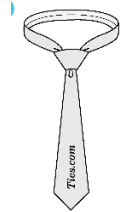


How To Tie a Windsor Knot



Step One: Start with the collar of your shirt turned up and the tie looped around the back of the collar, hanging down on either side of the front.

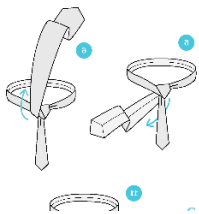
Step Two: In your dominant hand hold the wide end of the tie, and in your non dominant hand hold the narrow end.

Step Three: Adjust the tie so that the narrow end hangs at the level of the third button of your shirt

Step Four: Cross the wide end over the narrow end, leaving a tail of 4in or 10cm on the narrow end.

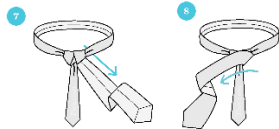
Step Five: With your dominant hand holding where the two sides cross, use your non dominant hand to tuck the wide end up, behind, and through the opening where you are holding the crossed ends. Pull the wide end all the way through until it is snug.

Step Six: Still holding the top with your dominant hand, use your non dominant hand to wrap the wide end around the back of the knot. You will end up with the back of the tie facing out, and the front of the tie facing towards yourself.



Step Seven: With the wide end still held in your non dominant hand, continue to wrap the wide end up and through the top of the knot, putting it all the way down.

Step Eight: Your knot should look like a triangle. Put the index finger of your non-dominant hand at the center of the triangle to hold it, and with your dominant hand on the wide end, wrap it from right to left across your index finger, until the wide end is behind the knot.



Step Nine: Thread the wide end up and through the back of the knot like before, keeping your index finger in place.

Step Ten: Your index finger has created a gap, and you want to pull the wide end through that gap, all the way through.

Step Eleven: The last step is to adjust the knot to comfort. Alternate pulling on the long (wide) end and the short (thin) end and keeping the shape, raise the knot to the top of your collar.

