

INSTALLING BUTTON SNAPS

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Order snaps here: <http://www.snapsource.com> (800-725-4600)

I used size 24 snaps but I think size 20 (1/2") would have probably look nicer!

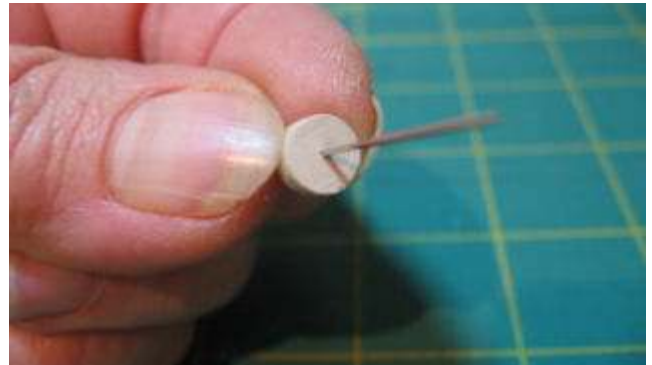
What to order for size 20 (1/2") snaps:

Item 31216 - Size 16 snap setter tool
Item 31320 - Size 20 tool adapter
Size 20 snaps (1/2")

What to order for size 24 (5/8") snaps

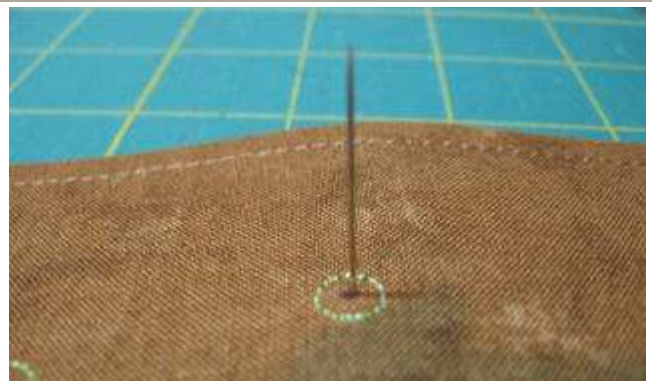
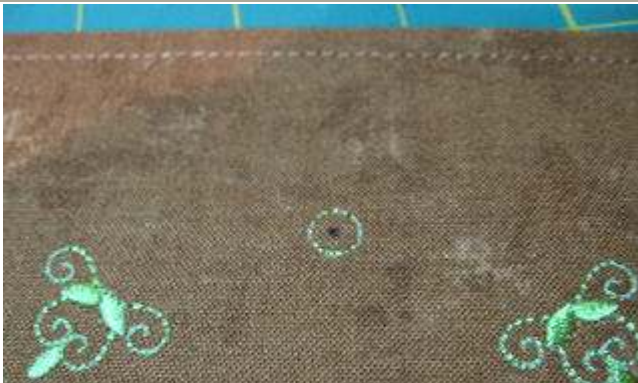
Item 31216 - Size 16 snap setter tool
Item 31324 - Size 24 tool adapter
Size 24 snaps (5/8")

Note: The Size 16 snap tool adapter works for snap sizes 16, 18, 20 & 24. If you order more than one size snap you only need to order one size 16 snap setter tool and then just get the tool adapter to fit the size snaps you ordered!



1. Cut the eraser off the end of a pencil and push a straight pin through the center of the eraser.

2. Close up of straight pin centered in middle of eraser.



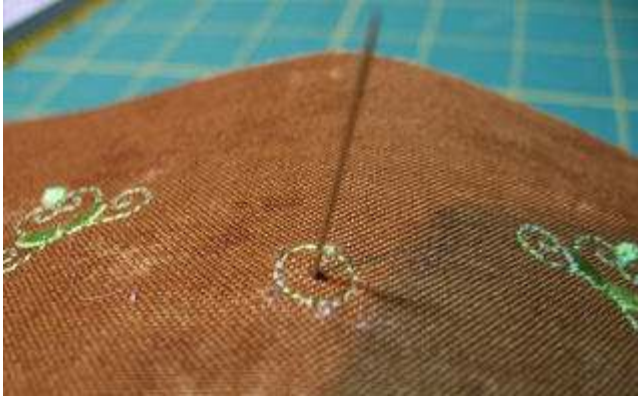
3. Mark the center of the placement circle on the pocket.

4. Push the pin through back of fabric, pin is facing up.

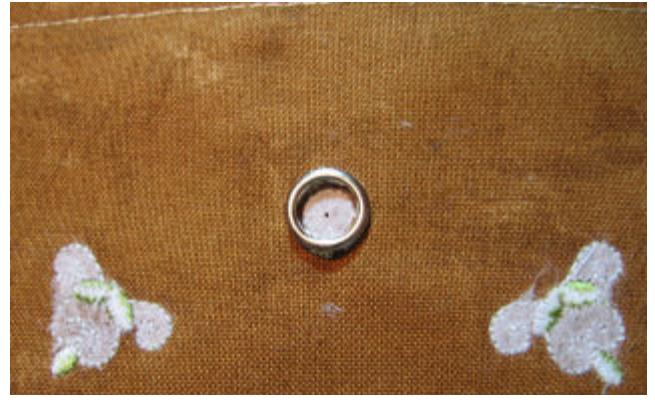


5. Flip pocket to wrong side and push the straight pin into a pin cushion. Slip the open prong ring down over the eraser.

6. Push down on the edge of the open prong ring until the prongs pierce through the fabric all around the edge.



7. Look closely and you can see the prongs sticking up through the fabric (it was hard to get a good close up!)



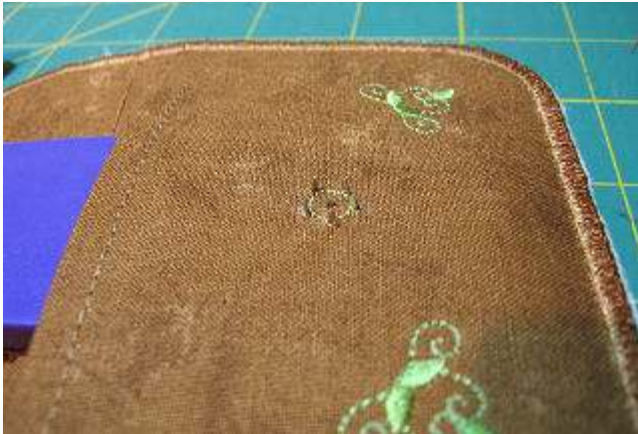
8. This shows the open prong ring centered around the stitched placement circle on the back of the pocket.



9. Remove the eraser/pin but leave the open prong ring in the fabric for now. You will need to remove the prong ring before adding the pocket to the coin purse during the embroidery process, but leave the prongs in the fabric for now to form nice holes which will make it a little easier to line up the prongs when you install it on the pocket later!



10. When finished making the coin purse, reach inside the pocket and push the pin/eraser through the fabric at the center mark. Slide the open prong ring inside the pocket and slip it over the pin/eraser. Press on edges of the prong ring until the prongs stick up through the fabric.



11. Carefully remove the pin/eraser leaving the prong ring intact. Slide the snap setter tool inside the pocket until the prong ring seats itself inside the indented circle on the snap setter tool.



12. Slip the middle section of the snap setter tool over the bottom piece. Place the snap stud inside the hole on the snap setter tool.



13. Slip the top section of the snap setter tool over the middle piece. Hammer the snap parts into place.



14. Place the capped prong ring centered over the stitched placement circle on the right side of the coin purse. Push the prongs up through the fabric.



15. This just shows how the prongs are pushed through the fabric centered around the stitched placement circle. (The vilene stabilizer had not been washed away from the edges of the coin purse in this picture!)



16. Slip the bottom of the setter tool underneath the coin purse until the capped snap is centered inside the indented circle on the tool. Slip the middle tool piece on, place the snap socket inside the hole. (The side of the socket with 8 tiny slits on the inner ring should be facing up!)



17. Slip the top section of the snap setter tool over the middle tool piece. Hammer the snap parts into place.



18. The finished snap pieces on the coin purse.