

# Paper Piece Potato Holder

## Basting the Shapes

Chose two contrasting colors #1 and #2 and baste the shapes in the colors shown. This project requires 100% cotton. Flannel works great.

Shape	Size	Qty	Color
Hexagon	2"	4	#1
Hexagon	2"	2	#2

## Making the Top and Bottom

Whip stitch two basted hexagons of color #1 together as shown in Figure 1. Do the same to make the bottom with two basted hexagons of color #2.

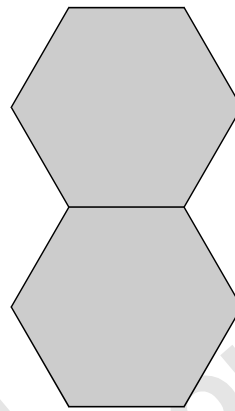


Figure 1

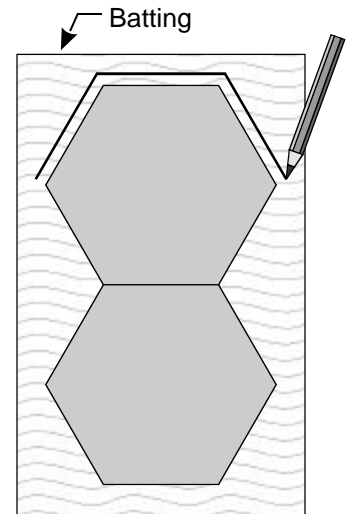


Figure 2

## Cutting the Batting

Lay the top on to some batting. Trace on the batting around the pieces as show in Figure 2. Cut the batting on the inside of the tracing marks, so that it will be a bit smaller.

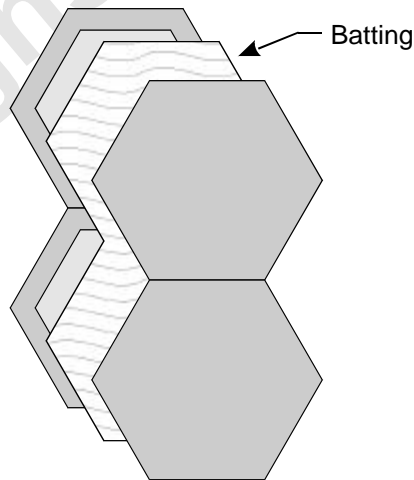


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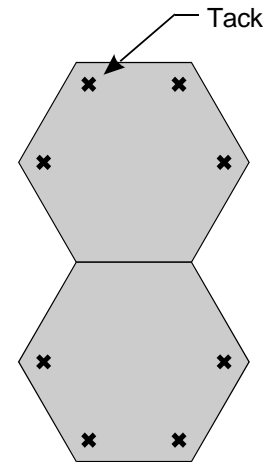


Figure 4

## Closing

Mist all the basted pieces with water and iron them to set the seams.

Remove all the paper pieces. Save your paper pieces to be reused. You may want to iron the top and bottom again.

Lay the batting between the top and the bottom and pin in place. See Figure 3. Tack the top to the bottom 3/8" from eight corners as shown in Figure 4.

Take the two single basted hexagons of color #1 and fold them in half with the right sides out. See Figure 5. Iron to set the seams.

Pin one folded hexagon at the top and one folded hexagon at the bottom as shown in Figure 6. Whip stitch all around the out side edge pushing in the batting as you go. Make sure you go thru the four layers at the top and bottom edges.

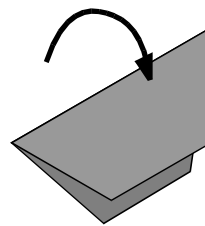


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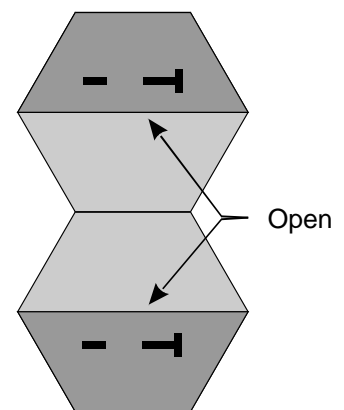


Figure 6

You are now ready to handle those hot potatoes!

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