

LAPTOP CASE FROM UPCYCLED JEANS



Another project for you to try using your old jeans. You will be amazed how easy it is.
All the pockets and waistband details are already done for you.

Step 1 Open out your jeans by cutting down the fly opening. Place your laptop on top of the jeans just below the waistband and cut round the edge, leaving a 5cm border round the three sides.



Step 2 Open up the leg of your jeans by cutting down the seam line. Cut out the back of your laptop case the same width as the front, add on 2cm to the height to allow for a top seam (this is not required on the front because it already has a waistband.)

Step 3 Fold over 2cm at the top of the back section and top stitch close to the edge. Place the back on top of the front with right sides together. Sew round the three sides leaving the top open.



Step 4 Cut two pieces of lining the same size as the front of the laptop bag, adding 2cm to the height to allow for folding over at the top. With right sides together stitch three sides of the lining leaving the top open. Fold over 2cm at the top.



Step 5 Place the lining inside the denim section. Align the top edges, match up the seams and sew in position. Sew close to the edge.



Step 6 Cut Velcro to fit the width of the bag. Sew Velcro to the inside top edge of your laptop case. This gives a nice neat closure for your bag.

Now all that is left to do is to fill the pockets with useful pens and pencils etc.

Well done! Another beautiful project completed.