

Tunic Workshop

DATES: March 5,12,19,26

TIME: 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

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BOOK: * [Tunic Bible](#)

Before First Class:

Choose your design - The Tunic Bible features several versions of a tunic or dress based on a bodice front, back and sleeve. The class sample features the ruffled neck version; I recommend not using this version unless you are adamant about the design.

Choose your size (Page 42)

Trace the pattern - Inside the Tunic Bible is the basic pattern; Trace the basic bodice front, back and sleeve (if appropriate for your design choice) on your Easy Pattern, BEFORE coming to the first class. Be sure to include all markings, grainline and any other detail shown on the pattern.

FABRIC & MATERIALS:

Fabric Requirements are on Page 41: Fabric is not needed until 2nd class. You can discuss your fabric choices with teacher during the first class before purchasing.

NOTIONS & TOOLS

- Scissors*
- Pins*
- Marking pencils/pens appropriate for your fabric*
- Pattern Paper – Pellon 830 (Easy Pattern) *
- Map Pins to secure the pattern to the form-core board. Office Depot has these pins.
- Pencil & Eraser
- Ruler – I recommend a 18” plastic ruler with blue grid*
- Foam core board - available at Hobby Lobby
- Fabric(s)
- Interfacing – in an amount sufficient for your project – So Sheer is recommended *
- Serger
- Thread & Bobbins
- Reading glasses if needed

MACHINE & ACCESSORIES – will not need for first class

- Sewing Machine – with power cord and foot control. You will NOT need for first class
- Machine Needles *

*Available for purchase from [Sewing Center of Santa Fe](#)

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Format of Lessons

Instructions for completing a garment are not found in any single place but rather sprinkled throughout the text. You may want to consider using small sticky notes to earmark instructions pertaining to your specific design.

Session 1

In the first class we will discuss what elements you need to complete the design. I will help each of you create the appropriate facings and/or treatments you will need to complete the garment.

- Students will choose options and will be taught how to make facings and any other pattern that is required.
- Discussion about fabric choices

Session 2

- Pattern proofing and layout
- Marking and cutting fabric

Session 3 & 4

- Sewing in class

Please be courteous to the other students and the teacher by arriving at least 10 minutes before class starts to set up your machine. Do not come to class if you are not feeling well. *PLEASE CALL IN ADVANCE 505-424-3242, IF YOUR PLANS CHANGE AND/OR YOU ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND.*