Easy Face Mask with Darts and Filter
adapted from Pins & Needles Easy Face Mask with Darts

Supplies:
2 pieces of contrasting fabric 8” x 11”
2 pieces of Oly Fun Fabric (or other non-woven interfacing) 7” x 10 ½”
Fabric for ties 1½” x 42”

Directions:
1. Cut out all pieces
2. Place one filter against the wrong side of fabric piece centering the fabric between the short sides and making sure the bottom long side and the filter are even so there should be a gap of ½” at the top long side of the fabric see figure 1 light yellow is the filter blue is the fabric
3. Fold down ½” on one long side of 8” x 11” piece (filter should be tucked inside, so the filter is not folded into the ½” seam but is sewn into the seam) topstitch down see figure 2
4. Follow steps 2-3 for the second piece of fabric and filter layer
5. Layer fabrics and filters right sides together with the folded edges at the top, stitch down the other three sides with ¼” seam allowance (the filter will be on the inside of the seam allowance on the 8” sides and will be sewn in later)
6. Turn right side out & fold in half like a hotdog (long ways)
7. Mark in 1½” from the outer edge on the folded edge on both sides & draw a line from the 1½” mark to the corner to form the dart and tuck down the short sides filters see figure 3
8. To make strap, trifold long piece of fabric lengthwise & top stitch down through all layers triple zigzag stitch is best
9. Lay strap inside “hotdog” as pictured in step 7 with raw edges hanging out & sew along dotted lines - this will form darts & encase the strap
10. Flip right side out & clip strap in the middle to form two straps