

# Cosy Christmas Bottle Wrap...

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Vlieseline

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Follow this tutorial, to make a cosy Christmas bottle wrap, perfect for a bottle of champers or change up the fabrics for a special birthday celebration.

Fabrics by [Trimits](#), along with [Vlieseline Style Vil Fix](#), both available from all good crafting stores

Please read through all the instructions before starting your project



### *Materials to make one bottle wrap*

3 FQ Trimits Festive glitter fabrics (GTC176)

1 FQ Vlieseline Style Vil Fix

Gutermann thread, red, green, and white

30" Christmas ribbon or 2x 30" silver ribbon



### *Haberdashery items*

- Quilter's ruler, rotary cutter/scissors
- Iron
- Cutting mat
- Basic sewing supplies
- Fabric pen
- Hemline fabric quilting clips

## *Lets get sewing...*

Measure the height and circumference of the bottle you wish to wrap.

(The one I used was 11 ¼" in height with 11 ¼" circumference)

Add ¾" to both dimensions, and cut a piece of Vlieseline style vil fix to this size

(I needed a piece 12" x 12")

Take you two chosen pieces of fabric – outer and lining piece

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Next measure the diameter of the bottle, add 1" to this diameter and cut out a circle from the Vlieseline style vil fix, and 2 pieces of fabric (lining and outer)



Fuse the style vil fix to the lining piece of fabric, making sure to centralize it.  
Repeat for the circle.

Pin outer layer to the other side of style vil fix and pin/ baste in place.

Quilt using your preferred method.

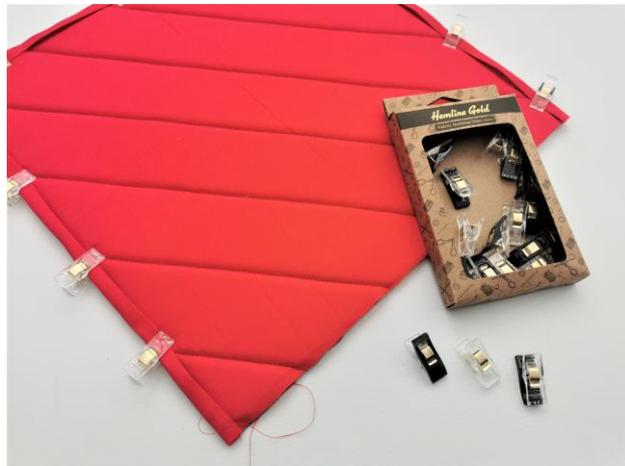


If you prefer to have curved edges, take a small side plate, mark and trim away the two top corners



From the third FQ cut 1 ½" strips at a 45 degree angle to create bias binding, sew to the front of the main piece along both sides and across the top.

Press over ¼" of the raw edge, and hand sew to the reverse of the main piece, Hemline fabric quilting clips make this process much easier



If you are adding one ribbon, draw a line across the main piece, 3" from the base, and sew the ribbon above this line

See photo below



If you have chosen to add two pieces of ribbon, mark one line 3" from base and the second line 6" from the base, sew both pieces along the top of these drawn lines to secure.



Take the circle and place with RST (right sides together) in the centre of the base line. Using a  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance, join the circle to the bottom of the main piece.

Turn right side out.



The bottle wrap can be turned down for extra cuteness, or maybe even try adding a trim to the collar





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