

Listen to music or talk on your phone as you go hands-free by creating a quick and easy armband for your electronic device. It's so easy to do with VELCRO® Sticky Back for Fabrics rectangles. This amazing VELCRO® product allows you to create your own removable armband that you can wear and wash when needed.

Some plastic cases are designed to prevent adhesives from sticking, so you need to test your device. You can use this armband with the cell phone holder on page 22.

### Materials:

VELCRO® Sticky Back for Fabrics, Tape, white Pellon® white 1/4 yard Mid-weight fusible interfacing Navy sewing thread

### Tools:

Ruler, Westcott Brand Non-Stick scissors, iron, straight pins, sewing needle, pattern (optional tools to finish the case: sewing machine, serger, fusible tape or fabric glue)

### Instructions:

1. Enlarge the cell phone pattern so it is 1/2-inch larger and 1/2-inch wider than your cell phone.
2. Use this pattern to cut 2 pieces of the cotton fabric and 1 piece of interfacing. Iron the interfacing pieces to the back side of two of the cotton fabric pieces.
3. Cut the pattern in half at the dotted line. Use this pattern to cut 2 pieces of the cotton fabric and 1 piece of interfacing. Iron the interfacing to the back side of one of the cotton fabric pieces. With the printed sides of the fabric together, sew the top of the fabric together using a 1/4-inch seam allowance. Turn the fabric so the printed sides of the fabric are facing outward.
4. Place one of the full-sized fabric pieces on your work surface so the printed side is facing up. Place the smaller, sewn section that was created in step 3 onto the larger printed fabric. Make sure the fabric's unfinished curved ends meet. Place the remaining fulllength of fabric on top of the last piece of fabric. Make sure the printed side of the fabric is facing down toward the work surface and that the edges of the fabric all match. Use the straight pins to hold everything in place.



5. Use a needle and thread to sew the fabric pieces together, making sure to leave a 1 to 1 1/2-inch wide section open at the bottom. Turn the fabric to the right side and then stitch the opening closed to finish the case. Iron the case.

6. To create the closure for the cell phone case, cut the VELCRO® tape to measure 3-inches and then press the adhesive side of the loop side of the VELCRO® tape onto the inside of the case cover and the hook side of the VELCRO® tape onto the case body.

### Cell Phone Case Pattern (Enlarge)

