Elizabeth Hurley wore a black dress once in 1994, which was held together with several oversized gold safety pins. This dress put Hurley on the global media stage. It inspired me to create a bag along the same line as the dress.

Let's see on which stage our bag will put us.

You will need:

- Two round canvasses (15cm in diameter)
- · Silver spray paint
- 25 large safety pins
- 2m silver cord
- 20-30 gold and silver noticeboard pins
- Piece of fabric for inside lining
- Wooden or fabric decorations (leaf mould)
- 4 small round hooks



How to make our brag bag:

- 1. Spray-paint the canvasses silver and allow to dry. When working with spray paint, remember to wear a mask and work in a well-ventilated area.
- 2. Place the canvasses on top of each other with the painted sides facing outwards.
- 3. Create a border between the two canvasses by using safety pins. Fasten the safety pins to the wooden part of the canvasses by using only the silver and gold noticeboard pins. Continue doing this until the entire border is covered. Remember to leave an opening at the top part of the canvasses.
- 4. Try to match a piece of fabric with the colour of the canvasses. Fold the piece of fabric into a square. In doing this, we are forming a small inside lining. Sew the sides together to form a bag lining. Once done, fasten it to the wooden part of the canvasses with pins.
- 5. Screw the round hooks in on the corners of the opening and weave the cord through and fasten it to form a sling handle. To decorate the bag, use a leaf mould on the outside. Your brag bag is ready to be premiered.









