

How to Make a Pullover Baby Bib

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You will need:

1 hand towel
30cm x 8cm piece of ribbing (either a contrast or matching the hand towel)
thread to match
sharp scissors
pins
sewing machine or overlocker

The hand towel I used came from Big W, in a twin pack for \$3.00, making it \$1.50. The ribbing I used for this bib was cut off the bottom of a white singlet and doubled over. If you are using regular ribbing you only need to cut one piece and fold it in half.

Step 1.

Fold the top of the hand towel 1/3 of the way down, and mark this line — this will be the centre of your circle opening.



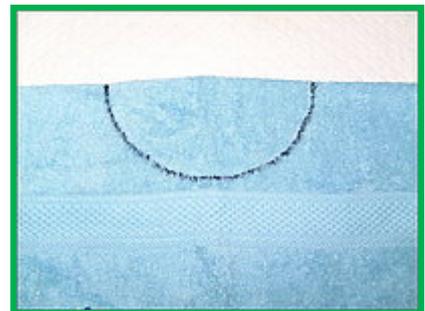
Step 2.

Centre a 15cm saucer over the line marked in Step 1. This will form the cutting line for the head hole of the bib.



Step 3.

Cut along the line, through both thicknesses.
Open the towel out flat.

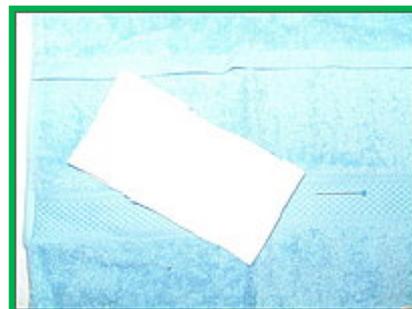


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Step 4.

Stitch ends of ribbed knit to make a circle with a 6mm seam allowance. Fold in half so seam allowance is inside.



Step 5.

Divide ribbing into quarters and mark with pins. Divide hole into quarters and mark with pins.

Place raw edge of ribbing along the opening in the bib (right side), matching pins and markings and stretching as necessary.

Stitch a 6mm seam — I used my overlocker and simply overlocked the raw edges together. If you are not using an overlocker, I would recommend a stretch stitch and zigzagging the raw edges together to neaten.



The finished bib

Easy enough to put on and take off with one hand and big enough to cover almost all of baby and a fair bit of a toddler at meal time.



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