

The Bernina Connection Class Materials List

Knit Know-How with Jeannine Heller

Date: January 5, 12, & 26, 2027
Tuesdays

Time: 10am - 2pm

Tuition: \$95

Pattern: Grainline Studio Scout Tee Pattern - GS11002 comes in two size ranges: 0-18 or 14-30 (The size 14-30 has darts.) You may use any other knit t-shirt pattern with basic neckline.

Bring to Class:

- ☐ Sewing machine in good working order with new needles for knit fabric (needed after 1st session), thread, power cord, foot control, & all of its accessories (or call the store in advance, 602.553.8350, to reserve one of ours to rent!)
- ☐ Optional: Serger for finishing seams – can be rented from Bernina Connection – this will make your seam finishes easier
- ☐ Ball-point, stretch or jersey needles for your sewing machine
- ☐ GS1102 – Scout-T pattern in correct size range 0-18 or 14-30. (Do not cut up your multi-sized pattern) Or another pattern designed exclusively for knit fabrics. Simple top or dress
- ☐ Tracing medium: Pattern Ease, Pellon 830 or Swedish tracing paper: Purchase enough tracing materials to copy the entire front & back of the pattern – we will use this for fitting purposes first, then for cutting your garment. The instructor will guide you in personalized sizing.
- ☐ Soft-lead pencil (no ink or marking pens)
- ☐ See-thru highlighter is helpful
- ☐ Yardage for garment, pre-shrunk and pressed, matching thread
- ☐ Basic Sewing Kit to include:
 - fine, glass-headed dressmaker pins
 - pin cushion or equivalent
 - Cutting tools: shears, rotary cutter/blades, small, pointed scissors/snips,
 - seam ripper
 - tape measure
 - #2 pencil for tracing
 - straight 24" see-thru ruler
 - marking tools: chalk, powdered marking tool, etc.
- ☐ Optional: Seraflex thread to match knit fabric- BC has it in stock
- ☐ OPTIONAL: Twin needle for hemming: Ball-point, stretch or jersey 2.5, 3.0 size 70-80

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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.

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.
- ☐ Purchase and study GS11002 Scout-in your size range, or another t-shirt pattern of your choice.
- ☐ We will take measurements in class. If you have taken a recent class with me regarding fitting the upper body, bring your current meas. chart, but be prepared to take add'l measurements. Wear close-fitting garments through the hipline – upper torso: snug tank top or t-shirt without sleeves.

Skill Level:

- ☐ Advanced Beginners, Intermediate and Advanced Sewists will all find this class rewarding
- ☐ Know how to operate your sewing machine.
- ☐ Know how to read and use a multi-sized pattern.