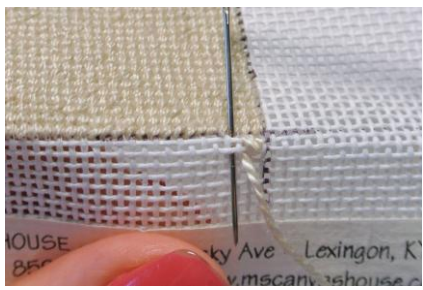


The Binding/Finishing Stitch

Needlepoint belts either have to be turned under or have a finishing or binding stitch on the edge. Add the stitch below IF on 18 mesh the belt is 22 or less stitch width. Add the binding stitch IF on 14 mesh the belt is 17 or less stitch width.

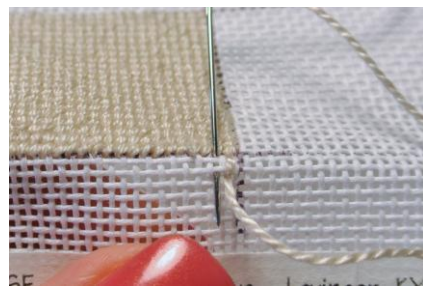
You are seeing the photographs from right to left because that is how you work the binding/finishing stitch.

STEP 4



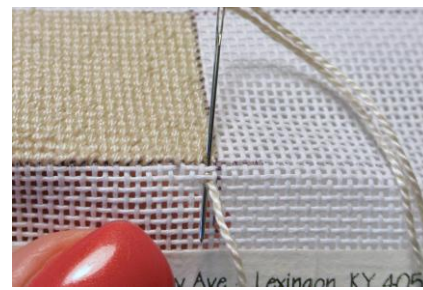
This is three. These are the beginning three stitches used only once on this side and once on the other side.

STEP 3



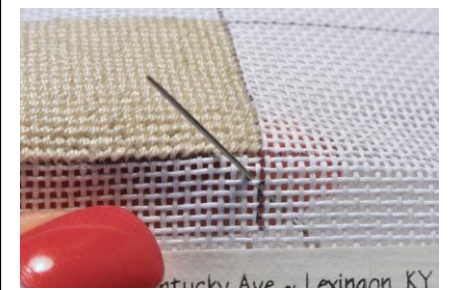
This is two

STEP 2



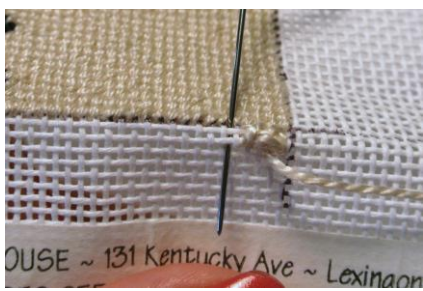
You are going to whip stitch over an empty hole – three times moving forward each time. This is one

STEP 1



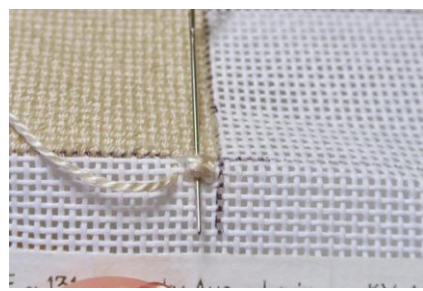
Always work from right to left with the needlepoint facing away from you. Share a hole with the completed needlepoint.

STEP 8



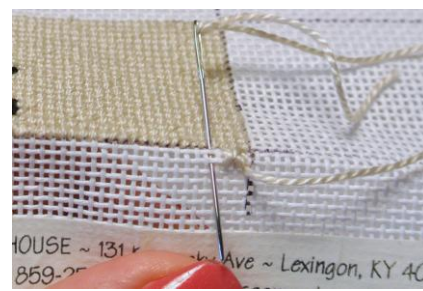
Then move forward to the first empty one. That is how you will continue until the binding is complete on this side. Turnover and start at STEP 1

STEP 7



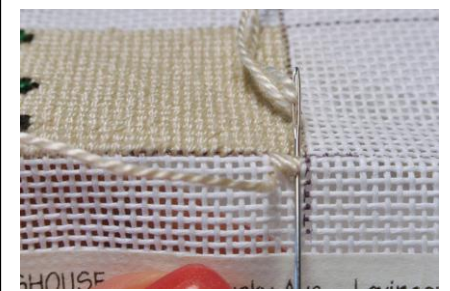
Then move back three holes again.

STEP 6



Then move forward to the first empty hole

STEP 5



Then you will move back three holes including the one you are currently in.



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