# Dignity Cape Instructions

## Supplied in Kit for 5 capes

1 x 33m of bias binding

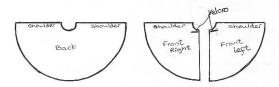
Reels of cotton to go with the fabric & bias binding\* Please return with the completed capes

5 backs

5 left sides

5 right sides

5 labels (Fold a label and sew the raw edges tucked into a front opening edge)  $20^{\circ}$  of Velcro (2 parts) Cut into  $5 \times 4^{\circ}$  lengths.



## Front opening edge

Take the front pieces. On the central opening edge, fold 1cm hem & press, fold another 1 cm hem & press. Use a matching coloured thread and topstitch 3/8" from the folded edge.

#### Shoulders

Sew the front shoulders to the back shoulders with French Seam. 1st seam allowance 0.5cm Press. 2nd seam allowance 1cm. Press.

## Bias Binding the edge

Use thread to match the bias binding . There is a reel in your kit.

Set up your machine for zigzag stitch, wide and medium length (as a guide).

Tip: Make sure the fabric goes right into the bias binding up to the fold.

Start by folding the bias binding exactly in half to get a crisp fold.(can do with your fingers)

Neatly fold in the raw edge of the bias binding, so it will not fray. Start at the bottom of the front opening and attach the bias binding all around the outer edge and back to the bottom of the other front opening edge. Sew in the neatly folded end.

Repeat for around the neck line.

#### Velcro

This is an adjustable closing for the cape at the neckline and provides a wrap over front for coverage.

Take 4" pieces of each Velcro part. See the position on the diagram. The front right goes over the front left. (Put the rough, hook Velcro part on the left side).

DO NOT WASH Iron & fold.

