

#### Quilting is the stitching holding the fabric together!



**Fun Facts:** 

You can hand sew or machine sew the layers together.

The pattern appears on a quilt when the stitches flatten the wadding and the unstitched areas puff up!

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### When did quilting begin?

Over a thousand years ago

Over one hundred years ago

Over ten years ago















What do you think 'quilting' is?

The layering of fabric

The stitching holding the layers together

The padding used to make it warm







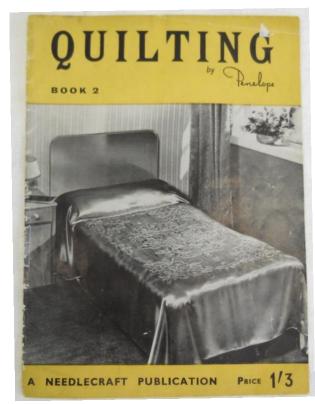








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#### **Fun Facts:**

There is evidence of quilting from 3400BC from the Egyptians!

In England we can trace quilting back to the 13<sup>th</sup> Century when people used quilting to wear under their armour!

Most quilts do not have dates on them so we look at the fabric, colours, patterns, condition and other quilts to guess their age.







Why do people make quilts?

For decoration

For warmth

Both



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