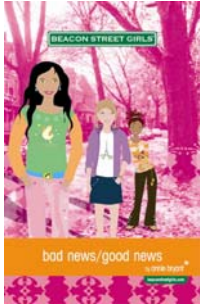


☀ Art Activity 1: Project Thread



“Some of the older boys just sat back and watched, but the older girls loved the blankets. Before they left the shelter, Keisha came running up, still clutching her lavender blanket. She pulled her thumb out and gave Maeve a hug.”

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Supplies

- Fleece
- Tape
- Yardstick or Ruler
- Scissors
- Optional: Needle and Thread*

Directions

- Decide how big you want your blanket and buy the appropriate amount of fleece (any color).
- Along the top and bottom of the fleece (short sides) apply a straight line of tape all the way across—leave 3 inches showing on both ends.
- Cut a fringe to the tape along the top and bottom (short sides). When finished with fringing, remove the tape.
- Cut out the card below, fold in half, and write a special message to the person or organization you are giving the blanket to. 😊

*Extra

- *If you're super creative, you can sew patches, buttons, and other decorations onto the blanket to make it truly spectacular!*

