

## Friendship book cover

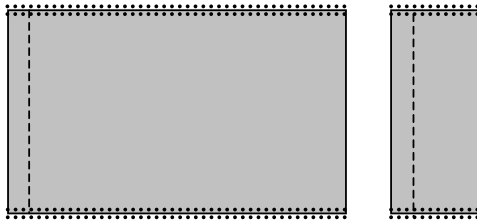
Approx size – to cover A4 Book

As all books vary, use measurements as a guide only and adjust to fit your own book or journal.

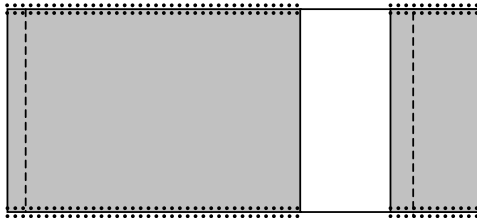
- Tea or coffee dye Stitchery if desired, fuse pellon and stitch over all lines, press well and trim back to:
  - Main pic: 5 1/2" x 7 1/2"
  - Quote: 2 1/2" x 8 1/2"
- Cut 24 pieces assorted fabric scraps 1 1/2" x 2 1/2"
- Cut four squares 2 1/2" x 2 1/2"
- Cut one large piece of fabric 11 1/2" x 22"
- Cut one piece 11 1/2" x 5"

Construction – all seams are 1/4"

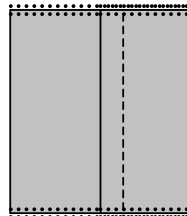
- Join small strips to make two rows of 5 and two rows of 7.
- Attach a small square to the two ends of the two long strips.
- Join the short strips of 5 to the top and bottom of your Stitchery panel, press.
- Attach two long strips to the sides pin matching the seams at the corners.
- Join the stitchery quote to the bottom edge.
- Double fold and press one short end of both your large piece and smaller remaining piece of fabric. Stitch to form a hemmed edge. Neaten edges along complete length top and bottom.



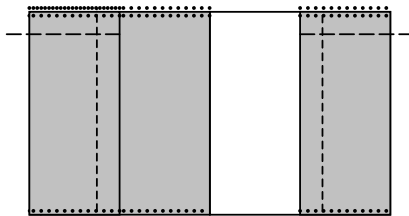
- Attach the small piece to the right side of your stitchery panel and the large piece to the left.
- Fold the short end back onto the stitchery panel and pin.



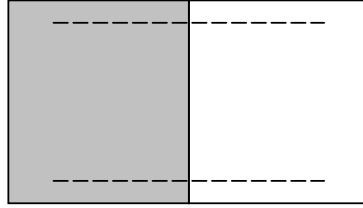
- Fold the cover right sides together at the seam line then fold in other end and pin end back in on itself right sides together. Place the book inside to check where the folds should go.



- You now have this:



- Stitch across the top and bottom of each folded piece. Trim corners and turn right side out.
- Press top and bottom neaten edges over and run a line of stitching across the opening.



- Insert the book
- Trim edges of third 'group hugs' stitchery to 1/8". Turn under and slip stitch to front of the cover.

