

TASK 1: Develop a range of ideas for a logo, based on your initials. This will be transfer printed and sewn onto your tote bag.

TASK 2: Annotate your ideas using technical language, e.g: techniques, fabrics, colours, shapes, etc ...

Design Development:

Design Ideas:
CW CAW

Annotate ... ✓

Explain ...

Describe ...

Final Design:

KNOWLEDGE ORGANISER

Year 8 TEXTILES - TOTE BAG

SKILLS



'HEM' THE TOP EDGES OF YOUR BAG:

1. fold
2. iron
3. pin
4. stitch

Extension Work: If you want a pocket, you'll also need to hem the top edge of that.

Templates and Cutting out Fabric

26cm square

seam allowance 1.5cm

Paper template (your name)

Point the pins towards the fabric edge

Carefully cut around the template, **AVOIDING PINS!**

Finished? Check your folder

sewing line

cutting line

Video: Commercial Template & Fabric Cutting (2.30 min)

Task 2 - Produce a heat transfer print

1. Place white cotton fabric on the ironing board.
2. Place printed image print-side down on top of the cotton fabric.
3. Carefully iron. **PRESS REALLY HARD!!!**
4. When **COOL**, peel off the backing paper.

Task 3 - Fill in your worksheet ...

- What has happened to the image?
- What sort of new fabric have you created?
- How has the process changed the fabrics' characteristics - is the new fabric better?

Logo, Applique and Straps

- 1: Cut out logo into a neat square (is already ironed onto cotton fabric)
- 2: Decide where to put logo on your bag. **PIN.**
- 3: **APPLIQUE** (zigzag) around the edges
- 4: Sew straps on.

Sewing Machine

You have 10 mins to practise threading up in pairs!

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Sewing your POCKET onto your bag

- 1: Create a hem along the top edge.
- 2: Fold in and iron the other 3 edges, using a piece of card as a guide
- 3: Remove card. Pin onto bag and straight stitch around 3 edges.

Sewing your bag together

- 1: Place front & back together, **INSIDE OUT. Pin.**
- 2: Straight stitch around 3 edges.
- 3: Turn **right sides** out and iron flat. Add **straps** if time.