

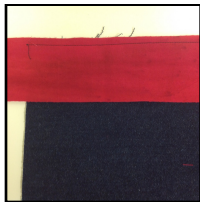
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To begin, you will need to cut your top and bottom sashing larger than the widths and lengths of the project you are working on.

For example: If your project is 20" wide and the sashing is 3" in width:

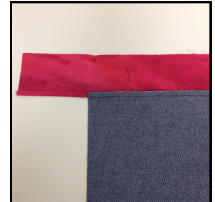
Cut the sashing 26" in length for the width of your project.

The sashing should extend beyond the project edges by AT LEAST the width of the sashing.



Begin by stitching sashing to two opposite sides (top and bottom). Stitch sashing to project, right sides together, using a 1/4" seam

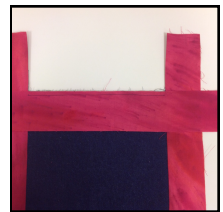
Press seam allowance toward sashing. You will have at least 3" extending beyond the edge of the project.



For the Left and right sides, measure the distance of the project and sashing, edge to edge (top and bottom).

Cut the length of next two pieces of sashing this measurement+ 2"

Place and stitch the sashing just between the two previously sashed edges. DO NOT stitch into the sashed borders that have already been attached.



Press seam allowance toward sashing.

Carefully fold the unattached edges back on themselves, Fold is aligned with the edge of the adjacent sashing.



Now carefully fold each edge at a right angle. The edge of the fabric should be parallel and right next to the sewn sashing.

Press the angled folds



Carefully flip the folded edge toward the previously sewn sashing. Secure with a pin.

Using a very narrow blanket stitch or blind hem, sew with the needle off the fold, so that it will swing over to the fold and catch the fabric every few stitches. (Invisible appliqué technique)

