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Table runner

This festive table runner is quick to sew and the checked ribbon sewn onto it gives it that certain something that sets it apart from others. The mitred corners don't just look neat and elegant; our sewing instructions make them a snap to create.

The quantity of fabric is sufficient for a table runner measuring 0.5 m x 2 m. If you have a smaller table, you can of course size this accordingly.



- 2.80 m x 0.7 m dark blue furnishing fabric „Aura - 280 cm, 13“
- 5 m tartan bias binding
- 1 x red thread
- Fabric shears, chalk, measuring tape or ruler, iron,
- sewing machine

1 Tailoring

Tailor the table runner to a width of 62 cm and a length of 212 cm. You will need the larger seam allowance for an attractive, tidy mitred corner with a 5 cm wide envelope section.



2 Mitred corners: iron

Iron 6 cm from the edge on all four sides on the reverse of the fabric. It is best to measure this using a measuring tape or a ruler. Then, also iron 1 cm of the hem downwards.

Now, fold over the entire corner, up to the vertex of the corner to be subsequently finished, onto the finished side of the fabric. Iron the diagonal line thus created and mark its end points using tailor's chalk or a pen.

3 Mitred corner: mark

Fold the corner back again and place the two markings on top of each other. Place a ruler along the ironed edge and trace along the line. You should sew along this line immediately. The line of the seam runs at a right angle to the folded edge. Secure it with pins.



4 Mitred corners: sew

Now sew along the line you have just marked and then cut up to 1 cm of the corner away. Slant the corner.



5 Ironing the seam allowances apart

Iron the seam allowances apart. Then repeat steps 2 to 5 on the three other corners. Finally, turn the table runner inside out and draw the corners out using a moderately sharp object (for instance, a knitting needle).

Precisely top-stitch the envelope section from the reverse of the fabric.



6 Sewing on the bias binding



Now, place the red-checked bias binding along the line of the seam. When you approach the corners, fold the bias binding onto itself and shape the corner. Sew the bias binding securely at its left and right edge.

> Have fun! <
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