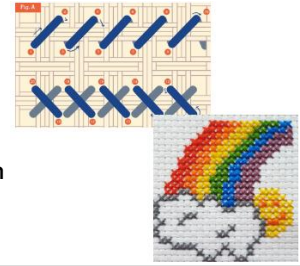


Vocabulary	Meaning
technique	the way something is done
stitch	a stitch is a single turn or loop of thread
thread	a long thin strand of cotton, nylon or other fibres used in sewing or weaving
knot	fastening made by looping a piece of string, rope or something similar on itself and tightening it
embroidery	is a line of small even stitches which run back and forth through the cloth without overlapping
undo	cancel or reverse the stitch
depict	represent by a drawing, painting or other art form
variety	using different stitches
slip stitch	a method of sewing with overlapping stitches
seam	a line where two pieces of fabric are sewn together
raw edge	an unfinished, rough or undecorated edge
padding	soft material such as foam or cloth used to pad or stuff something
design	a plan or drawing produced to show the look of the finished product
binca	it is a firm canvas with large holes
tracing	copying an object or drawing, especially with the use of translucent tracing paper
back stitch	a method of sewing with overlapping stitches

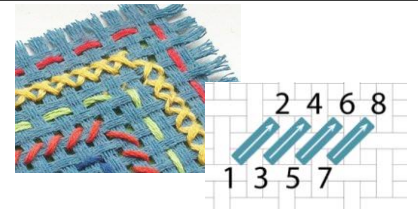
Key knowledge – Cross stitch

A **cross stitch** is an x-shaped embroidery stitch, which is made up of two half stitches. A cross stitch has two parts and can be worked in one of two ways. A complete stitch can be worked or a number of half stitches may be stitched in one line and then completed on the return journey.



Key knowledge – Half stitch

A **half stitch** is a half a cross stitch. It follows a basic pattern of diagonal stitches that go from left to right. Remember a half stitch is stitched diagonally in one direction.



Key knowledge – Running stitch

A **running stitch** follows a basic pattern of over-under at regular intervals. The running stitch is the most basic of the hand sewing stitches. You bring your needle through the fabric from the back (wrong side) make a stitch to the left or right and then bring the thread back up and repeat.

