



NOMAD JACKET

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Sizes: XS (S, M, L, XL) 2XL, 3XL, 4XL
Chest width (garment): 110 (117, 125, 130, 135) 145, 155, 165 cm
Recommended ease 25-30 cm.

Gauge: 14 sts = 10 cm in honeycomb brioche and double knitting
Needles: 4 mm and 3 mm circular needles, 60-100 cm cable

Material: 800 (850, 900, 950, 1000) 1050, 1100, 1200 g
Järbo Svensk Ull (100 g = 180 m)
...or yarn that gives the same gauge!

5 buttons (22-25 mm)

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ABOUT THE PATTERN:

Nomad Jacket is an oversized jacket with an asymmetrical, rounded bottom edge. First you make the double knitted yoke from which the rest of the jacket is knitted from. You pick up and knit stitches along one of the long sides of the back yoke to make the back, and then you pick up and knit stitches along the opposite side to make the fronts separately. The rounded bottom edge is shaped with decreases. To make the sleeves you pick up and knit stitches along the armholes, and then you pick up and knit stitches along the fronts to make the double knitted button bands. Finally you make the side seams, the pockets and the outer edge i-cord border.

Once you've finished your Nomad Jacket I recommend that you block it, which simply means gently hand washing it, squeezing out the excess water and slightly shaping it while it's still damp, before leaving it to dry flat.

Always make a swatch to check your gauge before starting your project! For honeycomb brioche it's important to block (wash and shape) the swatch before you measure your gauge since the fabric tends to change a bit with washing.

KNIT A SWATCH:

Cast on 20 sts on 4 mm needles. Work about 8 cm of honeycomb brioche - either according to the written instructions in the pattern or the video tutorial, before you bind off. On honeycomb brioche I find it easier to measure the gauge on the wrong side by counting the purl-bumps.

If you have too many sts per 10 cm I suggest that you go up in needle size, and if you have too few sts per 10 cm I suggest that you go down in needle size.

TECHNIQUES:

Double knitting: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iAtTtF3qTqA>

Honeycomb Brioche: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G4TB-uYL-S4>

I-cord edge: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kF9tJQORa2A>

ABBREVIATIONS:

st/sts = stitch/stitches

k = knit

p = purl

selv = selvedge stitch (always knitted)

sl1wyif = slip 1 with yarn in front

k2tog = knit 2 together

p2tog = purl 2 together

tbl = through the back loop

YO = yarn over

rnd = round

RS = right side

WS = wrong side

INSTRUCTIONS:

ABOUT SELVEDGE STITCHES:

At the beginning and end of each row you work a selvedge stitch which creates a nice edge that's easy to pick up stitches along. The selvedge st is always knitted.

1. BACK YOKE

Cast on 46 (46, 46, 46) 50, 50, 50 sts with the main color, using 4 mm needles, or the needle size you need to get gauge (14 sts x 10 cm).

Work double knit, like this: Sl1wyif, *sl1wyif, k1* repeat *-* until you have 1 st left, k1.

Continue until the work measures about 50 (51.5, 53, 54, 56) 58, 60, 62 cm.

Bind off all sts like this:

Sl1wyif, k2tog, *k2tog, bind off previous st*, repeat *-* until you have 1 st left, k1, bind off the last st. Break the yarn.

Now you'll make an i-cord edge along one of the long sides of the back yoke, according to the instructions below. First you pick up and knit sts along the one side of the long side. *When you pick up sts along the back yoke I recommend that you skip every 4th st/row on the back yoke to make the i-cord edge more sturdy. So, pick up along 3 sts, skip the 4th and so on.* Once you've picked up and knitted sts all along the long side break the yarn and slide the sts to the left side of the needle so that you can begin to work from where you started to pick up and knit sts, like this:

I-cord: Cast on 4 sts, slip all sts to the left needle (where you have the sts that you just picked up), *k3, k2tog tbl, slip all sts to the left needle* repeat *-* until you reach the other side and have bound off all of the sts you previously picked up. Break the yarn and pull it through the remaining st.

2. BACK PIECE

Pick up and knit 70 (72, 74, 76, 78) 80, 84, 88 sts along the i-cord.

Work honeycomb brioche, like this:

Start-up row (WS): Knit until end of row.

Row 1 (RS): Selv, *k1, k1 in the stitch below* repeat *-* until the last st, selv.

Row 2 (WS): Selv, *knit the next stitch together with the strand/ loop created by working into the stitch below on the previous row, k1* repeat *-* until the last st, selv.

Row 3 (RS): Selv, *k1 in the stitch below, k1* repeat *-* until the last st, selv.

Row 4 (WS): Selv, *k1, knit the next stitch together with the strand/ loop created by working into the stitch below on the previous row* repeat *-* until the last st, selv.

Repeat row 1-4 until your entire work measures about 22 (22.5, 23, 22.5, 22) 22.5, 23, 23 cm.

On the next row from the RS you'll begin to increase along both sides to shape the armholes.

Increase **1 st at the end of each row** by working the last st through both the front and the back loop.

Look at your previous work to maintain the honeycomb brioche knit pattern.

Increase a total of 1 (1, 1, 2, 3) 3, 3, 4 times along both sides = 72 (74, 76, 80, 84) 86, 90, 96 sts.

Do one more round of increases, but at the end of the row cast on 3 (4, 6, 6, 6) 8, 9, 10 sts = 80 (84, 90, 94, 98) 104, 110, 118 sts.

Then continue to work in honeycomb brioche until your work from the armhole (the side seam) measures about 23-25 cm, or as long as you want it to be. On the next row from the RS begin to shape the rounded bottom edge, like this:

RS: Bind off 4 sts, finish the row as usual.

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dec-Row 1 (RS): Work the row as usual until you have 2 sts left, k2tog.

dec-Row 2 (WS): Work the row as usual until you have 2 sts left, k2tog.

dec-Row 3 (RS): Work the row as usual.

dec-Row 4 (WS): Work the row as usual.

Repeat dec-Row 1-4 at total of 4 times = 64 (68, 74, 78, 82) 88, 94, 102 sts. Place a marker in your work. Work straight in honeycomb brioche without any decreases for 3 cm. Measure from the marker you placed. Remove the marker.

Repeat dec-Row 1-4 three more times = 58 (62, 68, 72, 76) 82, 88, 96 sts.

Finish off by repeating dec-Row 1-2 a total of 14 times = 30 (34, 40, 44, 48) 54, 60, 68 sts.

Bind off all sts from the RS.

3. RIGHT FRONT PIECE

Place your work in front of you with the RS facing and the back yoke pointing upwards.

Start at the upper right corner of the back yoke and begin to pick up and knit sts along the long side from the edge towards the center. Pick up and knit 30, (30, 32, 32, 34) 34, 36, 38 sts along the front.

When you pick up sts along the front I recommend that you skip every 4th st.

So, pick up along 3 sts, skip the 4th and so on.

Work honeycomb brioche, like this:

Start-up row (WS): Knit until end of row.

Row 1 (RS): Selv, *k1, k1 in the stitch below* until you have 1 sts left, selv.

Row 2 (WS): Selv, *knit the next stitch together with the strand/ loop created by working into the stitch below on the previous row, k1* until you have 1 sts left, selv.

Row 3 (RS): Selv, *k1 in the stitch below, k1* until you have 1 sts left, selv.

Row 4 (WS): Selv, *k1, knit the next stitch together with the strand/ loop created by working into the stitch below on the previous row* until you have 1 sts left, selv.

Continue to repeat row 1-4 until the right front measures about 10 (10, 10, 10, 10) 11, 11, 11 cm from the edge where you picked up sts. On the next row from the RS begin to increase along the left side of your work to shape the neckline. Increase 1 st at the end of each row from the RS, by working the last st through both the front and the back loop. Look at your previous work to maintain the honeycomb brioche knit pattern.

Increase a total of 3 times = 33 (33, 35, 35, 37) 37, 39, 41 sts.

Do one more round of increases, but at the end of the row cast on 3 sts

= 37 (37, 39, 39, 41) 41, 43, 45 sts.

Continue to work in honeycomb brioche until the right front measures about 26 (26, 27, 27, 26) 26.5, 27, 27 cm from the edge where you picked up sts. On the next row from the WS begin to increase along the right side of your work by increasing 1 st at the end of each row from the WS, by working the last st through both the front and the back loop. Look at your previous work to maintain the honeycomb brioche knit pattern.

Increase a total of 1 (1, 1, 2, 3) 3, 3, 4 times = 38 (38, 40, 41, 44) 44, 46, 49 sts.

Do one more round of increases, but at the end of the row cast on 3 (4, 6, 6, 6) 8, 9, 10 sts

= 42 (43, 47, 48, 51) 53, 56, 60 sts.

Continue to work in honeycomb brioche until your work from the armhole (the side seam) is the same length as the back. On the next row from the RS begin to shape the rounded bottom edge, like this:

RS: Bind off 4 sts, finish the row as usual.

WS: Work the row as usual.

dec-Row 1 (RS): Work the row as usual.

dec-Row 2 (WS): Work the row as usual until you have 2 sts left, k2tog.

dec-Row 3 (RS): Work the row as usual.

dec-Row 4 (WS): Work the row as usual.

Repeat dec-Row 1-4 at total of four times = 34 (35, 39, 40, 43) 45, 48, 52 sts. Place a marker in your work. Work straight in honeycomb brioche without any decreases for 3 cm. Measure from the marker you placed. Remove the marker.

Repeat dec-Row 1-4 three more times = 31 (32, 36, 37, 40) 42, 45, 49 sts.

Finish off by repeating dec-Row 1-2 a total of 8 times = 23 (24, 28, 29, 32) 34, 37, 41 sts.

Bind off all sts from the RS.

4. LEFT FRONT PIECE

Place your work in front of you with the RS facing and the back yoke pointing upwards. Measure the edge where you picked up sts for the right front, and set aside the same measurement from the top left corner of the back yoke towards the center. Pick up and knit 30 (30, 32, 32, 34) 34, 36, 38 sts from this point towards the side. As before, pick up along 3 st and skip the 4th.

Work honeycomb brioche, like this:

Start-up row (WS): Knit until end of row.

Row 1 (RS): Selv, *k1, k1 in the stitch below* until you have 1 sts left, selv.

Row 2 (WS): Selv, *knit the next stitch together with the strand/ loop created by working into the stitch below on the previous row, k1* until you have 1 sts left, selv.

Row 3 (RS): Selv, *k1 in the stitch below, k1* until you have 1 sts left, selv.

Row 4 (WS): Selv, *k1, knit the next stitch together with the strand/ loop created by working into the stitch below on the previous row* until you have 1 sts left, selv.

Continue to repeat row 1-4 until your left front measures about 10 (10, 10, 10, 10) 11, 11, 11 cm from the edge where you picked up sts. On the next row from the WS begin to increase along the right side of your work to shape the neckline. Increase 1 st at the end of each row from the WS, by working the last st through both the front and the back loop. Look at your previous work to maintain the honeycomb brioche knit pattern.

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= 37 (37, 39, 39, 41) 41, 43, 45 sts.

Continue to work in honeycomb brioche until your left front measures about 26, (26, 27, 27, 26) 26.5, 27, 27 cm from the edge where you picked up sts. On the next row from the RS begin to increase along the left side of your work by increasing 1 st at the end of each row from the RS, by working the last st through both the front and the back loop. Look at your previous work to maintain the honeycomb brioche knit pattern.

Increase a total of 1 (1, 1, 2, 3), 3, 3, 4 times = 38 (38, 40, 41, 44) 44, 46, 49 sts.

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RS: Work the row as usual.

WS: Bind off 4 sts, finish the row as usual.

dec-Row 1 (RS): Work the row as usual until you have 2 sts left, k2tog.

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Finish off by repeating dec-Row 1-2 a total of 8 times = 23 (24, 28, 29, 32) 34, 37, 41 sts.

Bind off all sts from the RS.

5. SLEEVES

The right and the left sleeve are worked the same way. First you make an i-cord edge along the armhole, according to the instructions below. Start at the bottom of the armhole on the RS and pick up and knit sts until you reach the other side.

When you pick up sts along the armhole I recommend that you do it like this:

ALONG THE SIDES (IN HONEYCOMB BRIOCHE): Pick up 2 sts in one "hole", pick up 1 st in 1 "hole". ALONG THE BACK YOKE: Pick up 1 st along every stitch.

Once you reach the end of the armhole, break the yarn and go back to the point where you started to pick up and knit sts and make the i-cord, like this: cast on 4 sts, slip all sts to the left needle (where you have the sts that you just picked up), *k3, k2tog tbl, slip all sts to the left needle* repeat *-* until you've reached the other side and have bound off all of the sts you previously picked up. Break the yarn and pull it through the remaining sts.

Pick up and knit sts from the RS along the i-cord to start working on the sleeve. When you pick up and knit sts I recommend that you pick up and knit along 6 sts and skip the 7th st. **NOTE HOW MANY STS YOU PICKED UP!** (So that you can pick up and knit the same amount of sts for the second sleeve).

Work the sleeve in honeycomb brioche, like this:

Start-up row (WS): Knit until end of row.

Row 1 (RS): Selv, *k1, k1 in the stitch below* until you have 1 sts left, selv.

Row 2 (WS): Selv, *knit the next stitch together with the strand/ loop created by working into the stitch below on the previous row, k1* until you have 1 sts left, selv.

Row 3 (RS): Selv, *k1 in the stitch below, k1* until you have 1 sts left, selv.

Row 4 (WS): Selv, *k1, knit the next stitch together with the strand/ loop created by working into the stitch below on the previous row* until you have 1 sts left, selv.

AT THE SAME TIME! Shape the sleeve by decreasing every 4 (4, 4, 4, 3) 3, 3, 3 cm, like this:

dec-RS: Work the row as usual until you have 2 sts left, k2tog.

dec-WS: Work the row as usual until you have 2 sts left, k2tog.

Look at your previous work to maintain the honeycomb brioche knit pattern.

Repeat row 1-4 while shaping the sleeves with decreases until your sleeve measures about 48 cm, or as long as you want it to be. **NOTE HOW MANY STS YOU HAVE AFTER THE DECREASES!** (So can decrease the same amount of sts for the second sleeve). Bind off all sts from the RS.

Knit the other sleeve the same way.

6. BUTTON BANDS

The button bands are worked in double knit, like the back yoke. First you'll work the left button band (without buttonholes) by starting at neckline and picking up sts along the left front, towards the bottom, and then you'll work the right button band (with buttonholes) by starting at the bottom and picking up sts along the front towards the neckline. When you pick up and knit sts along the front in the honeycomb brioche I recommend that you do it like this: Pick up 2 sts in one "hole", pick up 1 st in 1 "hole".

The left button band (without buttonholes):

Use 3 mm needles (or 1 mm thinner needles than previously) and start from the RS by the neckline. Pick up and even amount of sts, like this:

pick up 1 st, YO repeat *-* until you're 2 sts from the bottom, pick up 2 sts. Note how many sts you picked up.

Set up row (WS): sl1wyif, *sl1wyif, k1tbl* repeat *-* until the last st, k1.

Row 1: sl1wyif, *sl1wyif, k1* repeat *-* until the last st, k1.

Change back to 4 mm needles (or the size you previously used to get gauge) and work row 1 until the left button band measures about 2.5 cm.

Bind off all sts from the RS, like this: sl1wyif, *k2tog, bind off the previous st* repeat *-* until the last st, k1, bind off the previous st. Break the yarn and pull it through the last st.

Placing the button holes:

Each buttonhole will be made up of 6 sts starting with a knit-stitch and ending with a slipped stitch.

At the top of the button band I recommend that you have 4 sts. To place the 5 buttonholes symmetrical you need to subtract the total amount of sts for the buttonholes (5 x 6 sts = 30 sts) as well as the 4 top sts from the total amount of sts of the button band and then divide it with 5.

Calculation: (BUTTONBAND STS - 30 - 4) / 5 = AMOUNT OF STS BETWEEN EACH BUTTONHOLE.

So for example, my button band was made up of 150 sts, so my calculation looked like this:

(150 sts - 30 sts - 4 sts) / 5 spaces = 23,5 sts per space. To space the buttonholes evenly I therefore placed them like this: (TOP) 4 sts, BH, 24 sts, BH, 22 sts, BH, 24 sts, BH, 22 st, BH, 24 sts.

(BOTTOM).

BH = button hole. To mark off the button holes and make it visually clearer for yourself I recommend that you place markers in your work to separate off the sts for the button holes once you've worked a few rows of the right button band.

The right button band (with buttonholes):

Use 3 mm needles (or 1 mm thinner needles than previously) and start from the RS by the bottom.

Pick up and knit the same amount of sts as you did for the left button band, like this: *pick up 1 st, YO* repeat *-* until you're 2 sts from the bottom, pick up 2 sts.

Set up row (WS): sl1wyif, *sl1wyif, k1tbl* repeat *-* until the last st, k1.

Row 1: sl1wyif, *sl1wyif, k1* repeat *-* until the last st, k1.

Change back to 4 mm needles (or the size you previously used to get gauge) and work row 1 one more time.

On the next row from the RS you'll bind off sts to make the button holes, like this: sl2wyif, *k1, sl1wyif* repeat *-* until you reach the beginning of the first buttonhole, pick up the right leg of the st below the next one on the left needle and place it on your right needle, ssk, ssk, bind off the last st, ssk, bind off the last st, slip the last st from the right needle to the left, k2tog, **sl1wyif, *k1, sl1wyif* repeat *-* until you reach the beginning of the next buttonhole, pick up the right leg of the st below the next one on

the left needle, ssk, ssk, bind off the last st, ssk, bind off the last st, slip the last st from the right needle to the left, k2tog**, repeat **-* until you have 3 sts left, sl1wyif, k2.

Work the next row from the WS like this: sl2wyif, k1, sl1wyif, **CO 5 sts, sl1wyif, *k1, sl1wyif* repeat *-* until you reach the next buttonhole** repeat **-* until the end of the row (on the last repeat you won't reach a buttonhole, but instead you'll reach the end of the row). Finish the row with k2 as usual.

Work the next row from the RS like this: sl2wyif, ** *k1, sl1wyif* repeat *-* until you have 1 st left before the next buttonhole, sl1 knit wise, pick up the right leg of the 1 st that were bound off with the left needle, slip the slipped st from the right needle to the left, k2tog, sl1wyif** repeat **-* until the end of the row. Finish the row with k2 as usual.

The work row 1 until the right button band measures about 2.5 cm. Bind off all sts from the RS, like this: sl1wyif, *k2tog, bind off the previous st* repeat *-* until the last st, k1, bind off the previous st. Break the yarn and pull it through the last st.

7. SIDE SEAMS

Next up you'll work the side seams of the jacket, along the body and the sleeves, by knitting an i-cord edge along the front and then sewing it to the back.

The right side seam:

From the RS you'll pick up and knit sts all along the side of the right sleeve and the right front. Place your work in front of you and start at the bottom of the sleeve working your way towards the armhole and then continue down along the side of the body until you reach the bottom. Break the yarn.

When you pick up sts in the honeycomb brioche I recommend that you do it like this: Pick up 2 sts in one "hole", pick up 1 st in 1 "hole".

After you've cut the yarn at the bottom of the body - go back to the point where you started to pick up and knit sts and work the i-cord, like this: cast on 4 sts, slip all sts to the left needle (where you have the sts that you just picked up), *k3, k2tog tbl, slip all sts to the left needle*) Repeat *-* until you've reached the other side and have bound off all of the sts you previously picked up. Break the yarn and pull it through the remaining sts.

The left side seam:

From the RS you'll pick up and knit sts all along the side of the left sleeve and the left front. Place your work in front of you and start at the bottom of the body working your way towards the armhole and then continue along the sleeve until you reach the bottom of the sleeve. After you've cut the yarn at the bottom of the sleeve, go back to the point where you started to pick up and knit sts and work the i-cord the same way as you did for the right side seam.

Sewing the side seams to the back:

Before you sew the i-cord to the back I recommend that you place a few pins to keep your work in place. Align the i-cord seams at the armhole and place a pin there. Align the bottom of the sleeves as well as the body and place a pin on either side. Slightly stretch your work so that the fabric for the back (body + sleeve) is evenly distributed along the i-cord and pin it in place. Sew the i-cord in place on top of the fabric so that it looks like it's been knitted on. When you place your stitches I recommend that you work in a similar way as you did when you picked up the sts for the i-cord, so sew 2 sts in one "hole", sew 1 st in 1 "hole".

8. I-CORD EDGES

Next up you'll work the i-cord edges along all of the outer borders of the jacket.

Along the bottom of the sleeves:

Pick up and knit sts all along the bottom of the sleeve, starting in the center of the i-cord side seam.

When you pick up sts along the bottom of the sleeve I recommend that you do it like this:

ALONG THE BOTTOM (HONEYCOMB BRIOCHE): Pick up 1 sts in one "hole".

Once you reach the other side of the sleeve - break the yarn and go back to the point where you started to pick up and knit sts. Work the i-cord, like this: cast on 4 sts, slip all sts to the left needle (where you have the sts that you just picked up), *k3, k2tog tbl, slip all sts to the left needle*) Repeat *-* until you've reached the other side and have bound off all of the sts you previously picked up.

Break the yarn and sew the last 4 sts to the cast on edge of the i-cord to create a seamless transition. Do the same for the other sleeve.

Along the outer borders of the jacket:

You'll now pick up and knit sts all along the outer borders of the jacket. That is all along the front, the neckline and the bottom. To make your work easier I recommend that you work from two separate balls of yarn - one which you use to gradually pick up and knit sts with, and one which you'll use to make the i-cord with along the sts you pick up. By using this technique where you gradually pick up and knit sts, it's easier to rip back a few sts if you notice that the edge gets too loose or too tense, rather than having to unravel the entire thing.

Start in the center of one of the side seams along the bottom of the body and slowly work your way around until you reach the beginning of the i-cord. Break the yarns and sew the last 4 sts to the cast on edge of the i-cord to create a seamless transition.

When you pick up sts along the outer border I recommend that you do it like this:

ALONG THE SIDES (HONEYCOMB BRIOCHE): Pick up 2 sts in one "hole", pick up 1 st in 1 "hole".

ALONG THE BOTTOM (BIND OFF EDGE IN HONEYCOMB BRIOCHE): Pick up 1 st in 1 "hole".

ALONG CONVEX CURVES (IN HONEYCOMB BRIOCHE): Pick up 2 sts in one "hole".

ALONG THE FRONT OF THE BUTTON BAND: Pick up 1 st in 1 st.

ALONG THE NECKLINE (IN HONEYCOMB BRIOCHE): Pick up 1 st in 1 "hole".

ALONG THE NECK (BACK YOKE): Pick up along 2 st, skip 1 st, pick up along 1 st, skip 1 st.

9. POCKETS

Finally you'll make the pockets in double knitting with an i-cord edge around the border..

Cast on 42 (42, 42, 44, 44) 44, 46, 46 sts.

Work double knit, like this: Sl1wyif, *sl1wyif, k1* until you have 1 st left, k1.

Continue until the work measures about 15 (15, 15, 16, 16) 16, 17, 17 cm.

Bind off all sts, like this: sl1wyif, k2tog, *k2tog, bind off previous st*, repeat *-* until you have 1 st left, k1, bind off the last st. Break the yarn.

Pick up and knit sts all along the sides of the pocket. Start in the center of one of the short sides and work your way around until you reach the point where you started. Break the yarn.

When you pick up sts along the pocket I recommend that you do it like this:

ALONG THE SIDES: Pick up and knit along 3 sts, skip 1 st.

ALONG THE TOP/BOTTOM: Pick up 1 st in 1 st.

ALONG THE CORNERS: Pick up 2 extra sts to shape the corners.

After you've cut the yarn, go back to the point where you started to pick up and knit sts and work the i-cord, like this: cast on 4 sts, slip all sts to the left needle (where you have the sts that you just picked up), *k3, k2tog tbl, slip all sts to the left needle*) Repeat *-* until you've reached the other side and have bound off all of the sts you previously picked up. Break the yarn and sew the last 4 sts to the cast on edge of the i-cord to create a seamless transition. Make one more pocket.

Place the pockets on your jacket and pin them in place. Make sure to try on your jacket with the pockets pinned in place so that you get an idea of the fit and placement before permanently attaching them. Place your seam along the little gap that naturally appears between the double knitted part of the pocket and the i-cord, to make the seam as invisible as possible. Use backstitch and sew from the RS through the pocket and the front piece.