



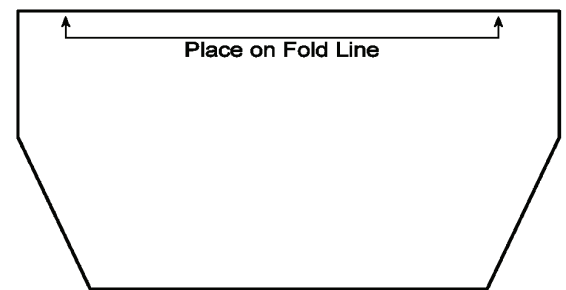
Your little boy can be stylin' and beguilin' with these altered jeans. By adding a flap to the pockets of the jeans, he can be one sharplooking little man. VELCRO® Sticky Back for Fabrics tape allows you to change the fabric at any time to coordinate with any color shirt.

Materials:

VELCRO® Sticky Back for Fabrics, tape, beige Fabric for pockets, ¼ yard Steam-a-Seam 2® Double Stick Fusible Web, tape, ½" Boy's jeans with pockets Thin white paper

Tools:

Pocket-flap pattern, iron, Westcott Brand Non-Stick scissors, pencil, vanishing fabric pen



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Instructions:

1. Enlarge the pocket flap pattern so it is 1/2-inch wider and 1/2-inch longer than the pocket on the jeans. Create a pattern on the white paper.
2. Trace the pattern onto the back of the fabric with the vanishing fabric pen. Cut around the traced pattern.
3. Using a 1/4-inch border, fold each side to the back of the fabric and then iron the folds.
4. Use the fusible web to glue down the folds so that the folded material does not move. This will give a finished look to the fabric.

5. Cut a piece of the VELCRO® tape the width of the top of the pocket flap and a second piece that is the width of the bottom of the pocket flap.
6. Attach the hook side of the VELCRO® tape to the back of the fabric-pocket flap and press down firmly. Join the loop side of the VELCRO® tape to the hook side. Then, attach the fabric-pocket flap to the back pocket of the jeans.
7. Repeat steps 2 through 6 to create the second pocket flap.