

10. This is the point when the fit of the lid is determined. The less material removed, the tighter the fit of the lid. You may want to make an easier fit due to wood movement.

11. At this time you may want to make a very small rabbet at the point where lid meets base.

This provides a visual break between lid and base. The break may also disguise any mismatch in grain or box warping slightly.

12. Sand and finish inside of box and then part off leaving enough material to be used as a jamb-chuck.

If you don't want to use jamb method, part off with the bottom slightly concave so that it will sit on the outer edge. If parted off cleanly, it will need minimal finishing.

There are many styles of lidded boxes that can be made using this method.