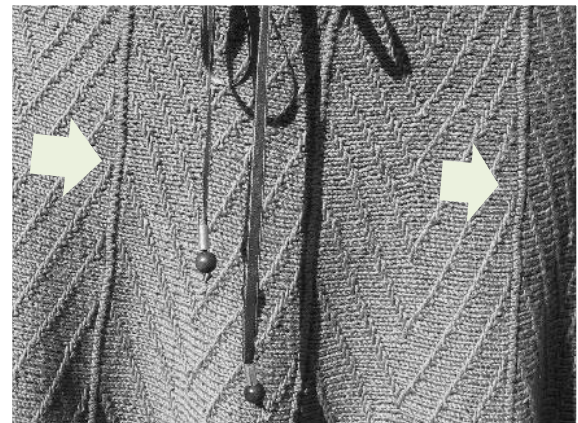
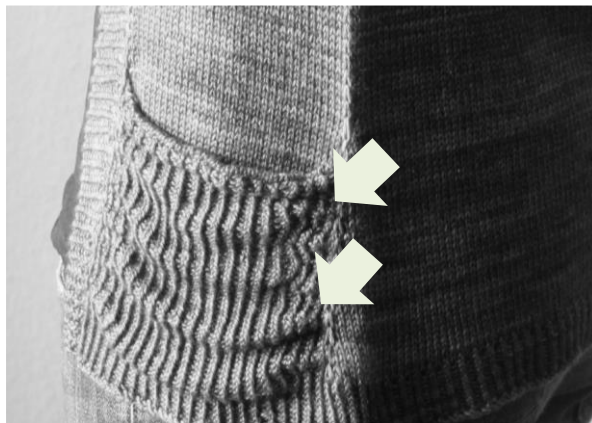


TUTORIAL: THE CORDING STITCH



The cording stitch is a versatile stitch that gathers the knitted fabric into a fold or crease. Once you master the technique, you can use a line of cording stitch in many ways to embellish your knitting:

- to create a distinct fold of fabric (for a hat brim: folds fabric over, produces a neat edge);
- to simulate pin tucks (to separate skirt panels);
- as a style element (gathers on cardigan pockets).

The crease will get bigger with the number of rows across which the stitch is worked. If you work the stitch “un-twisted”, the crease will look softer and less sharp.



