

TIE ON NOCKING POINTS

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"Tie On" nocking points are very popular with experienced archers, they are easy to apply, long lasting and most importantly, don't move when secured.

All that is required is a piece of bowstring serving thread, a knife and matches or a lighter.

The process for attaching "Tie On" nocking points is -

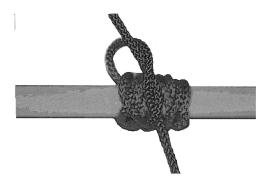
- 1) Cut a piece a bowstring serving about 150mm (6 inches) long. Any bowstring serving will do although Braided Nylon serving works best.
- 2) Mark where you want the nocking point and tie a half hitch knot.



3) Then tie another half hitch knot on the other side of the string to the first knot, pull tight.



4) Continue to tie half hitch knots opposite to the last on either side of the string until you have tied 6 to 8 knots.



5) To finish off tie a hitch knot which is two half hitch braided knots. Finish and seal by melting the serving by using matches or a lighter (this is why Braded Nylon is best as it melts where other types of serving burn). If you do not wish to melt the serving to finish you can cut loose ends with a knife and glue.

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