

MAKING LACE ON YOUR SEWING MACHINE

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Supplies required

Fabric that you will be adding lace to
very small scissors
aqua water soluble stabilizer (sticky and non stick)
very fine bridal veil

METHOD

- 1 Cut veil 1 1/2 times the width you want your lace
- 2 Attach fine veil to edge of cloth over lapping no more than 1/8 inch
- 3 Finger press sticky water soluble stabilizer to back of veil and non sticky to front.
- 4 Pick your thread. I use embroidery thread. Be sure you have same thread in the bobbin.
- 5 Remember to practice stitches on separate cloth for length width and looks.
- 6 Stitch a good foundation stitch right on the edge of your fabric going through all layers.
- 7 Add as many different rows of stitches as you like depending on what you are making.
- 8 Trim edges with very fine scissors being very careful not to cut threads.
- 9 LAST Rinse (wash) with warm water to remove all stabilizer
- 10 If you want just a short piece of lace, layer a piece of veil between two pieces of water soluble.
Stitch in same manner as above or start in middle and add rows to either side.