

Fabric Cane Cover

This tutorial is for a decorative fabric cane cover. As canes come in different sizes, the cane I was working with measured 4" around and 32" long. Measure the circumference of the widest part of your cane with a flexible tape measure. If your cane has a rubber grip at the bottom that is wider than the cane, measure that instead of the cane.

Finished size 3" W x 39" L

Cut:

1 Piece Your measurement + 2" x Width of Fabric (for my 4" cane, I cut 6")

2 Pieces Elastic 1/2" x Your measurement + 1" (for my 4" cane, I cut 5")

ALL SEAMS ARE 1/4".

Fold down each short end 1/4" – press. Then fold each end 1", pin in place and sew with 1/4" seam at to form casing for elastic.



Using a safety pin, feed one piece of elastic through each casing. Pin the elastic in place. Fold the fabric Wrong Sides Together and stitch 1/4" along the long side making sure to capture the elastic. Backspace at top and bottom for extra secure stitches. Turn, press. Stitch 3/8" from edge, enclosing 1/4" seam you just stitched. Turn, press.

Starting at the bottom of the cane, slip cover over cane. The cover will have a scrunched look. You may choose to make your cover the exact length of the cane – just adjust the above measurements accordingly (make sure to allow for the casing).



You may add embellishments to your cane cover such as a fabric bow, crystals, beads, buttons, appliqués, or many other options. Make one to match every outfit, holiday or season – what fun!