

Learn-to-Sew Series

Go from absolute beginner to confident new sewist!

Take this progression of classes to learn the essential skills of sewing. Also a great refresher for those who have been away from sewing for a long while. These classes are open to all makes and models of sewing machines. Your sewing machine must be clean and in good working order. We'll be happy to check it out for you at no charge but please schedule an appointment well in advance of class date. Don't own a machine or not sure you'll love sewing? Rental machines are available. Ages 15 and up.



BASICS: This class covers machine anatomy, threading, bobbin winding, sewing straight lines & curves, and regular maintenance of your machine. We'll also discuss essential tools and materials.

Recommended Book: School of Sewing.

Class Fee \$30.

LTS: BASICS

WED Apr 3 1:00p - 4:00p
 SAT May 4 1:00p - 4:00p
 WED May 29 9:30a - 12:30p



PATTERN LAYOUT: Learn the basics of how to read, lay out, and cut from a commercial pattern. We'll be working with a unisex bathrobe pattern using woven fabric such as quilting cotton. Prerequisite: Learn-to-Sew: Basics class or prior approval from instructor. Class Fee \$30.

SEAMS: Learn several different types of seams. We'll discuss which to use when, how to stitch them, and use a few of them to sew the bathrobe we cut out in the LTS Pattern Layout class. Class Fee \$30.

LTS: PATTERN LAYOUT

THUR Apr 11 1:00p - 4:00p
 SAT May 11 1:00p - 4:00p
 WED June 12 9:30a - 12:30p

LTS: SEAMS

THUR Apr 25 1:00p - 4:00p
 SAT May 25 1:00p - 4:00p
 WED June 26 9:30a - 12:30p



ELASTIC: Learn different techniques for working with elastic. We'll use one of them to sew a pair of unisex pajama pants from the LTS Pattern Layout class pattern. Class Fee \$30.

LTS: ELASTIC

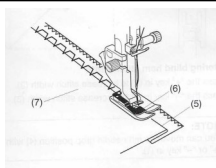
WED May 1 9:30a - 12:30p



ZIPPERS: Learn installation techniques for three different types of zippers commonly used in garment sewing. This class is open to anyone with basic sewing skills. Class Fee \$30.

LTS: ZIPPERS

WED May 15 9:30a - 12:30p



HEMS: Need to hem a pair of pants or a skirt or even a pair of jeans? This class will teach you seven common hemming techniques used in everyday clothing. You will also get to bring an item of your own that you need to hem and do it at the end of the class. Class Fee \$30.

LTS: HEMS

SAT Apr 13 1:00p - 4:00p