

## How to ITH Pokémon posh/luxe book with dangle

*Materials:*

Medium weight cut away stabilizer.

6mm double cap rivets  
Painter's tape

**SPECIAL NOTES:** This is a two or 3 hoop pattern. 2 if you want just the pokeball dangle and notebook, 3 if you also want the alternate closure option instead of the FOE.

## Dangle

(1) vinyl for front  
(1) Vinyl for back  
(1) 8" Ribbon (1/4"-5/8" wide)

**\*\*\*CHOOSE ONE  
CLOSURE STYLE  
ONLY\*\*\***

## Standard Closure

(3)pieces at 2 ." FOE  
(fold  
over elastic)

## Alternate closure

(1) vinyl scrap  
approximately  
3" x 3" for small  
3" x 4" for large

(1) piece of oly fun  
approximately  
3" x 3" for small  
3" x 4" for large

(2) rivets

**Posh Book:** Designed  
to fit Mini  
Composition books  
3.25" x 4.5"

- (1) 6" x 8:" piece of vinyl for your book exterior
- (1) 6" x 8" piece of a thin non-fray material such as glitter canvas or olyfun for your book lining.
- (2) 2.5" x 6" pieces of any thin vinyl or glitter canvas for you book holding pockets.

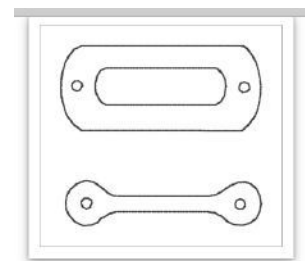
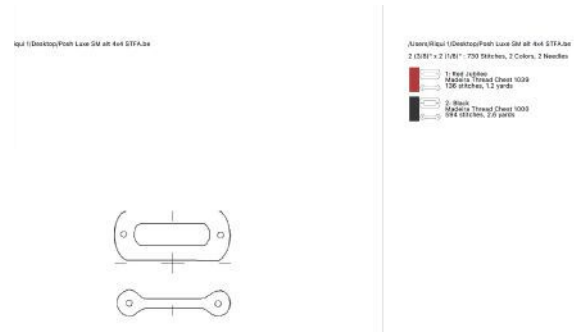
**Luxe Book: Designed  
to fit A6 notebooks  
4.13" x 5.75"**

- (1) 6 ¾" x 10 ¼" pieces of vinyl for your book exterior.
- (1) 6 ¾" x 10 ¼" piece of a thin non-fray material such as glitter canvas or olyfun for your book lining.
- (2) 3" x 6 ¾" pieces of any thin vinyl or glitter canvas for you book holding pockets.
- (1) 5" x 7" piece of vinyl for your gears and pen holder/closure
- (1) 5" x 7" piece of olyfun for your gears

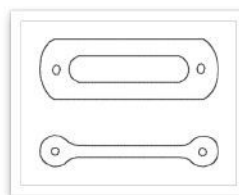
**If using the alternate closure method  
Start here If not SKIP to Step 9.**

**More notes:** the alternate closure backing needs to be REALLY THIN, and no fray. Don't use typical marine vinyl, or it will be too bulky and won't bend quite right. If you don't have oly fun, you can try glitter CANVAS

The alternate closure only has 2 color stops. Do them in whatever color thread will match your vinyl choice.



Posh Luxe SM alt 4x4 STFA.JPG



Posh Luxe LG alt 4x4 STFA.JPG

**Step 1: Decide which size attachment you want to do. Large or small.**

**Large:** for Big Honkin' pens like Sharpie size.  
**Small:** For standard pens.

**Tricked you, didn't I?  
You thought I was  
going to say hoop  
some stabilizer.**



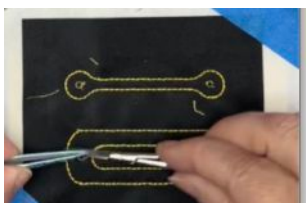
**Step 2:** Now you can hoop some medium weight cutaway and **Run Color Stop 1.**



**Step 3:** Place your vinyl on the front so it completely covers your die line and either use some 505 spray or a little tape to hold it in place. Then flip your hoop over and tape your oly fun in place. You will need tape here, because Gravity is NOT our friend. **Run Color Stop 2.**



**Step 4:** Trim your jumps and thread tails.



**Step 5:** Now you will cut out your pieces. I find that trimming away some of the excess vinyl/stabilizer makes it easier, but you do you Boo.



**Step 6:** Grab your favorite fob/ornament cutting scissors and carefully trim around the outside of your two pieces. Try to keep a slim edge, but make sure you're not too close and snip your stitches. Cut smoothly, don't snip through the tip of your scissors and turn your work not the scissors.



**Step 7:** Now the inside of the one piece needs to be cut out. So, bend it slightly and make a small snip. Then make a perpendicular cut almost up to the stitch line, so you can scissors in there. Carefully trim out the inside. You won't be able to make such long cuts and might not be able to get your scissors in there super far, so just go slow and do the best you can. Once you make the initial cut you can always go back to clean up any rough spots.







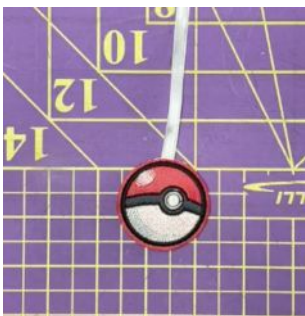
**Step 15: CAREFULLY cut along the ball avoiding the ribbon.**



**Step 16:** Fold the back vinyl, stabilizer, and ribbon DOWN across the back of the ball and carefully trim ONLY the front vinyl across the ribbon attachment area.

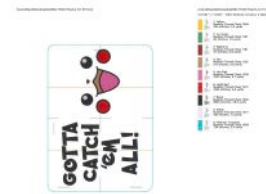


**Step 17:** Fold the ribbon to the FRONT of the ball **and** **carefully** trim the stabilizer and back vinyl across the ribbon attachment area



YES!!! You have a pokeball on a ribbon, now let's FINALLY start on this notebook cover

**Finally, it's time to make the notebook cover!**

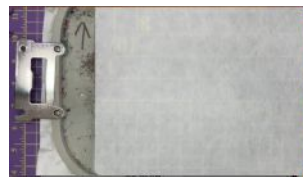


This book has 9 stops yours may have more. Color stop 1 is your placement line and shows you what color vinyl to use. Stitch this on stabilizer only.

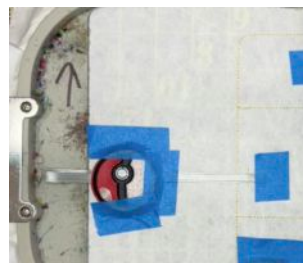
Color stop 2 is your foe tack downs if using the standard closure and the tack down for your pokeball ribbon dangle

Color stops 3- ?? are design elements Follow the colors on the color stop PDF. Why the ?? well I don't know how many colors your design has run all remaining stop except the last one.

The Last color stop is your backing step. We'll add the back lining and pockets before running this. You'll want to stitch this in a color matching your vinyl.

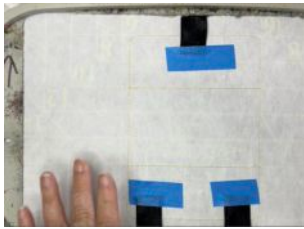


**Step 18:** Get a hoop with medium weight cutaway, Shocker, I know, and **Run color stop 1.**

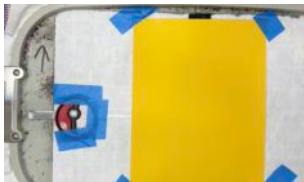


**Step 19:** tape the edge of your ribbon so that it extends into the interior of your hoop, just past the die line as shown. Pin or tape the other end OUT OF THE WAY to the stabilizer OUTSIDE THE HOOP!

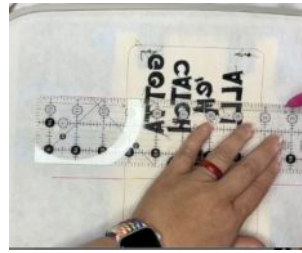




**Step 20:** Fold ALL THREE pieces of FOE (fold over elastic) In half, matching the raw edges. Tape them so that the raw edges are to the inside of the hoop, overlapping the die lines by about .” and the loop end is OUTSIDE the vinyl placement die line. Be sure to tape the loop end down, as well, so it stays in place during stitching. **Run Color Stop 2.**



**Step 21:** Remove the tape on the FOE and ribbon ends. Place the vinyl you want for the OUTSIDE of your posh or luxe book so that it covers the entire vinyl die line on the stabilizer, taping just the 4 corners so that it does not shift. **Run the “DESIGN ELEMENT” Color Stops – this will be ALL remaining color stops EXCEPT THE VERY LAST ONE.**



**Step 22:** remove the hoop from the machine and flip it over. On the back of your hoop, with a pen or pencil, extend the two horizontal placement lines for the slip pockets to the edge of the hoop. (your machine can’t stitch the die lines this far and the “inner lining” is going to hide your placement lines) **STILL ON THE BACK,** lay your “inner lining” so that it covers the vinyl die line and tape in place



Now grab your book pocket pieces, and line those up using the line extensions you drew and tape them down. Then grab a piece of clear plastic style WSS and tape that over the whole lot. Yes, you really want to do this. It will help things glide smoothly on your machine, so your pockets don’t snag and get torn off while you stitch. **Run the LAST color stop.**



**Step 23:** Flip your hoop to the back and trim any tails and funky threads. Then pull off your WSS and unhoop. If using the alternate closure skip to STEP 27.



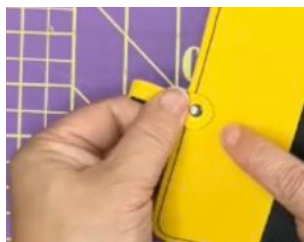
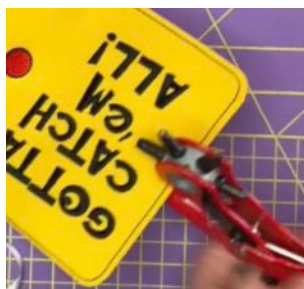
**Step 24: There is only ONE SIDE YOU CAN STRAIGHT EDGE CUT WITH A ROTO-CUTTER – be careful!!!**

On the three sides with ribbon or FOE you will have to cut the back and front separately to keep from accidentally cutting off the ribbon and FOE.

**Step 25:** The way \*I did\* my cuts was to Snip little divots into the areas where the ribbon and FOE was, then pull those out of the way while trimming those edges. Do whatever method works best for you.

**Step 26:** once you have cut the edges, use scissors to round your corners

If you used this method, you are done! Load your notebook and writing implement of choice!



## ALTERNATE CLOSURE OPTION

**Step 27:** grab your posh or luxe book, and measure your short ends find the center. and make a tiny mark at the center point just inside the stitch line. Now punch holes without punching your stitch line

**Step 28:** Grab your big oval add on and thread a rivet through the add on, then through the book, then flip the add on over and slip it over the rivet post too. Now put your rivet cap on and push a bit until you hear a click.

Mash your rivet either with a press of the good ol' hammer and whack method.

**Step 29:** Repeat with your straight (barbell like) closure piece on the other side of your book.



**Step 30:** Load your notebook and pen into your cover.

**You caught this Pokémon, now you gotta go catch em all!**



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