

**Level 2**  
**Drawstring Bag with casing**

**Materials Needed:** Light weight woven fabric, 30" of  $\frac{1}{2}$ " wide ribbon, and a safety pin.

- 1. Choose fabric.**
- 2. Layout pattern and cut.**
- 3. Mark circles.**
- 4. With right sides together and matching notches, sew a  $\frac{5}{8}$ " seam from the bottom of the bag to the large circle. Start sewing again at the small circle and continue to the edge of the top of the bag. Sew the opposite seam from the bottom to the top.**
- 5. Trim corners.**
- 6. Finish edges and press seams open.**
- 7. Turn over and press  $\frac{1}{4}$ " of raw edge towards the inside of the bag.**
- 8. Turn over and press along fold line (small circles) to form casing.**
- 9. Stitch along edge of casing completely around the top of the bag.**
- 10. Knott or finish ends of ribbon and work thru casing using a safety pin.**

