

Quick Tea Towel Apron



Supplies:

1 tea towel

½ yard fabric

For Apron:

1. Fold Towel in half lengthwise, iron and open.
2. On both sides of the fold, measure out from the center 4 inches and mark.
3. from the top sides of the towel, measure down 10 inches and mark.
4. Fold the towel from the 4 inch mark to the 10 inch mark, fold towards the back and Iron.
5. Cut 1 inch from the crease line, on the corner side of the towel. This will form the casing.
6. Press the raw edge under ¼ inch and press. Fold again another ¾ on an inch, iron and top stitch. Be sure to back stitch on the ends. This makes the casing for the apron ties to go thru.



For Ties: From your ½ yard of fabric, cut 2 or 3 strips (depending on how long you need your ties to be). Cut the strips 3 inches wide by the width of fabric. Sew together, end to end. Fold in half lengthwise and press. Open and fold the sides toward the center and press again. Fold in the ends on the 3 inch side. Stitch lengthwise down the entire strip, and across the ends, so there are no raw edges.

For Apron Pocket: From the fabric cut 2 8x16 inch squares. Place squares right sides together and stitch all around the outside leaving a 4 inch opening for turning. Turn and press. Now is a good time to top stitch along the top edge of the pocket. Center your pocket about 4 inches from the bottom, depending on your height. Pin in place and top stitch around the pocket. Stitch a center dividing line down the middle of the pocket.

Thread your ties through the casings and you have a fast fun apron!!

***If you divide your towel in half you can make two small aprons for the wee cooking folk! The measurements for this are 3 inches out for the neck and 7 inches down the sides.

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