



# EVERY CHILD CHALLENGE

## BASIC REPAIR SKILLS BOOKLET

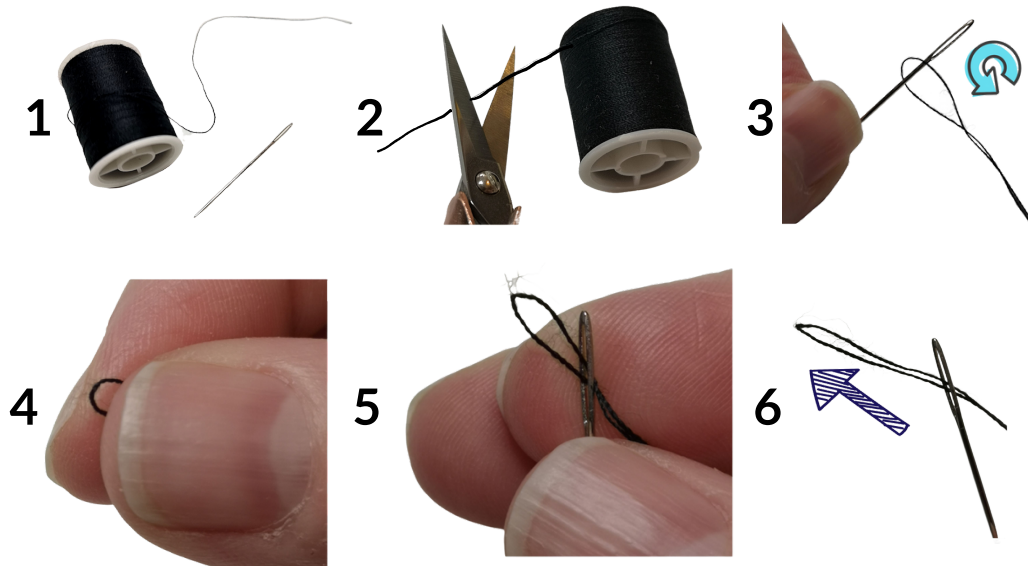
This booklet has been created to accompany MISSION TO MEND - a National Lottery Heritage funded WOVEN in Kirklees project, celebrating the importance of creative hand sewing for textile repair and the difference it can make in local communities.

These instructions have been developed to support children and adults sewing together. Please tag us in your sewing photos! Find us on social media @WOVENinKirklees #MissionToMend #WOVEN23

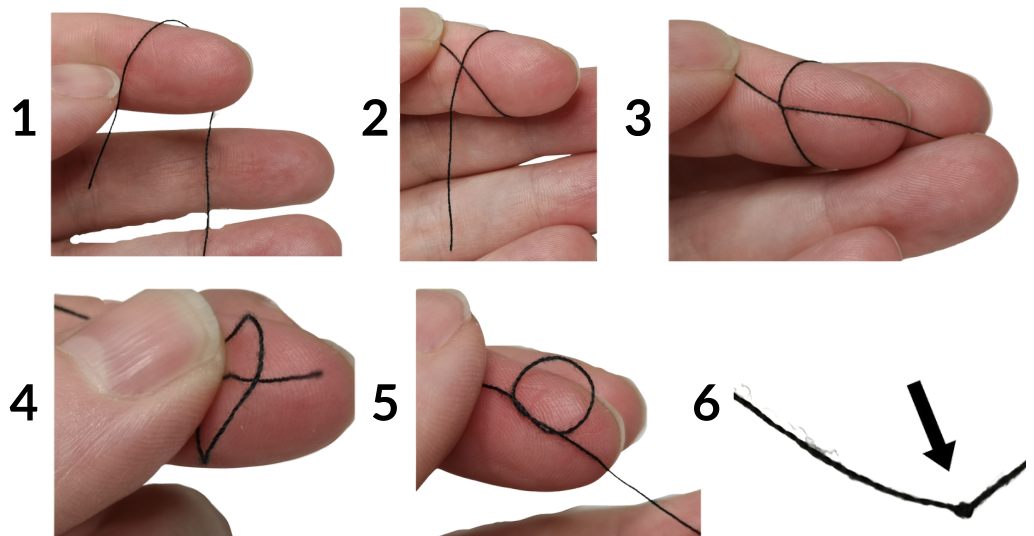
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## Threading a Needle

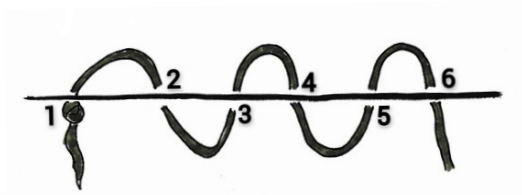


## Tying a Knot

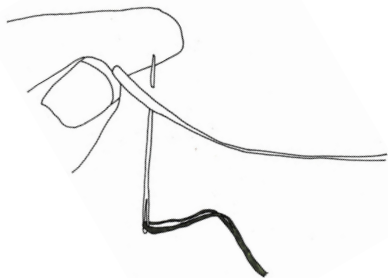


# Running Stitch

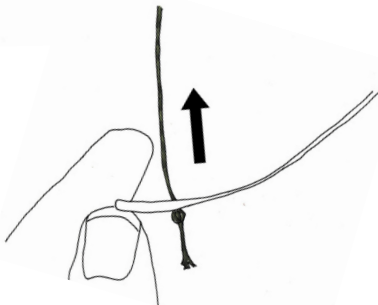
Used for patching a hole, applique, patchwork detail and to mark out the area when darning.



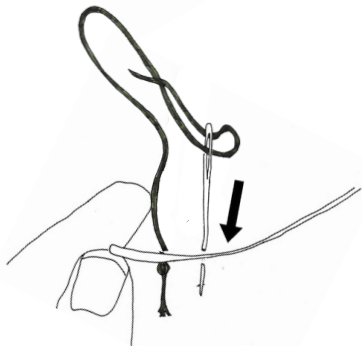
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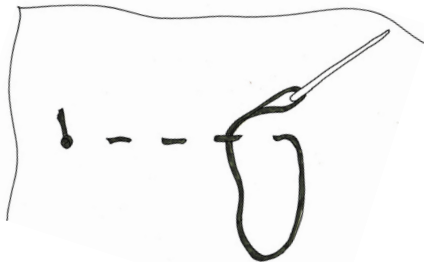
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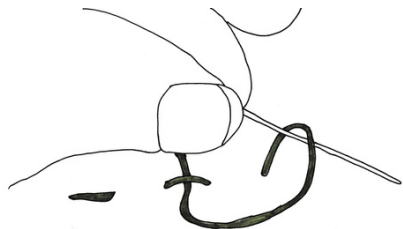
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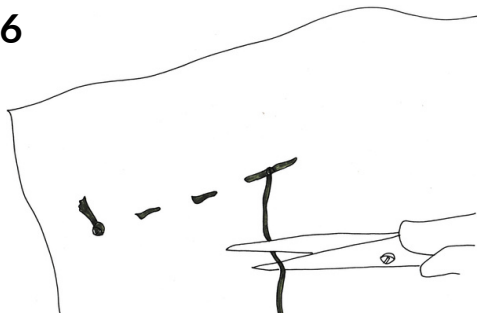
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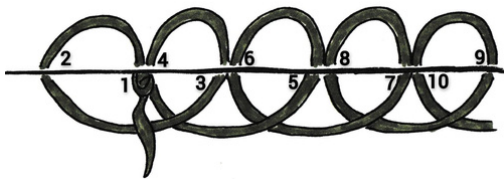


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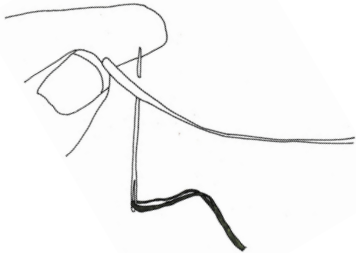


# Back Stitch

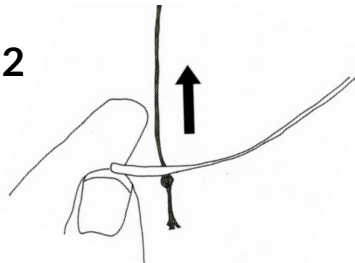
A stronger stitch used for sewing torn seams back together, sewing up a hem and creating a simple joined up line in embroidery embellishment.



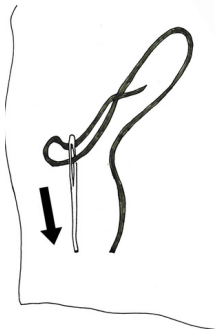
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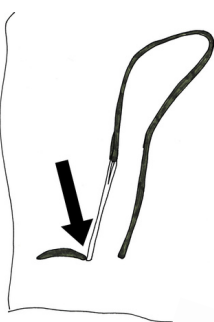
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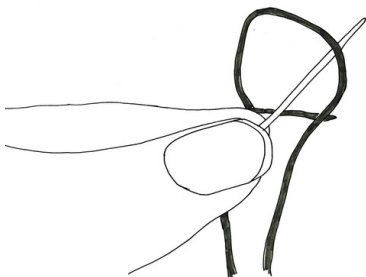
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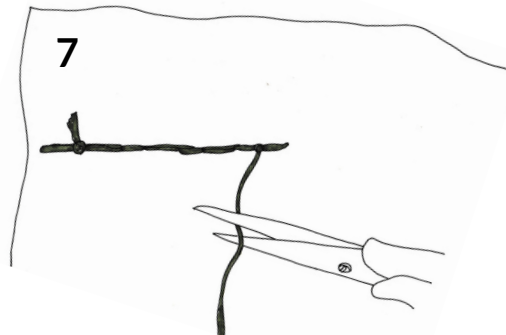
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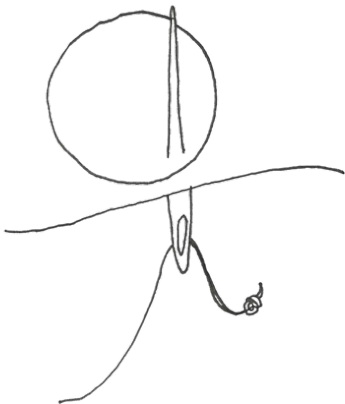


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# Sewing on a Patch

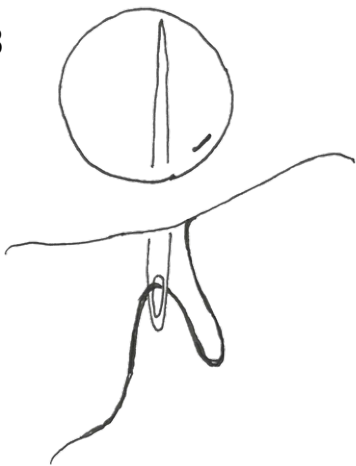
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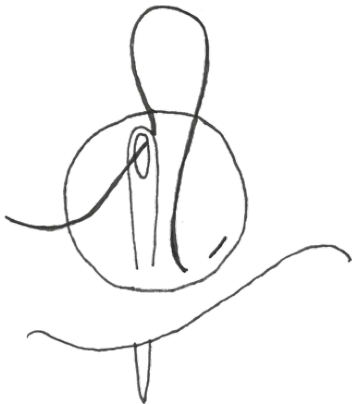
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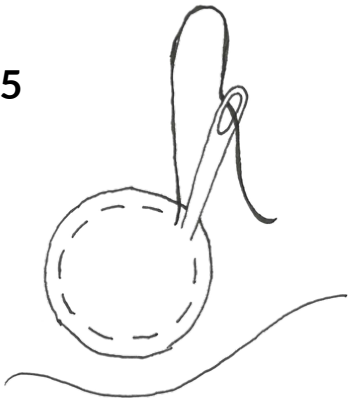
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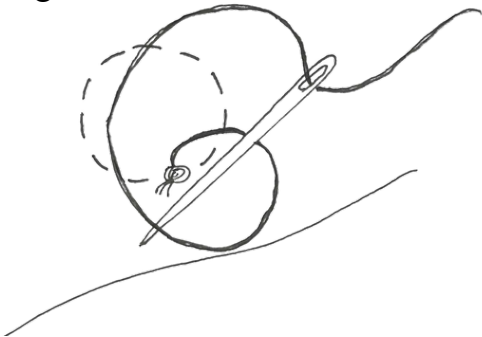
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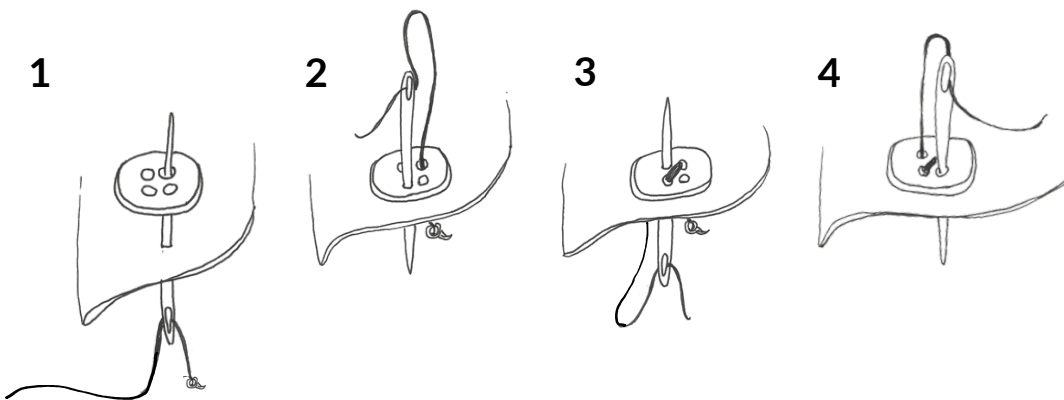
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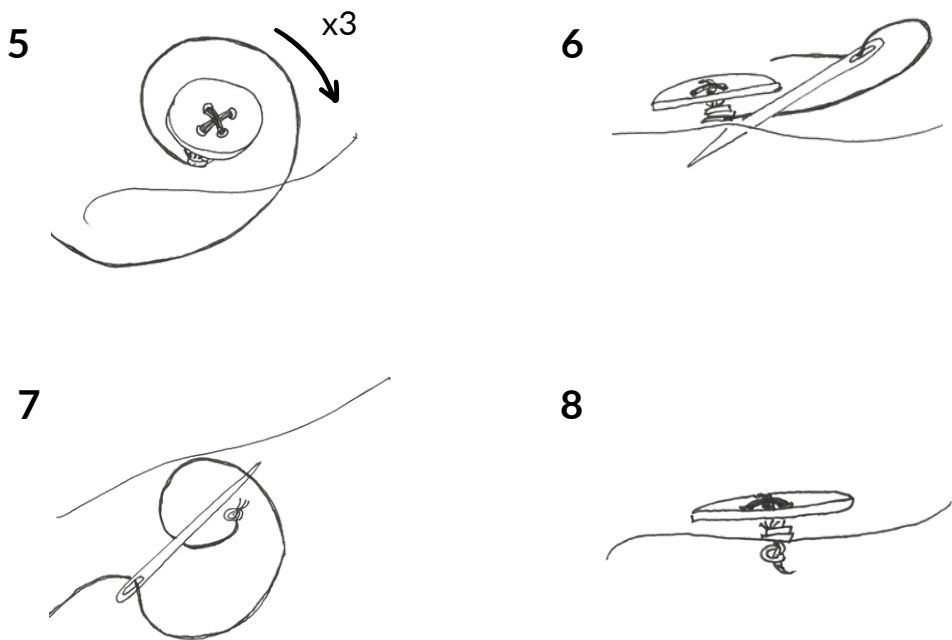
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# Sewing on a Button



Repeat steps 1-4 to secure your button



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