



# Pattern Guide for Custom Orders

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# Plain Weave

A plain weave is the simplest weaving pattern. To create it, thread the weft under then over every other warp thread. Adding different colours changes the pattern.



# Plaid or Checkered Weave

A checkered or plaid weave is a variation of a plain weave that uses two or more colours. Alternating bands of colour in both the warp and weft create the pattern.



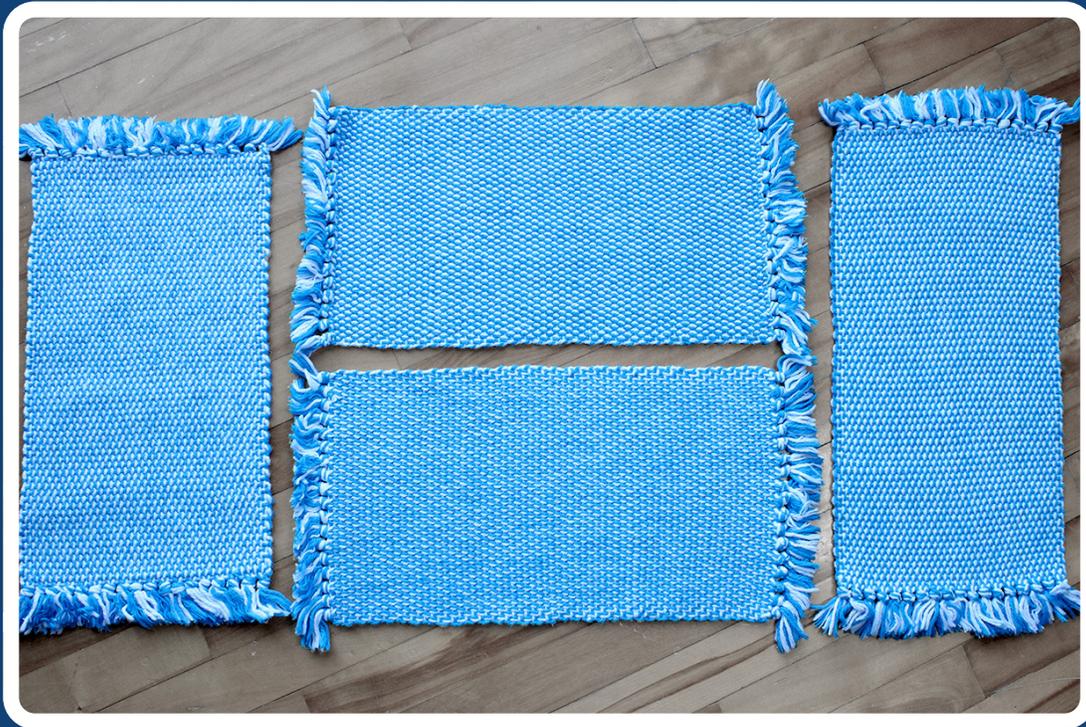
# Striped Weave

The striped weave uses stripes that are only a single thread wide. Both the warp and the weft alternate colours every other thread.



# Double Weaving

A double woven textile allows for the separation of the warp into two fabric layers. When plain woven it creates thicker fabric.



# Pile Loops

Pile loops are a manual type of detailing applied to a plain-woven textile. Leaving oversized loops in the weft while weaving creates the loops.



# Textured Weave

A textured weave is any weaving pattern with some rows that skip threads. Surrounding these are plain woven rows.



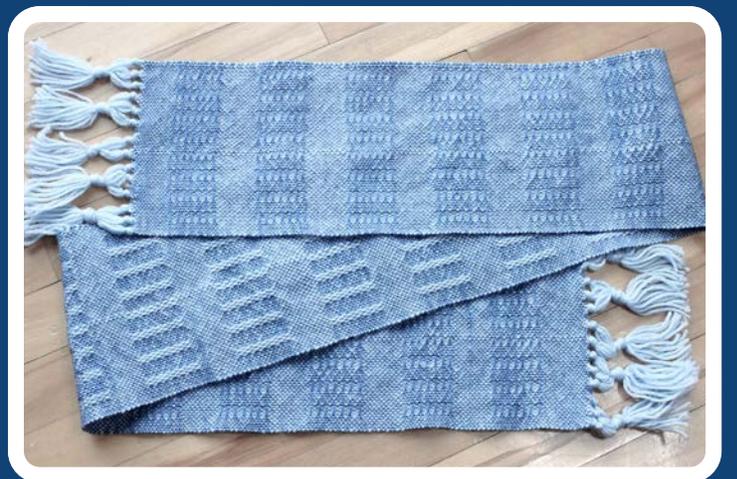
# Window Weave

The window weave is a specific row-pattern arrangement of the textured weave. It consists of one row that skips select strands, one row plain weave, one skipping row, then three plain rows.



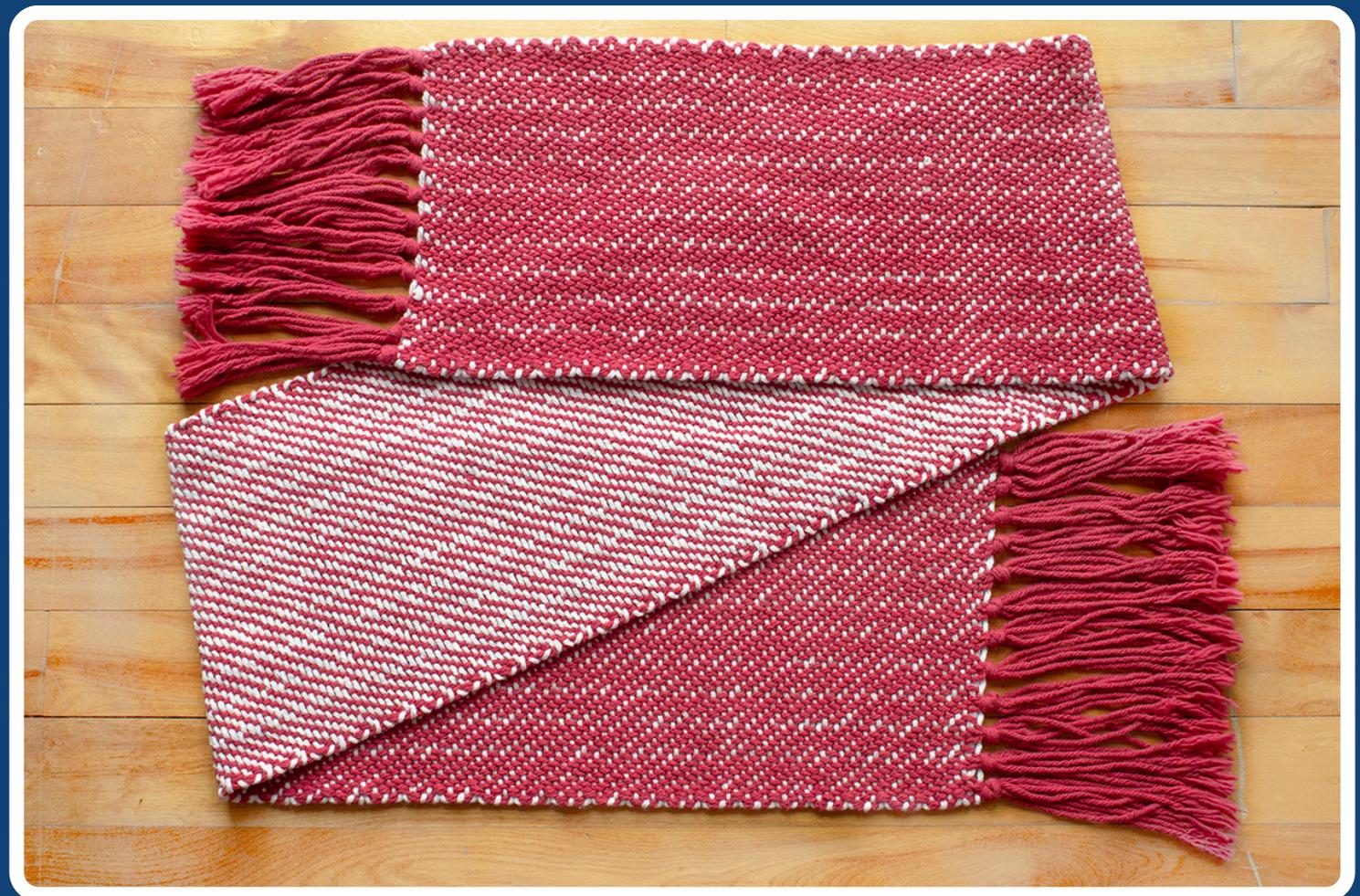
# Weft Floats

Weft floats are another variation on a textured weave. The weft skips over 5 or more warp strands at once. Weft floats create a distinct pattern on both the front and back of a weave.



# Twill

A row of weft in a twill pattern goes over two warp strands, then under two. Each subsequent row shifts one strand over and repeats the same pattern.



# Zigzag Pattern

The zigzag pattern is a variation on a twill. Where the line turns back on itself, the “2 under, 2 over” pattern shifts back one thread instead of forward.



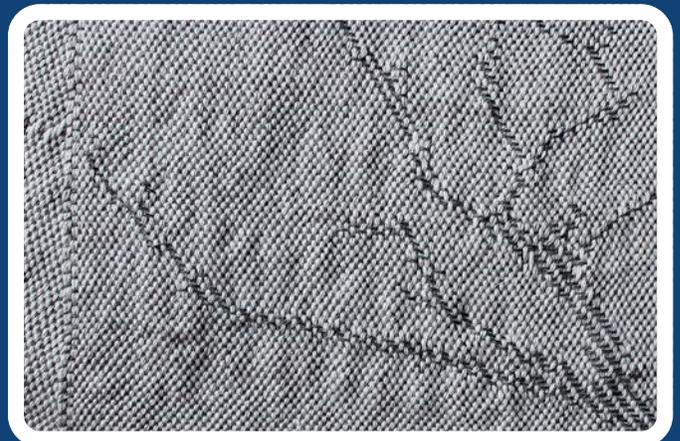
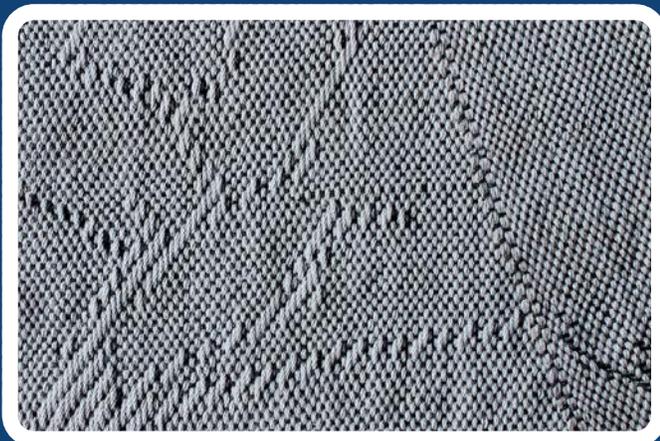
# Diamond Pattern

The diamond pattern is another variation on a twill. The second row of the pattern skips over four warp threads at the centre of each diamond. Elsewhere, it follows the same "2 under, 2 over" pattern.



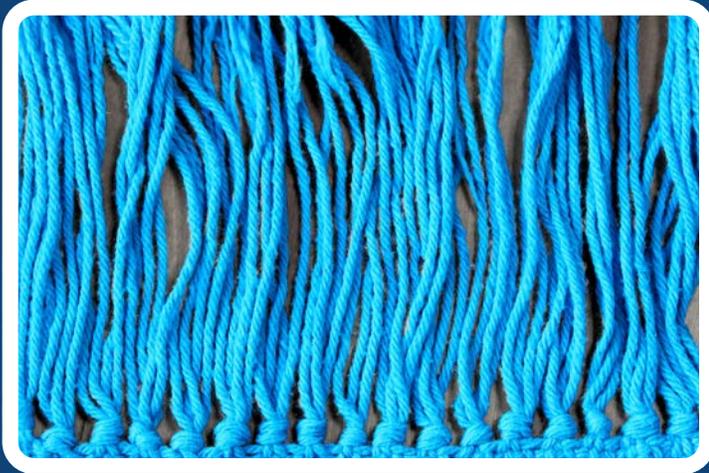
# Additional Designs

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# Finishing Options

Match the way we finish off the ends a weaving project to the design of your piece.



Regular

Bunches



Twisted Fringe

Decorative



Decorative - Crossover



Hemstitched

(Can be combined with a sewn hem for a no-fringe option)

