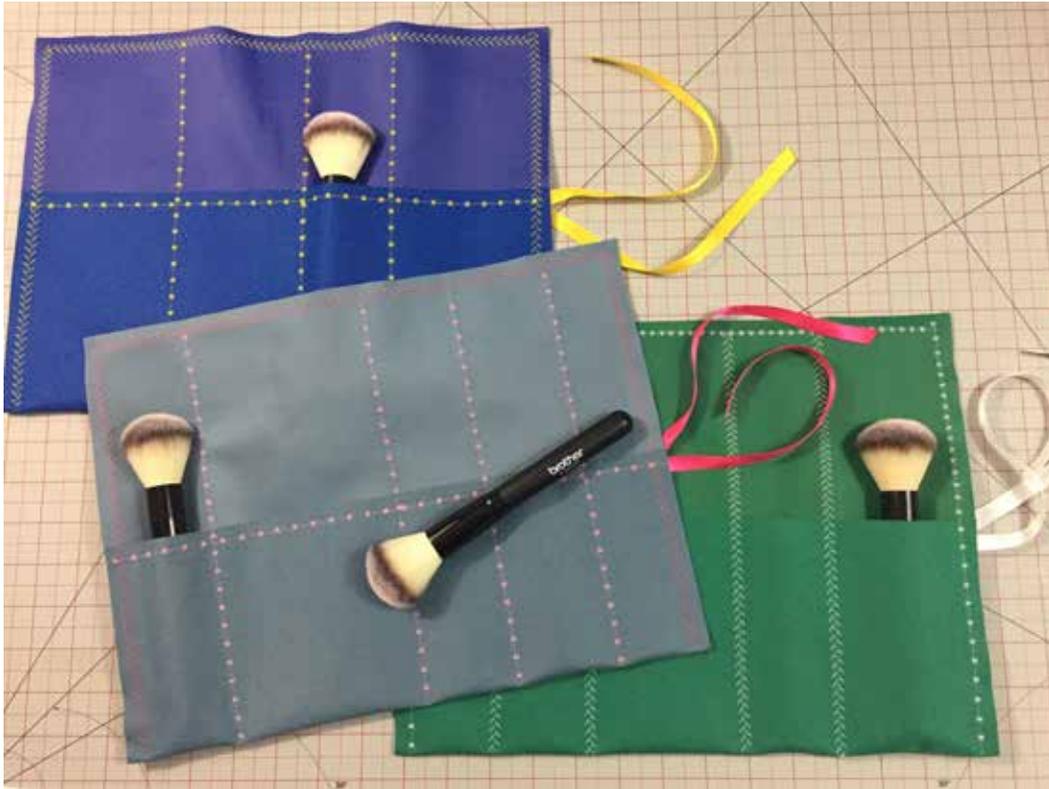
7. Use a pair of scissors to cut the ends of the ribbon at an angle.



8. Fill your roll-up case and toss it in your overnight bag or sewing kit.



Enjoy the portability this case brings
to your on-the-go essentials!”



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