

# Sewing Reference Cards

Directions: Print at full scale, cut on outside lines, hole punch, and attach to a keyring.  
(Laminate if you'd like extra durability.)

## 1-Step Buttonhole Guide

Quick Guide intended for Janome machines with 1-step buttonhole.

**Step 1:** Slide back of sliding buttonhole foot back and insert button into space. Slide back closed until the button is secure within the space.

**Step 2:** Attach buttonhole foot to machine.

**Step 3:** Mark buttonhole placement on project. (*Hint: Janome buttonholes always start at the bottom, stitch up to the top, then turn around and come back down the other side to complete the buttonhole.*)

**Step 4:** Slide project under buttonhole foot, aligning the red cross-hairs with the bottom middle of your buttonhole placement marking.

**Step 5:** Pull down buttonhole lever.

**Step 6:** Stitch buttonhole.

**Step 7:** Place straight pins directly on top of the top and bottom bar tacks of the buttonhole and cut fabric open.

*Note: Always test your buttonhole on scrap fabric to make sure it's the correct size. Check your manual for how to make length adjustments. Don't forget stabilizer!*

## Buttonholes 101



### Round End

Used on fine to medium weight fabrics, especially for blouses and children's clothes.



### Stretch

Suitable for stretch fabrics, can also be used as a decorative buttonhole.



### Fine Fabric

Rounded at both ends and used on fine, delicate fabrics like fine silk.



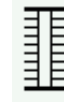
### Knit

Suitable for knit fabrics. Can be used as a decorative buttonhole.



### Keyhole

Widely used on medium-heavy weight fabrics. Suitable for larger/thicker buttons.



### Antique

This buttonhole looks like the heirloom stitch. Has a handmade appearance and makes a nice decorative buttonhole.



### Rounded Keyhole

Used for thicker buttons on medium weight fabrics.



### Welted

Template pattern for hand sewn welted (bound) buttonhole.



### Tailored

Durable design used with thick buttons on heavy fabrics.