

INTERMEDIATE SEWING

Supplies List

- Sewing machine in good working order
- Sewing machine needles: universal needles
- Extra bobbins
- Hand sewing needles
- Thread: contrasting thread for making samples. Gutermann or coats
- Sharp scissors: purchase good quality scissors for cutting fabric, don't use for cutting paper.
- Paper cutting scissors
- Thread snips or small scissors: useful tool to keep close to your sewing machine for cutting threads. (optional)
- Seam ripper
- Glass head pins: straight pins with ball heads are easier to use. AVOID small pins
- Tape measure
- 12" or 18" long and 2" wide see-thru ruler, also known as quilter's ruler (available at Joann's quilt section)
- **Fashion ruler** – curve ruler for hip and armhole shaping
- Metal sewing gauze: 6" ruler for measuring hems and small lengths
- Fabric marking pen or pencil, tailor's chalk, and/or wax free tracing paper and tracing wheel
- Pencils and/or pens for taking notes and making pattern alterations.
- Removable tape or scotch tape for making alterations to patterns
- Grab-bit or pin-cushion
- Pattern tissue for making pattern alterations.

RECOMMENDED PATTERNS FOR WOVEN FABRICS ONLY, NO STRETCH FABRICS

Dress with invisible zipper or shirt dress with buttons and buttonholes.

Select pattern according to your measurements. If you are at your early stage of sewing, select a simple pattern with plain sleeves and simple neckline.

McCall's - M3129 (view D), M2401(view A or E), M6116 view (B or C), M4769 (view C or F), M5847 view (B or D), M3129 view (D or E), M2401 (view e)

Butterick - B5396 (view C), B4386 (View C)

Simplicity - 2247 (view B, with plain sleeves), 2404 (view A), S2404 (view A or B), S3827 view (A)

New Look- 6567 (view G or H), 6723 (view A), 6000 (view E)

Dresses with zippers: purchase invisible zipper of the recommended size