DIY Cat Kicker Toy

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What You Need:

- fabric of choice
- scissors
- tape measure
- stuffing
- Catnip
- sewing machine

This DIY cat kicker toy is super easy to make. If you have about 10 minutes, a sewing machine, fabric, and bunting, you can whip up a few to get your cats playing in no time.





Step 1:

Measure and cut your fabric to desired size. You'll want it long enough for your cat to hold onto, so at least the length of their belly. I measured mine 40cm long X 15cm wide.





Step 2:

Fold your fabric lengthwise with the right sides together and sew around leaving a 1-2 inch opening to fill with stuffing.



Step 3:

Turn right side out and begin to fill it with stuffing. I used lots of stuffing to make the pillow nice and firm. As you add the stuffing, sprinkle in some catnip throughout the layers. (If making for shelter cats please do not add catnip)





Step 4:

Once the bag is filled, fold in the raw edges of the fabric and sew up the opening. I did one by hand and one by machine. If you're not fussy on how neat it looks, I would recommend sewing it together by machine to have a more secure finish. Your cat will go nuts over these, so having the opening secure is a must!

