

The Bernina Connection Class Materials List

Start Sewing for Teens and Adults

with Diane Mathus-Nagano

Dates: Choose one Saturday class session

October 7, 2026

November 4, 2026

December 2, 2026

or January 6, 2027

Times: 2– 5 pm

Tuition: \$35

Plus kit fee: \$16

Bring to Class:

- ☐ Sewing machine in good working order with new needle, bobbins, presser foot, power cord & foot control or you may rent one of ours.
If renting a machine, be sure to let us know when you sign up.
- ☐ Machine manual if a non-Bernina machine
- ☐ Fabric scissors
- ☐ A small spool of Mettler cotton thread
- ☐ Recommended – seam ripper, tweezers

Provided by the Instructor:

- ☐ Kit:
 - pillow forms
 - shorts pattern
 - thread
 - basic sewing supplies

Pre-class Preparation:

- ☐ If you haven't used your machine recently, we would like to suggest installing new needles and completing a brief test-sew on scrap fabric to be sure everything is running smoothly.

Skill Level:

- ☐ Beginners are, of course, welcome!



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- **Registration:** Class fees are due at registration. Kits must be purchased before class. One week's notice is required for refunds or store credit; visiting-teacher classes are non-refundable.
- **Age-specific classes:** To keep classes focused and comfortable for everyone, adult classes are for adults only. Kids' classes are for enrolled children only; parents or guardians may not attend.
- **Machines:** All sewing machine and serger brands are welcome except in BERNINA Machine Mastery classes. Loaner machines available in class for a \$15 rental with advance registration.
- **Classroom courtesy:** Please silence cell phones during class so everyone can focus and enjoy learning. Our classroom temperature may vary, so dressing in layers is recommended.
- **Supplies:** Please label personal tools (rulers, scissors, etc.) to avoid mix-ups.
- **Lunch:** You may bring your lunch (refrigerator available) or join a group order from a local restaurant at your expense.

By the Way: Please arrive early. It is important to have all your materials and your sewing machine set up before class begins.

Our teachers make every effort to start on time and we want you to get full benefit of the class experience.

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