

Christmas Stocking Cuff

Construct a Christmas stocking using your favorite method. Remember to quilt both front and back pieces so the stocking will be more substantial. Pick out a contrasting fabric for the cuff. You will need a piece of fabric approximately twice the measurement across the top of the stocking plus $1\frac{1}{4}$ ". The width to be determined by how wide you want the cuff ($3\frac{1}{2}$ " is a good final measurement). You then double this width measurement and add $\frac{1}{4}$ " for your seam. Make cuff, turn right side out, press and then you're ready to attach it to the stocking.

Add hanging loop and position cuff inside the stocking with a slight overlap toward the back at the side seam. Stitch all the way around and back stitch. Turn cuff to right side and admire your work.

This sounds complicated but it's not. Try one and see how much it adds to your Christmas stockings.

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