



SEWING GUIDE

PIPED-EDGE BOUTIQUE COLLAR

A STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE TO SEWING
A PREMIUM PIPED-EDGE DOG COLLAR



OVERVIEW



SKILL LEVEL: Beginner–Intermediate



PAGES: 10



FINISHED WIDTH: 1 in



USE: Adjustable boutique dog collar



SAFETY: Decorative everyday collar,
not for tie-out or heavy pulling.

SMALL



10–14 in

MEDIUM



14–18 in

LARGE



18–22 in

This guide uses 3 seller-friendly dog sizes.



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SIZES & CUTTING LENGTHS

USE THESE 3 SELLER-FRIENDLY DOG SIZES FOR THE PIPED-EDGE BOUTIQUE COLLAR



SIZE	NECK RANGE	WEBBING CUT	MAIN FABRIC STRIP (FLORAL)	FUSIBLE FLEECE STRIP	CUT 2 PIPING STRIPS
SMALL ✿	10–14 in	19 in	3 1/2 x 20 in	1 x 18 in	1 1/2 x 20 in
MEDIUM ✿	14–18 in	23 in	3 1/2 x 24 in	1 x 22 in	1 1/2 x 24 in
LARGE	18–22 in	27 in	3 1/2 x 28 in	1 x 26 in	1 1/2 x 28 in
✿ FINISHED WIDTH FOR ALL SIZES: 1 IN ✿					

SMALL ✿



MEDIUM ✿



LARGE ✿



Use 1 in dog-collar hardware for all sizes.



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TOOLS & MATERIALS

GATHER THESE SUPPLIES BEFORE YOU BEGIN.



1 in
floral cotton fabric



1 in
nylon or polypro
webbing core



light
fusible fleece



matching
thread



1 in
side-release
buckle set



1 in
tri-glide slider



1 in
D-ring



3/16 in
piping cord



2 bias strips
for piping



ruler or
tape measure



fabric marker
or chalk



fabric scissors
or rotary cutter



clips
or pins



iron



sewing
machine

NOTES

- The webbing is the strength layer.
- The floral fabric and piping create the boutique look.
- Use lightweight but sturdy materials.
- This collar is for everyday wear, not for tie-out.

STRAIGHT VIEW



CURVED VIEW



A thoughtful finish starts with the right tools.



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CUT THE PIECES

Cut the strength layer, decorative strip, padding, and piping pieces.



CUTTING CHART

PIECE	SMALL	MEDIUM	LARGE
Webbing	19 in	23 in	27 in
Main Fabric Strip	3 1/2 x 20 in	3 1/2 x 24 in	3 1/2 x 28 in
Fusible Fleece	1 x 18 in	1 x 22 in	1 x 26 in
Piping Strips (cut 2)	1 1/2 x 20 in	1 1/2 x 24 in	1 1/2 x 28 in

- 1 Choose the size you are making.
- 2 Measure and cut the webbing strip.
- 3 Cut the main fabric strip.
- 4 Cut the fusible fleece strip.
- 5 Cut the 2 piping strips.
- 6 Label this set by size.

FINISHED COLLAR PREVIEW





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MAKE THE PIPING

Create two neat piping strips for the collar edges.

1



Cut one piping strip
1 1/2 in wide.

2



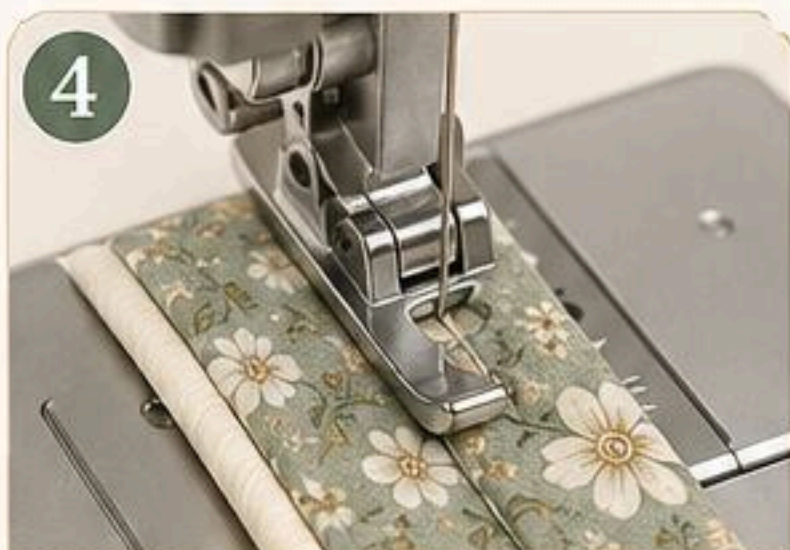
Place the piping cord along
the wrong side of the strip.

3



Fold the strip over
the cord.

4



Use a zipper foot.

5



Stitch close to the cord.

6



Trim the seam allowance
evenly if needed.

7



Repeat to make
the second piping strip.

8



Compare both finished
piping strips.

RESULT

2 Finished
Piping Strips



WHERE IT GOES

The piping will be attached
along both long edges of
the collar for a crisp,
boutique finish.



TIP



Keep the stitch line
close to the cord so
the piping looks crisp.

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PREPARE THE DECORATIVE WRAPPER

FUSE THE PADDING AND BASTE THE PIPING TO THE MAIN STRIP.

- 1 Place the floral strip wrong side up.



- 2 Center the fusible fleece strip on the wrong side.



- 3 Fuse or press the fleece in place.



- 4 Place one finished piping strip along one long edge on the right side with raw edges aligned.



- 5 Place the second piping strip along the other long edge the same way.



- 6 Baste both piping strips in place close to the raw edge.



- 7 Fold one short end inward 1/2 in.



- 8 Fold the second short end inward 1/2 in and press.



CROSS-SECTION (DETAIL)



RESULT

PIPED WRAPPER READY



COLLAR PREVIEW

The piped wrapper will be attached to the webbing in the next steps.



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WRAP THE WEBBING & TOPSTITCH

Build the strong piped collar strap around the webbing core.

- 1** Place the piped wrapper wrong side up.



- 2** Center the webbing strip on top of it.



- 3** Fold the left piped side over the webbing.



- 4** Fold the right piped side over the webbing so the fabric wraps the webbing neatly.



- 5** Clip the wrap closed.



- 6** Topstitch from the front close to the first piped edge.



- 7** Topstitch from the front close to the second piped edge.



- 8** Check that the piping sits evenly on both sides and the webbing is fully enclosed.



BACK VIEW (DETAIL)

Wrapper overlaps neatly on the back.



FRONT VIEW (RESULT)

Finished piped strap before hardware is attached.



FINISHED COLLAR PREVIEW

Your strap is ready for hardware.



TIP: Sew slowly near the piping for an even boutique finish.



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ATTACH THE FIXED END

Attach one buckle half and the D-ring to one end of the collar.

1



Slide one collar end through the D-ring.

2



Pass the same end through the female buckle slot.

3



Fold the end back about 1½ in.

4



Make sure the D-ring sits between the buckle and the folded end.

5



Stitch a secure box or box-X to hold the fold.

6



This becomes the fixed end of the collar.

FEMALE BUCKLE



Use the female (buckle receiving) half on the fixed end of the collar.

D-RING POSITION



The D-ring should sit freely between the buckle and the folded end.

SECURED STITCHING



A box or box-X stitch provides strength and keeps the end secure.



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THREAD THE ADJUSTABLE END

ADD THE SLIDER AND SECOND BUCKLE HALF TO COMPLETE THE ADJUSTABLE COLLAR.

- 1** Slide the free end through the tri-glide slider.



- 2** Pass the same end through the male buckle slot.



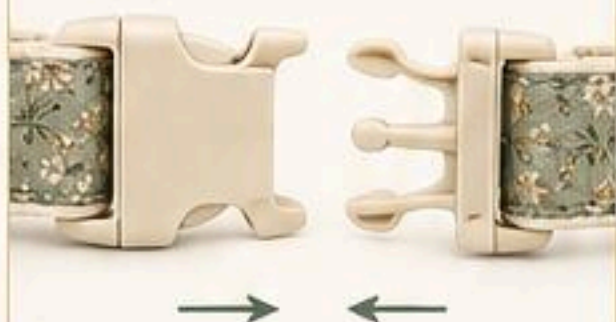
- 3** Bring the end back through the tri-glide from the other side.



- 4** Leave about a 3 in adjustment tail.



- 5** Check that both buckle halves face each other correctly.



- 6** Snap the buckle closed to test the shape.



- 7** Slide the tri-glide to check that the collar adjusts smoothly.



- 8** Make sure the strap does not twist.



SLIDER PATH



MALE BUCKLE



FINISHED ADJUSTABLE END



Take your time and enjoy the process—your pup will love the results.



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FINISHED COLLAR, FITTING & CARE

Your Piped-Edge. Boutique Collar is ready to wear.

QUICK RECAP

- 1 Cut the pieces
- 2 Make the piping
- 3 Prepare the wrapper
- 4 Wrap and topstitch
- 5 Attach the fixed end
- 6 Thread the adjustable end
- 7 Adjust the fit

STRAIGHT VIEW



CURVED VIEW



SAFETY



- Leave room for 2 fingers.
- Check stitching and hardware regularly.
- Decorative everyday collar only, not for tie-out or heavy pulling.

CARE



- Spot clean or gentle hand wash.
- Air dry flat.
- Press lightly if needed.

SIZE GUIDE

SIZE	NECK SIZE (ADJUSTABLE)	FINISHED WIDTH
SMALL	10–14 in	1 in
MEDIUM	14–18 in	
LARGE	18–22 in	