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- Sewing with felt

Fabric: All the fabrics I use on **It's Sew Easy TV** come from [Vogue Fabrics](#)
Patterns and Sewing Supplies: [The Angela Wolf Pattern Collection](#)



The Pure 100% Wool Felt Fabric shown here is from:

www.TheFeltPod.com

Wholesale buyers: www.barefootfibers.com

Sewing with Felt is really easy and fast! This fabric can shrink so be sure to wash and dry (or dry clean) the fabric before cutting to prevent shrinkage.

The fabric doesn't fray, so you can leave the edges raw or add a fabric trim like I did here.

Finishing the Raw Edges with Trim:

- Cut strips of fabric on the bias 1" wide
- Press the fabric in half using a [tailors's clapper](#) for a crisp crease
- Fold the strip of fabric over the outside edge of the jacket, pin, stitch. Do the same to finish the edge of the sleeve.

Adding Trim:

The brown trim you see on this jacket is designed with strips of felt. The Felt Pod sells these strips in many colors and various widths.

- Pin the trim to the fabric
- Stitch along each edge of the trim

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Sewing the Seams:

When sewing the seams there are a few options, but my favorite (especially if sewing a reversible item) is a flat-felled seam.

- With wrong sides together, stitch the seam
- Using a [tailor's clapper](#) press the seam allowance toward the back of the jacket or garment
- Trim the fabric in the seam allowance closest to the garment, leaving the top layer of fabric in the seam allowance alone
- Fold the wider strip of fabric over, enclosing the underneath fabric that you just cut
- Topstitch along the edge of the fold.

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Refer to my [blog](#) for more sewing tips and tricks!

Cheers,

Angela

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