



How to Repair a Ripped Cloth-Fleece Jacket

This guide will show one how to repair a minor rip in a Cloth-Fleece Jacket, involving sewing, a needle, and thread.

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INTRODUCTION

This guide will consist of steps, **instructing one to repair a rip in a cloth-fleece jacket, using a needle, thread, and/or a thimble.** ***Caution/Hazard*** The needle is sharp and a thimble is advised to be used for safety.

While it *may* help one learn to sew (or do something necessary within the process), this guide *will especially* assist one in **sewing closed a rip in cloth-fabric jacket, garment, etc.**

TOOLS:

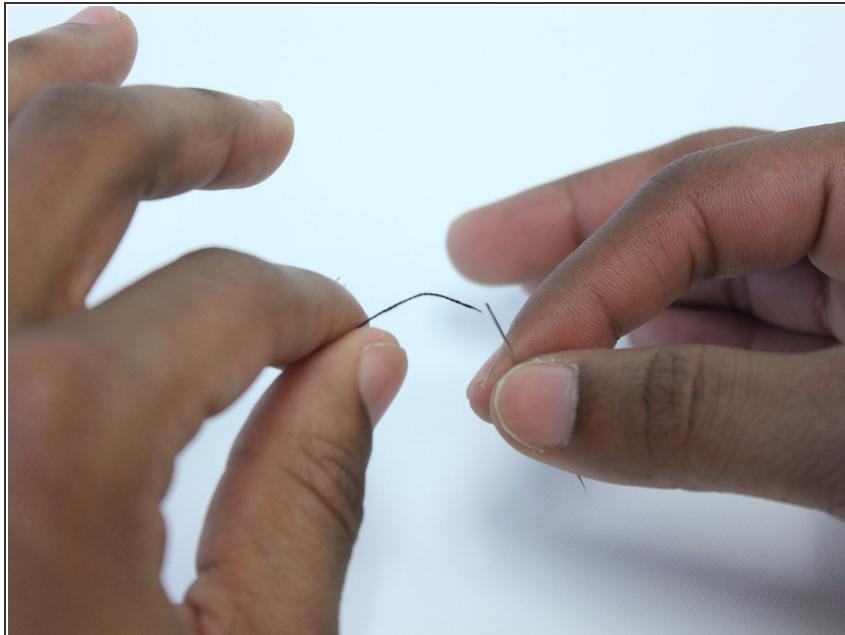
- [Sewing Needle \(1\)](#)
- [Thread \(1\)](#)
- [Sewing Kit \(1\)](#)
- [Utility Scissors \(1\)](#)

Step 1 — How to Repair a Ripped Cloth-Fleece Jacket



- Identify the hole/rip, its length and the thread that matches the fabric's color of the jacket (or desired color).

Step 2



- Thread needle and knot the thread onto the needle, so that the needle and thread are inseparable.

Step 3



- Insert less dominant hand - hand one doesn't write with - into the inside of the jacket, before holding the flaps of the hole together as to *show how the loose fabric edges will align.*

Step 4



- (Starting at one end of the rip) *using one's more dominant hand*, insert the threaded needle through one fabric flap, before returning the needle back through the other fabric flap, *as to loop beneath the rip.*

Step 5



- Repeat step 4 [looping beneath and above the rip] until the threads have looped the rip tight and the thread is hanging from the *opposite end of the rip* at which one started.

Step 6



- Knot the thread multiple times - 2 to 4 times approximately - and remove the excess thread following the knot (use scissors for best results).

Step 7



- Wash jacket [or get dry cleaned if necessary] and repeat steps if needed.

To undo the threading [as to start over, or simply remove the stitch], only snip/cut the applied threading along the rip and remove the excess threading.