

Upcycled Food Wrapper Tote Bag
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Upcycled Grocery Bag made using food bags stitched to a foundation. Good for using up scrap fabrics or an old pair of jeans. The bag size is approximately 18" x 18" or smaller

Collect a variety of the thicker/stronger food wrapper bags those from Costco work, also coffee bags.

Materials List

Approx ½ yd of flannel or muslin for your foundation

½ yd of fun cotton fabric for the lining

Approx 20 bags assorted sizes to cut down to use. The backs can be used as filler pieces. You can cut these down to rough rectangle pieces at home keeping them as large as possible.

Canvas or good quality cotton for the trim, handles and inner pocket. Can be the lining fabric. Upcycling an old pair of jeans is fun to use here.

Sewing machine to zig-zag and straight stitch.

Neutral thread and a fun colored cotton thread, maybe variegated to use between the bags.

Good fabric scissors and scissors to cut the bags

Pins

This is not a very long project so bring more if you have them to start another or smaller bag.

If you save selvages bring them and we might start a small bag project.