

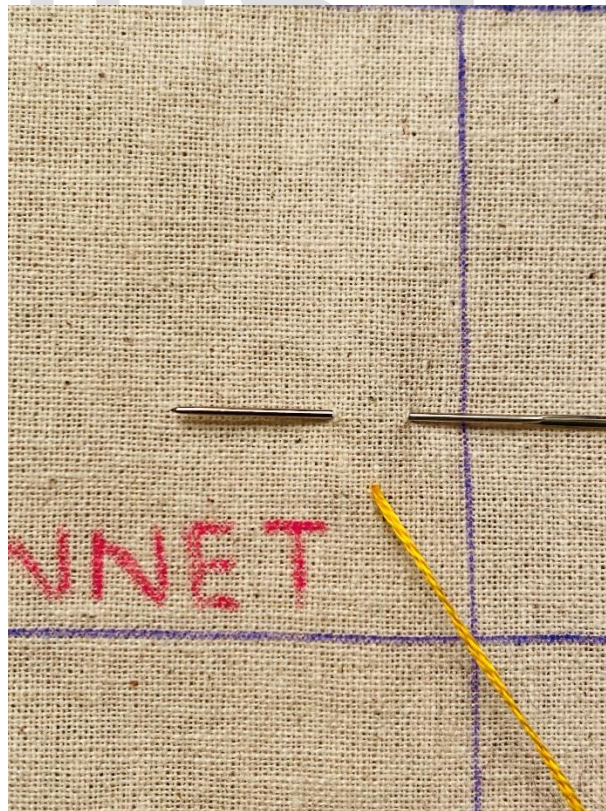
Bonnet Stitch

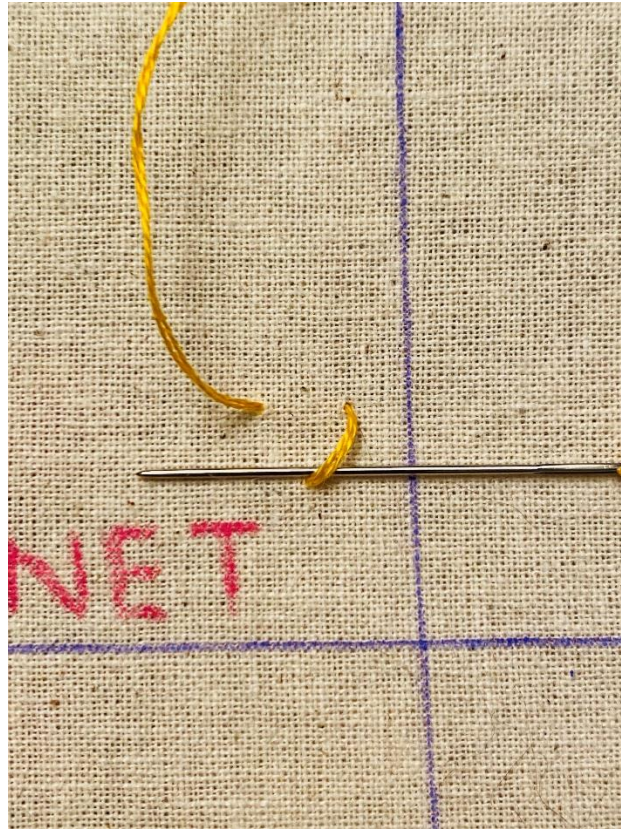


Bonnet Stitch is a row of cross-like stitches with a base.

The stitches are worked from right to left.

Come up at the bottom left of your square. Take the needle down and up in one go, above where you came up. Think triangle – so that your down and up (in one go) are to the left and to the right of where you came up.



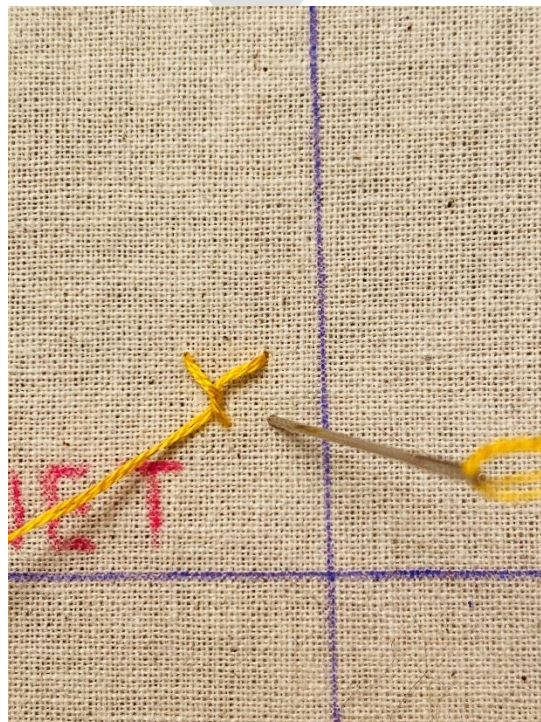


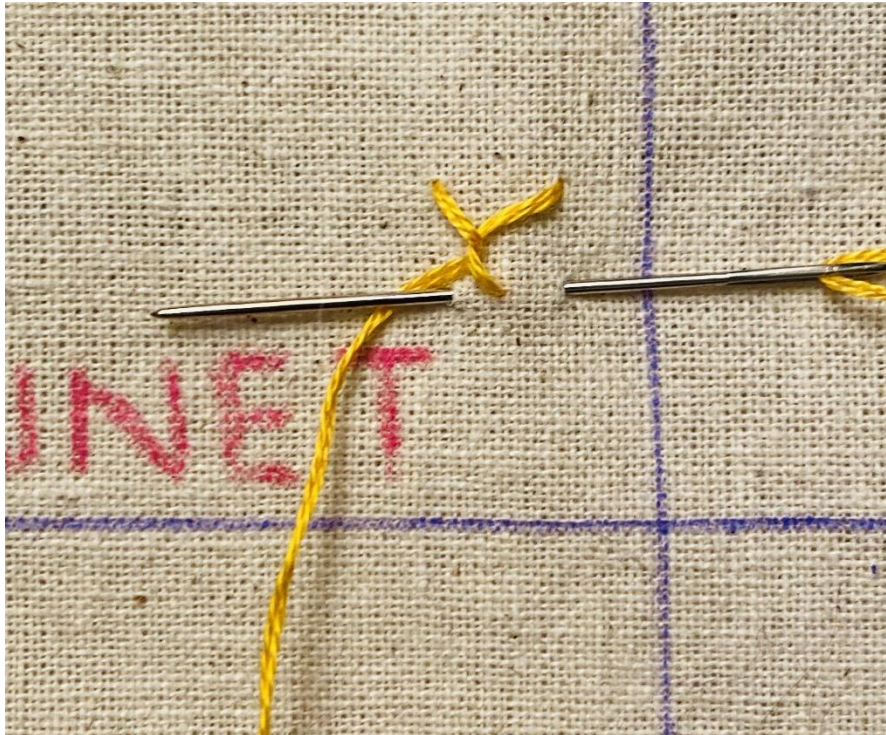
Pull your needle through and you will see a straight stitch at a diagonal (on the 'right' of your triangle).

Pass your needle underneath this stitch from the right to left. Gently pull through.

You're aiming to pull the 'cross' into the middle of the stitch, as in the picture

Pole your needle through the fabric down at the point that is underneath the top right corner and to the right of the bottom of your 'triangle'. **DON'T PULL THE NEEDLE ALL THE WAY THROUGH!**





As you have done before, pass the needle down and up through the fabric in one go – bringing the needle up through the fabric to the left of the bottom of your original 'triangle'. Before you pull your needle through, make sure that you have your thread underneath the needle, pulled down – this will give you the knot that secures your stitch.

Gently pull your needle through.





To start your next stitch, do your new trick of passing the needle down and up through the fabric, to the left of your first stitch.

Where you come up is the beginning of your next stitch – the equivalent of where you started with the bottom of the triangle – carry on until the end of the row.



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