

Techniques

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Belt loop weaving



- This can be done on any of the Baby Lock machines which have coverstitch, the Ovation, Evolution, Evolve, Evolve Wave or Coverstitch Machine.
- Cut strips of woven fabric on the bias.
- The 3/4" binder (19mm) cut strips 7/8" (22mm) wide.
- The 1 1/2" (38mm) binder cut strips 1 5/8" (43mm) wide.
- If working with light weight fabrics spray with starch and press, this will give the fabric more body and help it fold when in the binder.



- Thread machine for a wide or triple coverstitch and attach the Belt Loop Binder to the machine.
- Stitch several meters of belt loops.
- Weave the belt loops placing the work on top of a piece of iron on interfacing.
- When the weaving is complete press the work which will bond it to the interfacing helping to keep it stable, you may also need to pin the edges of the work to keep the ends of the belt loops in place.



- Thread for a 3 or 4 thread overlock , neaten the raw edges.
- Now that you have created a beautiful piece of fabric it can be used in your next project.

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