





For my first try, I used cream-colored yarn and did a plain weave or a tabby weave where I alternated taking the yarn over and under the other. This method may seem simple, but it takes some skill to make sure the yarn is even and looks neat. It is important to have a taut warp with even tension so the yarns would stay put in its place and if it is too loose, the weaves can end up looking too big and uneven. I learned that you have to be careful and pay attention to details to get the loom to look just right but unfortunately, my homespun yarn resembles a slub yarn which some were thick and some were thin, therefore, it created uneven lines. For the basket weave, I used light blue yarn which is a bit like the plain weave but with two yarns instead of one. To make it look right, I had to make sure those two yarns were about as thick as one yarn going the other way. It was a bit difficult because the two yarns could get mixed up as I wove, but it was quicker than the plain weave.