

STEP-BY-STEP HOW TO WEAVE A BASKET

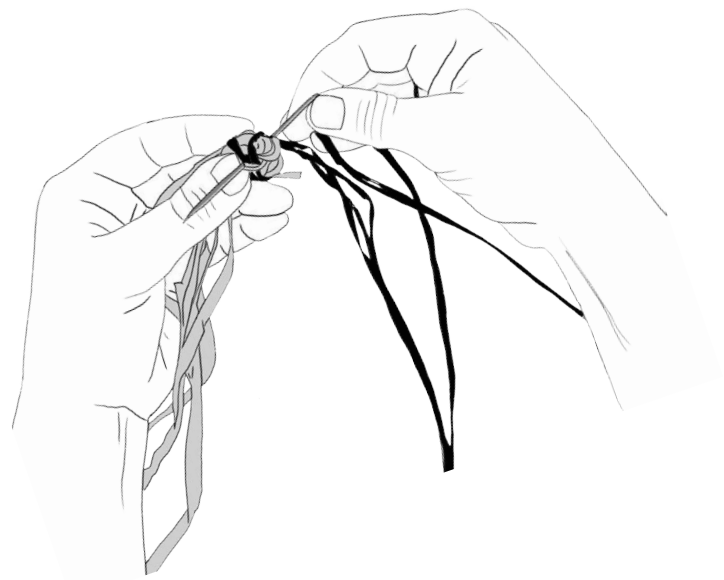


STEP 1

Tie the ends of 5 - 10 pieces of raffia in a knot.

STEP 2

Thread another piece of raffia onto your needle, don't worry about tying a knot in the end.



STEP 3

Start stitching into the centre of the knot, working your way around in a circle.



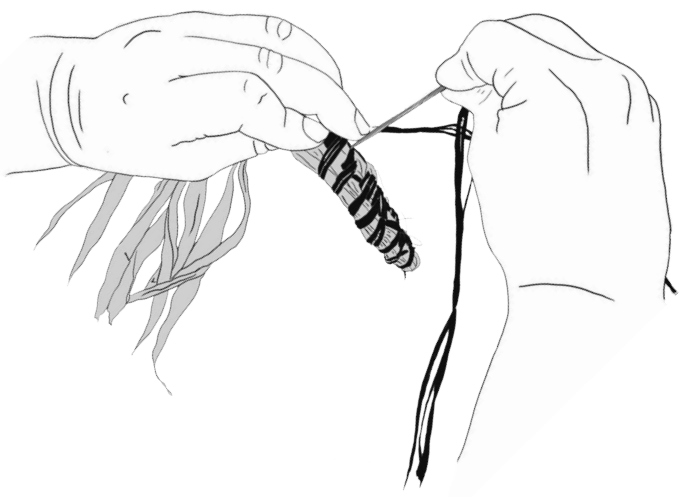
STEP 4

Keep stitching around in a circle, making a flat disc of coils like a snail.



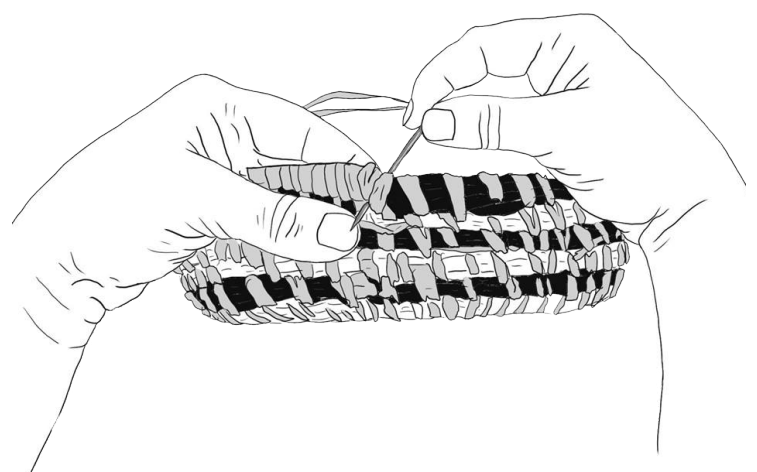
STEP 5

When the raffia tails become too short, add in some more by folding a selection in half and slotting in to your stitches.



STEP 6

To build the sides of the basket up, start coiling the raffia on top of the previous coil.



STEP 7

When you're happy with the height of the basket, cut off the tails and stitch over the end.