

Drawstring Bags

not just for marbles !



Surely we've all had a drawstring bag of treasures as a child. Maybe even a bag that we made ourselves out of calico to hold 'precious' jewellery, marbles, sticky boiled sweets, lunch money, or our pajamas for a sleep over.

Drawstring bags can be plain and simple, pretty and sweet, or rather elegant. They can be used for presenting a personal gift, storing food or personal items, keeping drawers, suitcases and cupboards tidy, holding fiddley items like charging cables or makeup, stashing dirty or wet clothes, and keeping hobby items together.

We would like to show you different methods of making the bags, ideas for their use, ways to make them special, styles of drawstrings, and ways to finish off the ends. They can be embellished with bits and bobs and pockets, and can be made of fabric scraps, old clothes, teatowels, plastic, and lace curtains. We hope you'll find them as addictive as we do.