

# How to insert a Lapped Zip



1. Create seam leaving an opening as long as your zip. Neaten and press seam open

2. Match RS of zip against RS of fabric. Position edge of teeth (tape side) to 1.5cm crease.

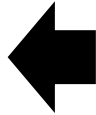


3. Using zipper foot stitch close to teeth.

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4. Working from bottom of opening smooth second side towards top. Close zip. Overlap the folded edge very slightly so that the teeth are not visible.



5. Pin and TACK second side into position. This is really important, don't cheat!



6. Top stitch second side. Start with zip open, stop and move zip tab where necessary. Finish with double line of stitching at right angles to zip. Take care to avoid metal stopper if there is one.

