

Gored Skirt

Intermediate / Butterick # 6179



A gored skirt is great for all seasons! This 8-gore skirt has a smooth fit at the waist and flares out to a flirty hemline that flows beautifully when you walk.

Learn how to install a centered zipper, work on your top-stitching skills, and attach a stable waistband. You'll also learn some tricks for hemming a curved edge.

You'll come away with some new skills, and a flattering skirt that you can make again in lots of different fabrics!

Supply List:

1. Pattern: Butterick #6179
2. Fabric: Light to medium weight woven like medium to heavy Rayon, Challis, Lightweight Twill or lightweight denim, medium weight Linen. Prewashed before class*
3. Interfacing: Lightweight Fusible
4. Zipper: 12 inch standard zipper
5. Pant hook
6. Matching thread

Tools:

1. Fabric shears
2. Paper scissors (for cutting out the pattern)
3. Small scissors or thread snips
4. Fabric measuring tape
5. Straight pins
6. Fabric marking pen or pencils
7. 6-inch seam gauge
8. Seam ripper
9. Pinking shears
10. Hand sewing needles
11. Thimble

*Launder the fabric in the same way you plan to launder the finished garment. Be careful to wash with similar colors in case the dye bleeds!