

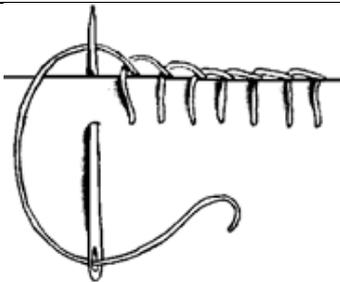
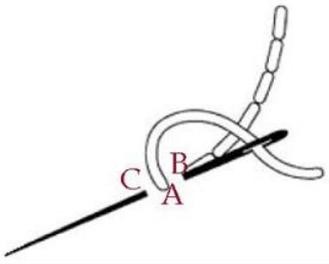
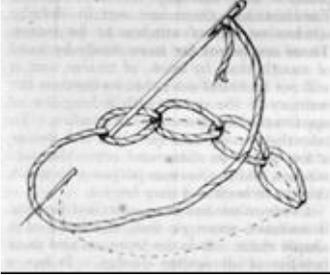
Year 6 Design and Technology: Christmas Stockings

Unit Vocabulary –

user	a person who uses something
purpose	the reason why something is done or created
design brief	a document or set of instructions that outline what the purpose of a project is and what is required
design specification	a list of characteristics a product must have
research	investigating something to gain more information about it
design features	characteristics that meet an intended user and purpose
prototype	an original model of a product from which improvements, upgrades or fundamental changes can be made
evaluate	to judge something against a set of criteria
functional qualities	how something works
aesthetic qualities	how something looks
measure	to calculate the size, amount or degree of something
mark out	to outline a particular section or area
cut	to divide something into pieces using a sharp implement
assemble	to make something by fitting together different components
join	to hold two components together physically
finish	to complete the decoration of something by giving it an attractive appearance



Types of stitch we will look at –

blanket stitch	back stitch	running stitch	chain stitch
 <p>can be used to hold two edges together, to neaten edges or just produce a decorative effect</p>	 <p>a secure stitch for hand sewing seams. The smaller the stitches, the more secure it will be</p>	 <p>use this for tacking seams and hems before sewing, joining two pieces of fabric together and also for decoration using coloured thread</p>	 <p>a decorative stitch</p>