



# Make a No-Sew Throw Blanket

## What You'll Need:

- 2 patterns of fleece (2 yards of each)
  - We recommend a pattern and a corresponding color, however two plain colors also works well. You can also buy a kit with the fabrics already cut to size.
- Sharp scissors
- Ruler & Straightedge
- A large work area
- Around 2 Hours

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## Find the "Good" Side of Your Fleece



The "good" side of your fleece is the side that will be exposed on the completed blanket. In the image, the "good" side is shown on the left; it is less faded the pattern is clearer.

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## Place Fleeces Together

Place one fleece on top of the other, making sure the "good" side of each fleece faces outward (the "bad" sides should be sandwiched together).

Align the fabrics. Cut off any white edges, crooked cuts, or anything that doesn't look right. The 2 pieces should be the same size. If you have pins available, we recommend pinning the 2 fabrics together.

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## Cut the Fleece

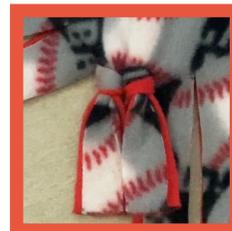
Cut a square out of all 4 corners measuring 5" x 5" (As shown in photo 1). Make sure to cut through both fabrics. Next, make cuts that are 5" long on all 4 sides, leaving 1" between each cut (As shown in photo 2). Again, be sure to cut through both fabrics.



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## Tie the Blanket

Tie a knot at the base of each strip by making a loop then pushing the end of the strip through (As shown in the photos). Ensure all the knots are snug. Remove the pins (if used).



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## Donate!

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