

I) Now, with wrong sides together, pin your 2nd design item to your 3rd, as shown. (use a 1/8" seam) Flip the top piece over, to see exactly how the 3rd design will look after it is sewn. Adjust now if necessary.



J) Periodically, place the pattern tissue on top of your design, to make sure the construction is progressing as you want. It helps to trim off SOME (but not all) excess fabric on top and below the design area.



K) Continue adding design pieces as described until you have a large enough design area for the entire pattern piece.



L) Here is a picture of the final design area both with the pattern piece above it. It's larger than needed, so now you can cut out just the area you want.



M) Once you are happy with the way the design looks under the pattern tissue, you can set it aside and move on to the other side of the purse.



N) First, beginning at the base of the purse (where you began before), find the perfect design area to begin your 2nd pattern piece. Allow for a 1/8" seam allowance on each side, as usual. Make sure you use the pattern tissue UPSIDE-DOWN now.





O) Add design area pieces to the pattern piece for this side of the purse, just as you did for the other.



P) And here's the other finished design area, next to it's UPSIDEDOWN pattern piece. Now you're ready to cut each piece out and begin your purse.



Q) Here are the final cut out pieces, arranged as they will be in the finished purse. As you can see, they are NOT all equidistant, and they are NOT all at the same angle. That's what makes this Kat Trick so easy and so much fun.! Now YOU try it!

Have you made a great purse using a Kat trick of mine? I would LOVE to see it, and post it in my Photo Gallery for others to enjoy! Just take a digital picture of your creation and email it to me at: info@studiokatdesigns.com

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