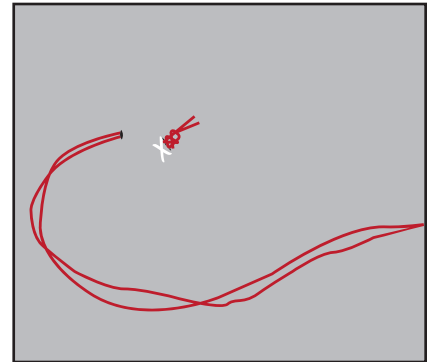
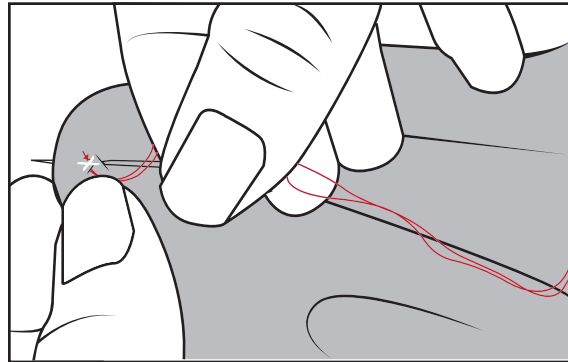




# HOW TO SEW SNAP BUTTONS

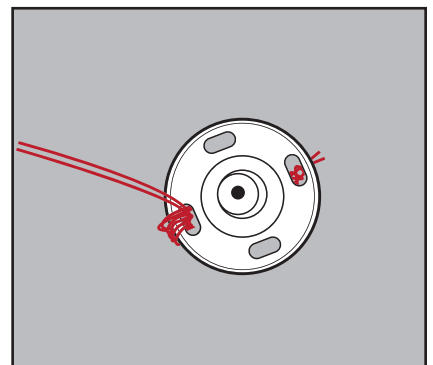
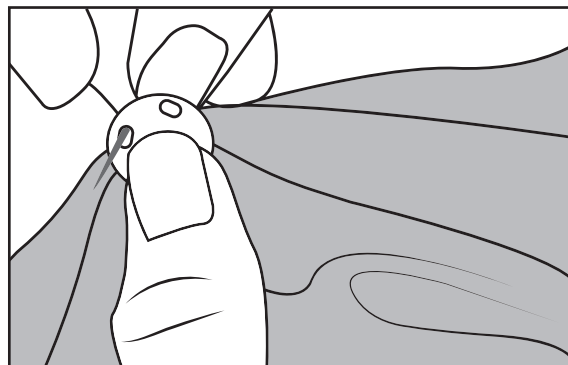
## 1. How to Start:

Separate the two halves of the snap button. First take the ball side of the button. The ball side will normally have a flat edge. This will go on the inside (the “wrong” side) of the top piece of fabric. Mark the position of where you would like to place the snap button. Start your sewing with a knot that will lie under the snap. If you have a double layer of fabric, go through just the top layer for an invisible finish.



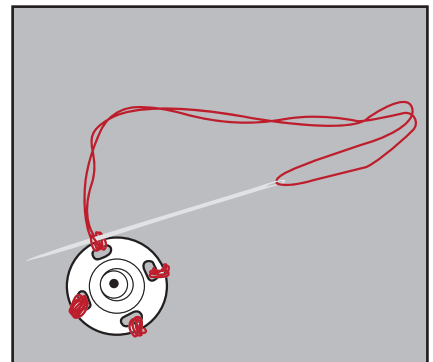
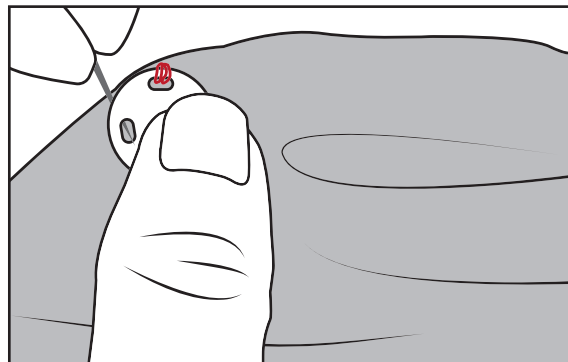
## 2. Sew Through Holes:

Thread your needle through one of the holes at the edge of the snap button. Use a whipstitch to loop 2-3 stitches through hole to keep in place. While doing this, make sure you do not go through the top layer of the garment so you do not have stitches showing on the right side.



## 3. Next Holes:

In general, there will be four holes around the edge of the snap button. Work your way through each hole with 2-3 stitches to secure it in place. Knot off with a stitch concealed under the snap button.



## 4. Sewing the Socket:

To be certain the ball of the snap button connects with the socket, rub chalk on the tip of the ball and press it over the place where it should meet the socket. The socket is installed on the top side of the bottom piece of fabric with the concave center of the bottom pointing down.

Repeat the steps above for the socket side. See final image.

If your snap button has a hole through the center of the ball or the socket, you can use a thin pin to hold the snap side in place.

