



# How to Repair Nylon Shorts

How to repair a torn seam in a pair of nylon shorts.

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## INTRODUCTION

This shouldn't take more than 15 minutes, if you know how to use a needle and thread. However, it may take a bit longer if you have never used a needle and thread.

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### TOOLS:

- [White Thread](#) (1)

Preferably thin.

- [Needle](#) (1)

*Whatever size works best for you.*

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## Step 1 — How to Repair Nylon Shorts



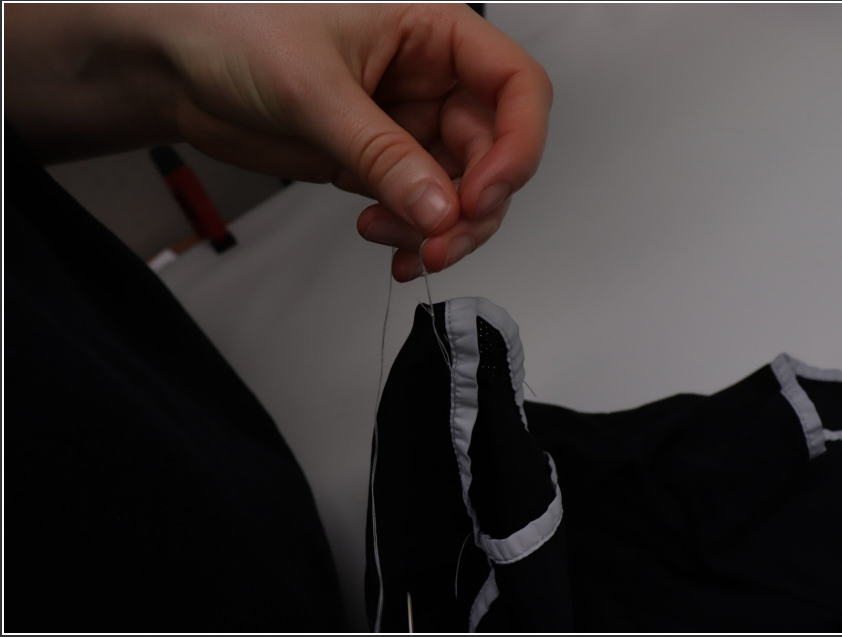
- White thread and needle. String white thread through the eye of the needle, and pull through. Knot the string between the two ends, until knot is large enough to catch on the cloth.

## Step 2



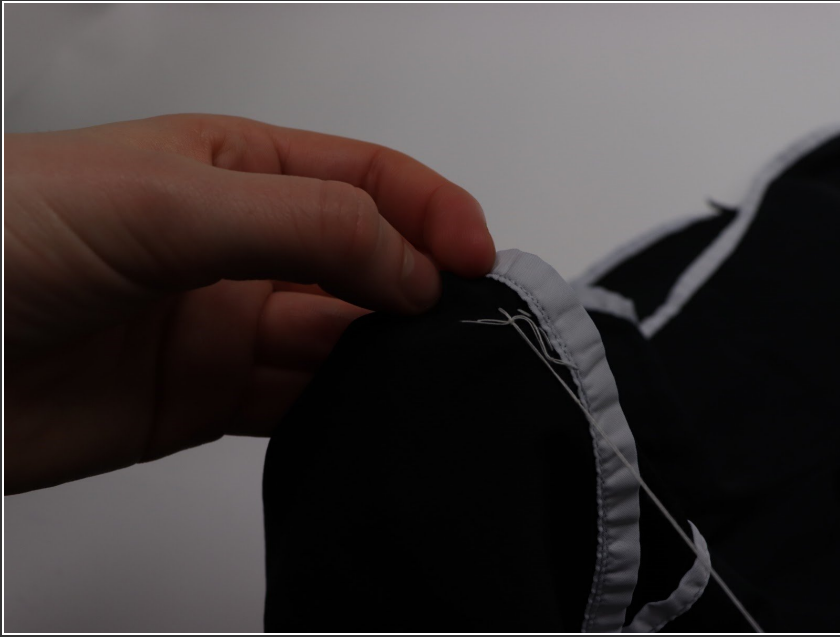
- Take seam into both hands, and bring it together until it is even with the other side of the seam.

### Step 3



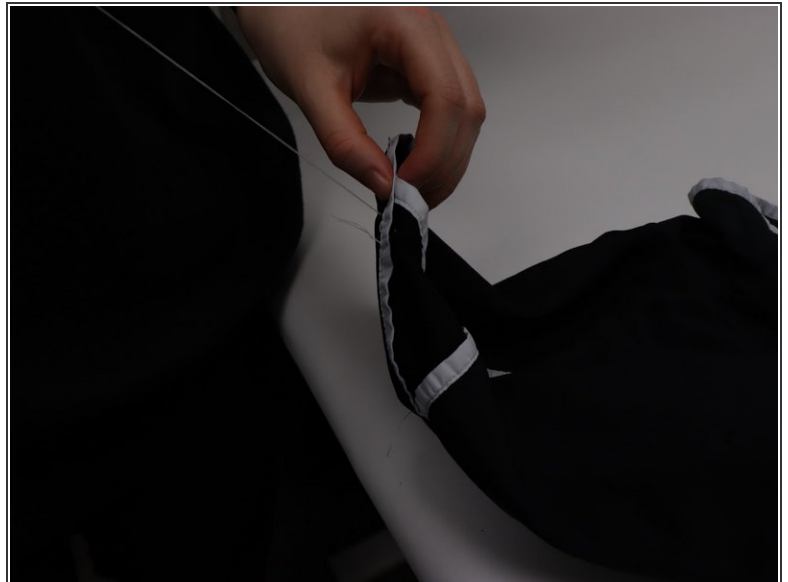
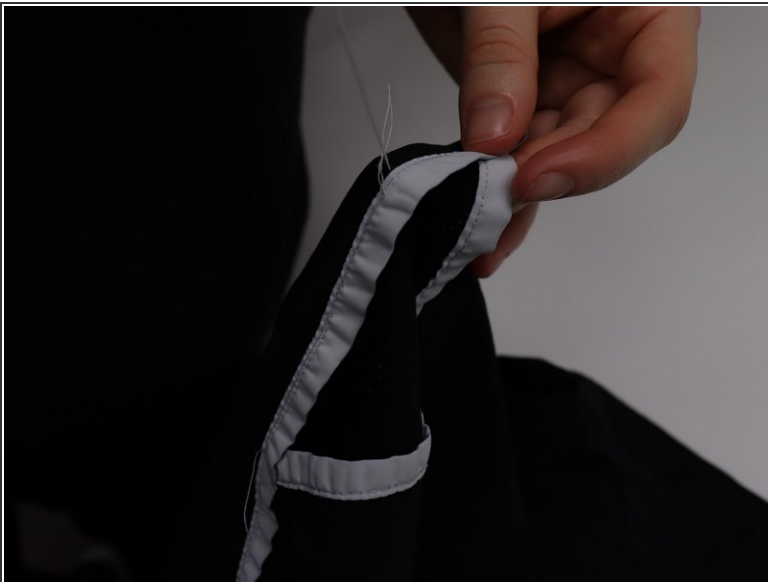
- Pull the needle through the shorts, until they reach the other side, which should be on the inner part of the the cloth, toward where your leg would be.

## Step 4



- Pull the needle back through the cloth, toward you, until the entirety of the string is through the cloth. The needle should be outside of the shorts.

## Step 5



- Repeat steps 3 and 4, until the seam is closed.

## Step 6



- Seam should look like this after you have completed the guide. Tie string as close to the fabric as possible, and then cut off any extra string that is still attached. Fabric should still be easy to move around in, with no cinches.

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