

Tessuti Apron Pattern



Tessuti Apron - This tunic style, cross-back apron has great coverage and is comfortable to wear. It features a square neck, wide straps and an all-important front pocket. With neat yet durable, turned and hemmed edges - no fussy ties or fiddly binding - you'll be able to whip up this simple and useful apron for yourself or someone special.

Sizes included: ONE SIZE

Pattern Pieces

Front - cut 1 on fold

Bib facing - cut 1 on fold

Strap - cut 2

Pocket - cut 1

Notions: thread

Recommended fabrics: medium weight linen, cotton and denim.

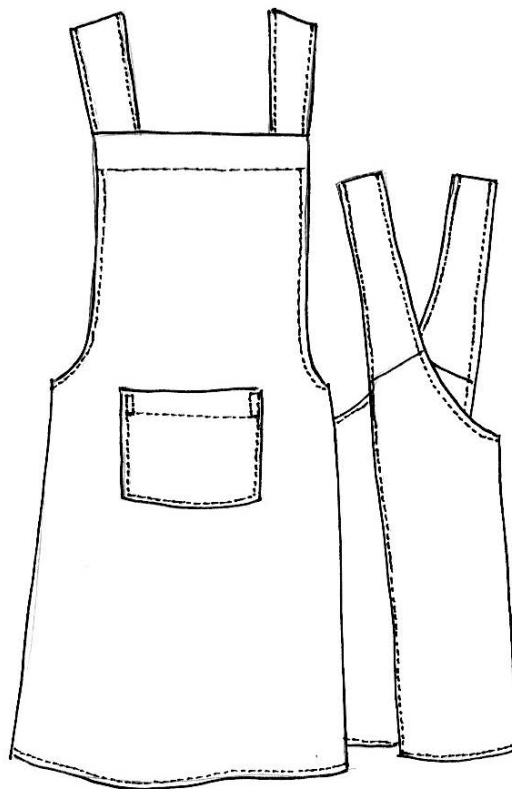
Meterage

112cm 1.45m

140cm 1.10m

Seam allowance: seam allowances are included in pattern.

Sewing level: Suitable for all sewing levels.



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Tessuti Apron Sewing Instructions

Please read instructions thoroughly before cutting and sewing.

Step 1 - Prepare pocket: Staystitch $\frac{1}{4}$ " from top edge of pocket. Neaten edge by finger pressing towards wrong side at staystitching line. Press.



Overlock side and bottom edges of pocket.

Turn top of pocket at notches, 1" from neaten edge towards right side of pocket. Pin in place.



Sew across turned back edges, $\frac{1}{2}$ " from side edges of pocket. Backstitch at beginning and end.



Turn lower side edges of pocket $\frac{1}{2}$ " towards right side of pocket. Pin in place.



Sew across turned back edges, $\frac{1}{2}$ " from bottom edge of pocket. Backstitch at beginning and end.



Turn out top edge and corners of pocket. Gently press pocket hem and seam allowances towards wrong side of pocket.



On wrong side of pocket, edgestitch along neaten edge of pocket hem. Backstitch at beginning and end.



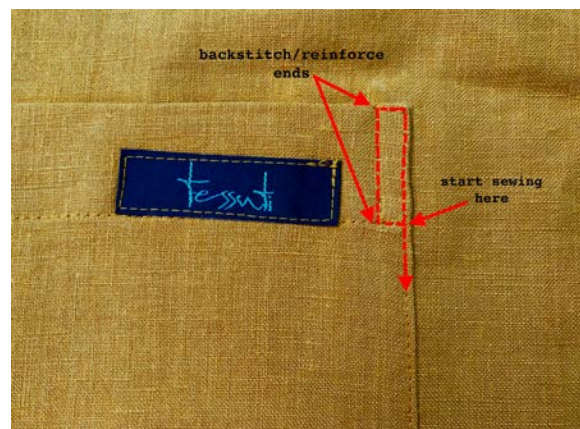
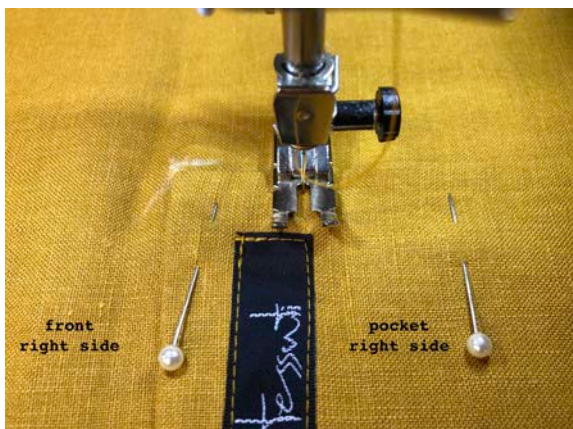
On right side of pocket, sew your favourite label to the top right-hand side corner, approximately $\frac{5}{8}$ " away from edge.



Step 2 - Attach pocket to apron front: Transfer pocket markings from pattern to apron front. Line up corners of pocket with markings and pin in place.

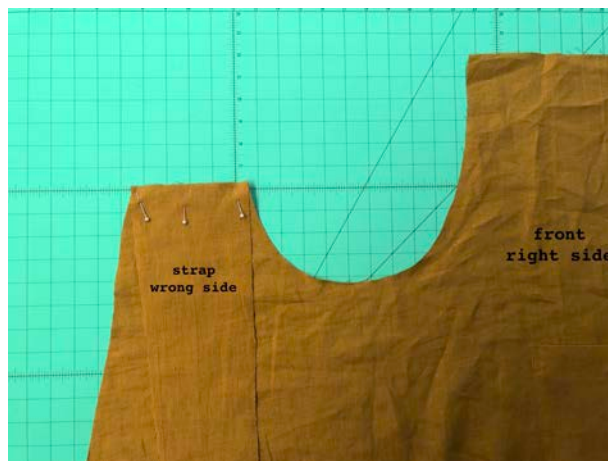


Reinforce/backstitch at pocket hem stitching line and top corners, then edgestitch around pocket to opposite corner. Backstitch at beginning and end. **TIP:** Start sewing at edge of pocket on pocket hem stitching line.

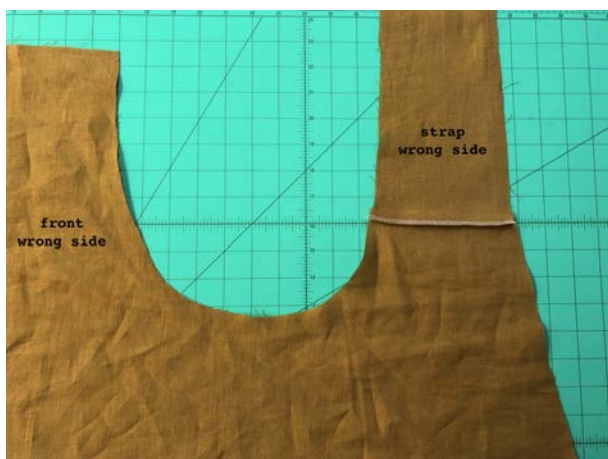




Step 3 - Attach widest end of strap to back of apron: With right sides facing, pin widest end of straps to apron back.



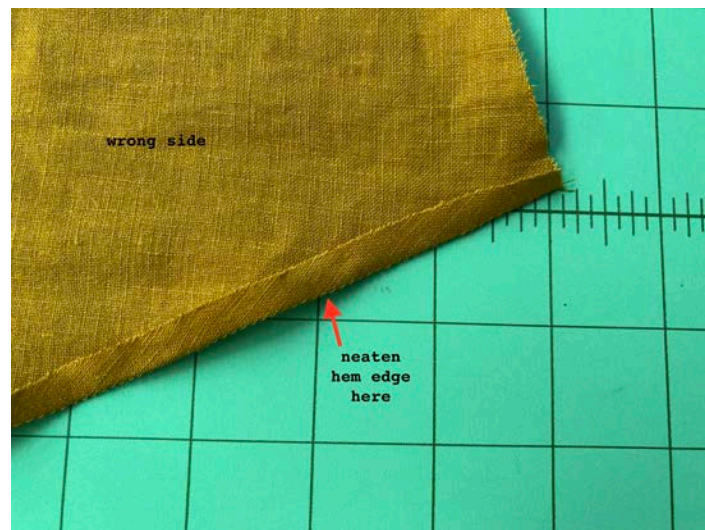
Sew $\frac{1}{2}$ " seam allowance, Backstitch at beginning and end. Overlock seam allowances together. Press seam allowances towards apron.



Step 4 - Hem bottom edge of apron: Staystitch $\frac{1}{4}$ " from bottom edge of apron.



Neaten edge by finger pressing towards wrong side at staystitching line.

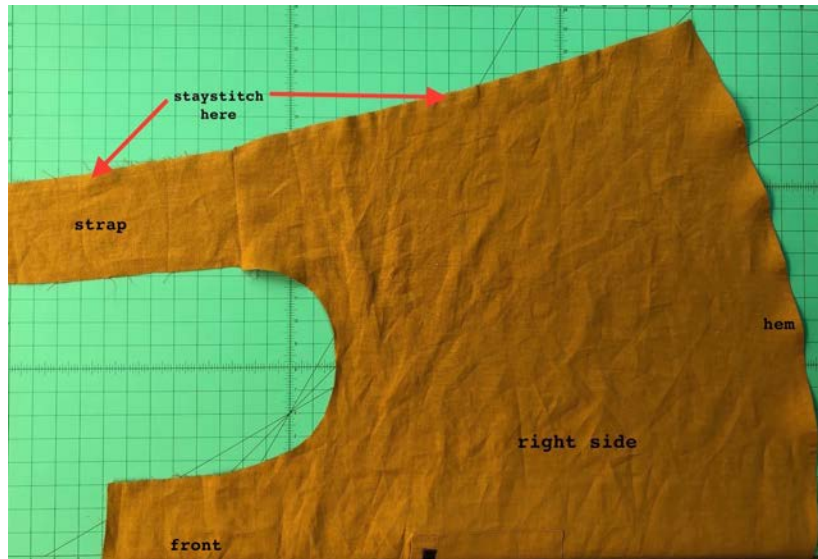


Turn again towards wrong side and edgestitch in place.

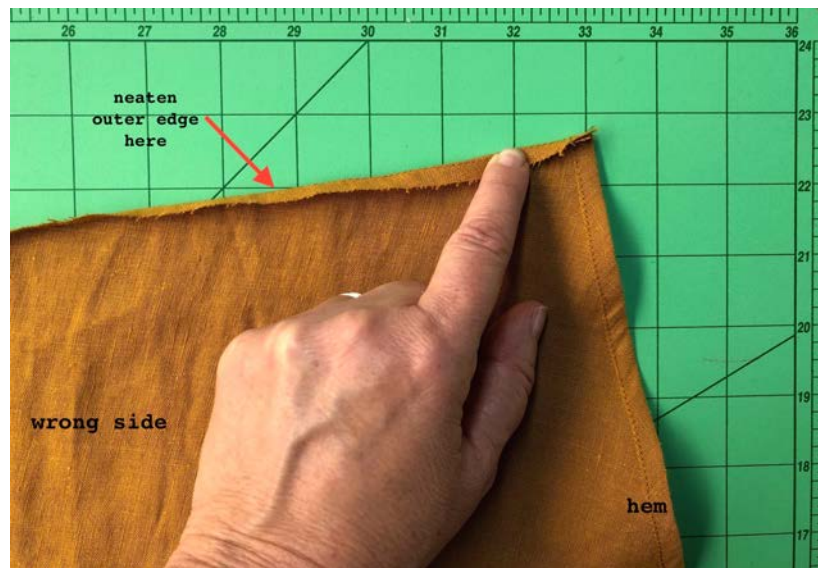


Backstitch at beginning and end. Press.

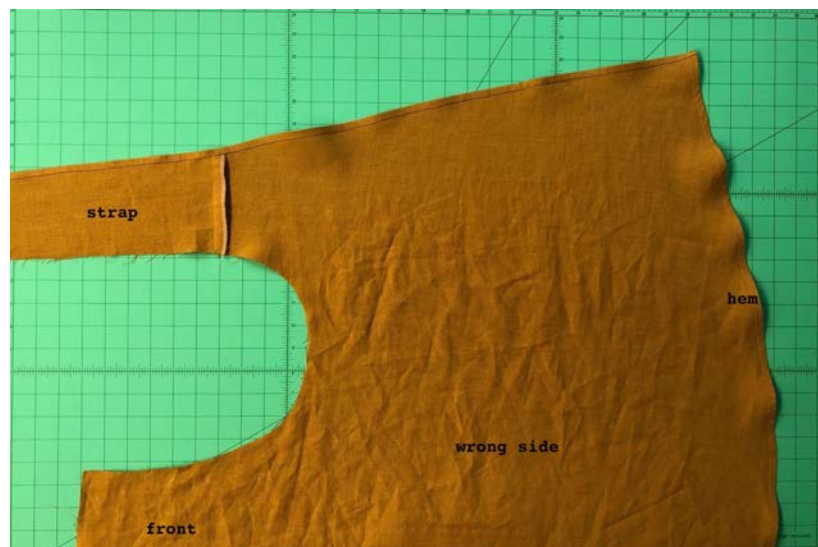
Step 5 - Prepare and hem outer edge of apron and straps:
Staystitch $\frac{1}{4}$ " from outer edge of apron and straps.



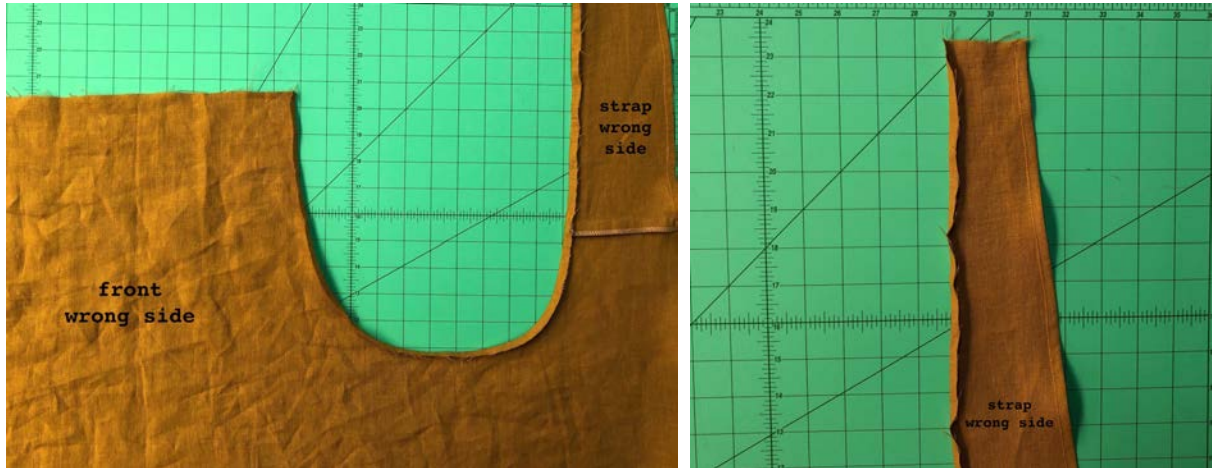
Neaten edge by finger pressing towards wrong side at staystitching line.



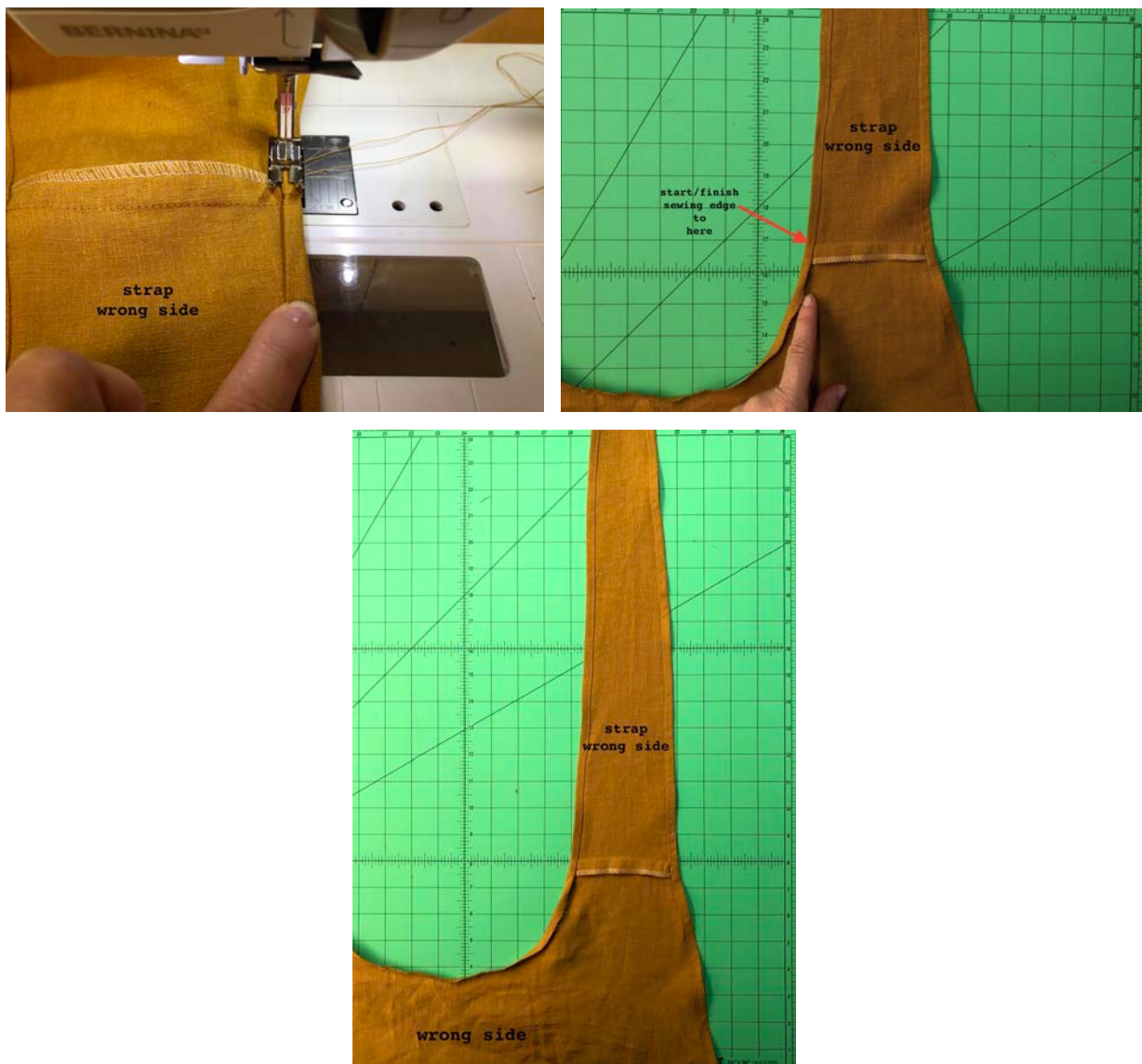
Turn again towards wrong side and edgestitch in place.



Step 6 - Prepare armhole edge of apron and straps: Staystitch $\frac{1}{4}$ " from armhole edge of apron and inner edge of straps. Neaten edge by finger pressing towards wrong side.

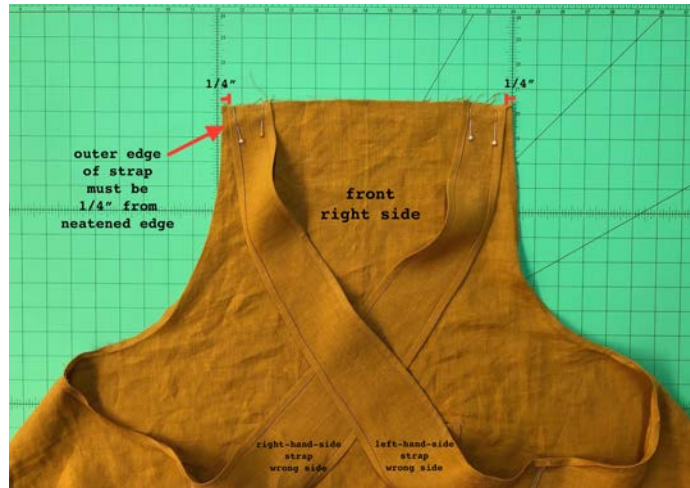


Step 7 - Hem inner edge of strap only: Starting/finishing at strap seam/end of straps, turn neaten inner edges of straps only towards wrong side and edgestitch in place. Backstitch at beginning and end. Press. **IMPORTANT:** Leave neaten armhole edges unsewn at this point.



Step 8 - Cross over and attach end of straps to apron front:

With right side of apron facing towards you, cross one strap over another and bring ends to meet the top edge of apron front, so that the left-hand-side strap meets right-hand side apron front and the right-hand-side strap meets the left-hand side apron front. **IMPORTANT NOTE:** The outer edge of strap must be $\frac{1}{4}$ " in from neatened armhole edge of front. Sew $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance. Backstitch at beginning and end.



Step 9 - Prepare bib facing: Staystitch $\frac{1}{4}$ " from unnotched edge of bib facing. Neaten edge by carefully finger pressing towards wrong side at staystitching line. Press.



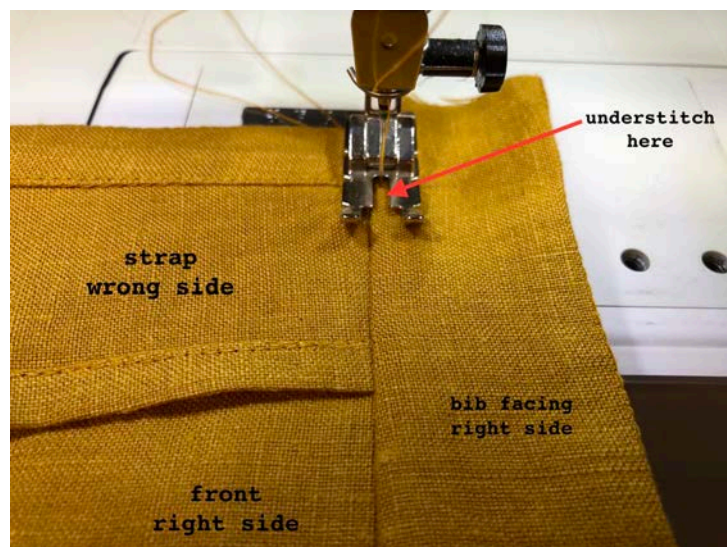
Step 10 - Attach bib facing to apron front: With right sides facing, pin bib facing to top edge of apron front, matching notches. **Note:** Bib facing will extend $\frac{1}{4}$ " past neatened armhole edge of apron front.



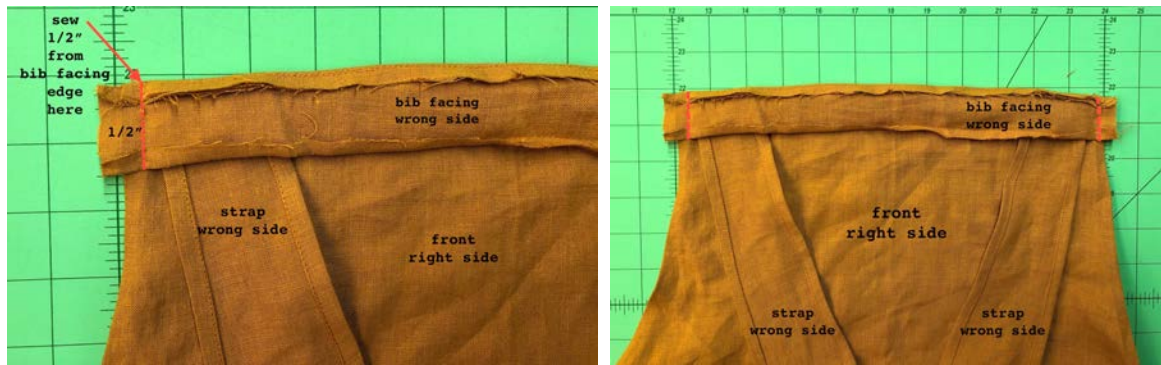
Sew $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance along top edge. Backstitch at beginning and end.



Turn bib facing out away from apron with seam allowance towards facing. Understitch on right side of bib facing, close to seam and making sure to catch seam allowance at the back. Backstitch at beginning and end.



Next, turn right side of bib facing back over to face right side of apron, making sure seam allowance is towards facing, pin in place. Sew $\frac{1}{2}$ " seam allowance from outer edges of bib facing.

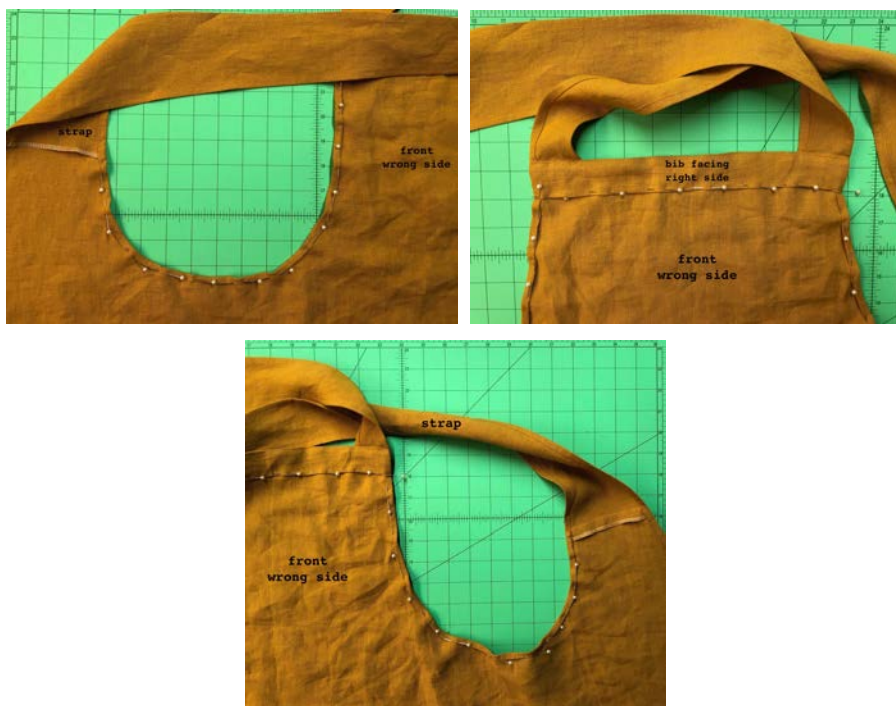


Turn bib facing and straps out to right side. **NOTE:** when bib facing is turned out, armhole edge is double turned, ready for the next step.

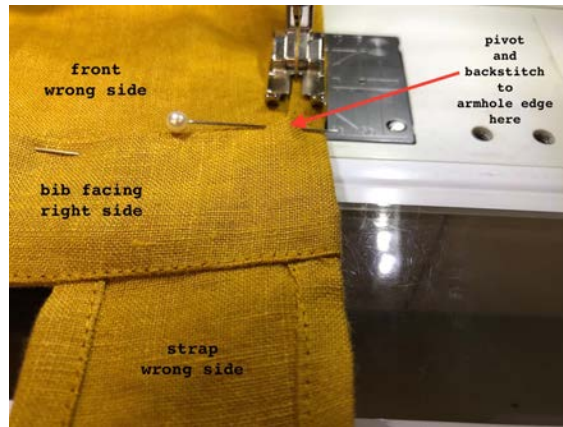


Step 11 - Hem armhole edge and bottom edge of bib facing:

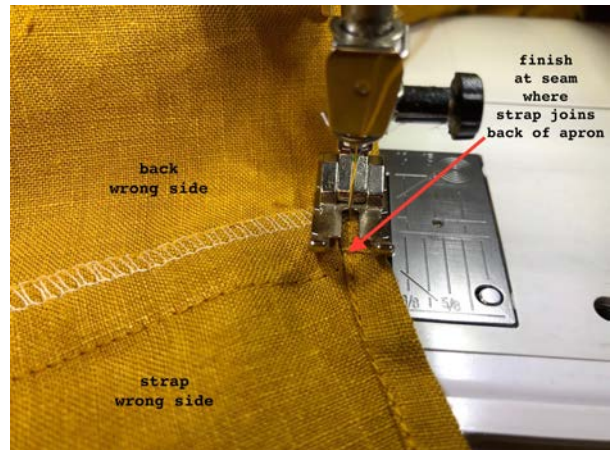
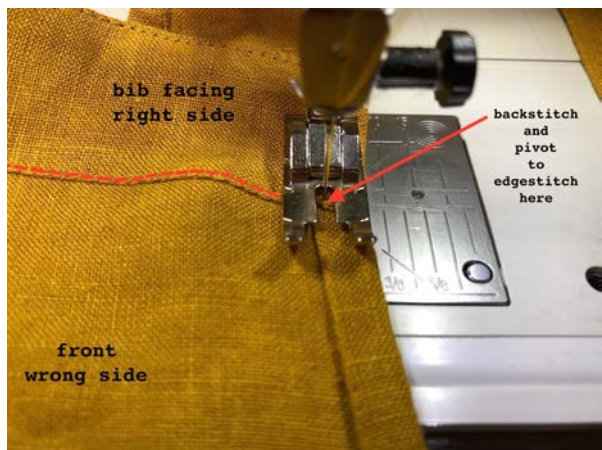
Starting/finishing at seam where strap joins apron, turn neatenened armhole edges towards wrong side and pin in place. Pin bib facing in place along neatenened bottom edge.



On wrong side, edgestitch armhole edges and bib facing in place from seam where strap joins back of apron.



Pivot at bib facing and backstitch to armhole edge. Continue to edgestitch across bib facing to opposite armhole edge, backstitch to $\frac{1}{4}$ " from armhole edge, then pivot and continue to finish at opposite seam where strap joins apron.



Backstitch at beginning and end. Press.

You're done! Enjoy wearing your Tessuti Apron.

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