

# â– Fiskars Unzippedâ– - Turning Thin Tubes

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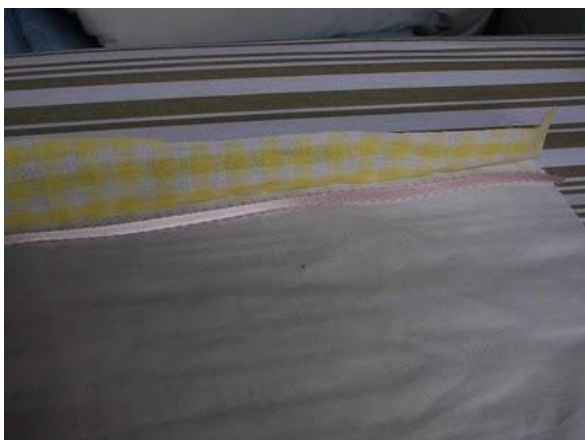
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Sewing Tutorial – turning thin tubes I can’t really remember who showed me this method of turning thin tubes of material – but it was probably my Mom – master seamstress that she is... ..it’s really the simplest and fastest way I know of to turn tubes inside out...

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## Step 1 — Turning Thin Tubes



...First open up your tube and lay a ribbon (or strip of cloth) longer than the tube - in the center - then fold and stitch around the tube - making sure to stitch over the ribbon on one end and leaving the other end open...

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## Step 2 — Turning Thin Tubes



...give the ribbon a little tug...

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### Step 3 — Turning Thin Tubes



...you may have to 'help' the end to start it's travel up the inside of the tube - just poke it in...

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### Step 4 — Turning Thin Tubes



... continue to pull the tube inside out...

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## Step 5 — Turning Thin Tubes



...the end will appear...

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## Step 6 — Turning Thin Tubes



...you can either just snip the end of the ribbon off and leave it inside the tube - or you can open that end up with a seam ripper and take it out (that's what I normally do) - then turn the end back under and restitch...

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## Step 7 — Turning Thin Tubes



...finally top-stitch around the tube if desired... ...and, seriously, you'll have your tubes done in about 5 minutes...

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