

# Sew door stoppers in maritime-style

Instructions No. 3311

Difficulty: Beginner 

Working time: 3 Hours

Are you tired of boring silver metal doorstops? Do you want to give your home a personal touch? Then you've come to the right place! In this tutorial, I'll show you how to sew a stylish, nautical doorstop yourself. It's easy with some fabric, sand and your creative streak.



## Creative doorstop: how to sew it yourself

Step-by-step instructions

1. cord weave

To give your doorstop the perfect nautical look, first weave a cord. This can later be used as a handle. Take three paracord ropes of the same length, braid them together and tie a tight knot at each end. This will prevent the cord from opening again.



## **2. pattern transfer and pin**

First design the pattern for your little bag. You will need six squares of the same size for a cube-shaped doorstop. Cut a small slit in one of these squares that is just big enough for the cord . The slit should only be wide enough to prevent the knots from slipping through.



Once the slit has been hemmed and the cord fits through it, sew all four sides of one square together with the other squares - on the wrong side. Make sure to pin the squares together exactly with pins so that nothing slips.

### **3. Filling the sandbag**

Use normal sand. to fill the doorstep. Alternatively, cherry stones or small pebbles are also suitable. Fill the sand into a freezer bag and seal it tightly. This will prevent the sand from trickling through the fabric.

### **4. Sew the individual sides together and fill the bag**

Sew all the squares together, but leave one side open. Turn the bag right side out and fill it with the sand and cord. Sew the cord in place with a few hand stitches to secure. Finally, sew the last two sides of the doorstep together by hand. Make sure to choose a matching color for your yarn . You can decorate your doorstep as you wish with beads, ribbons or other decorative elements.



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Cotton fabric "Anchor"

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