

The Bernina Connection Class Materials List

Pattern Hacks *with Jeannine Heller*

Date: January 8 & 15, 2026
Fridays

Time: 10am - 3pm

Tuition: \$85

Bring to Class:

- ☐ Patterns with the features you would like to transfer to another pattern
- ☐ Pattern that fits you, but you would like to change details like neckline treatments, sleeves, silhouette designs of top or lower section of garment
- ☐ If you hope to complete some of these designs in class – alphanumeric paper (available at BC)
- ☐ Rulers: straight see-thru ruler with 1/8" gradations and curved rulers, if you have any
- ☐ Soft lead Primary pencil #2, colored pencils
- ☐ Paper scissors, pins, etc. for pattern drafting/design
- ☐ Tracing medium: Pattern Ease, Pellon 830 or Swedish Tracing paper

Provided by the Instructor:

- ☐ Handouts

Pre-class Preparation:

- ☐ If you have a special request, contact the instructor: classbernina@gmail.com prior to Dec. 15th and I will attempt to honor that request.

Skill Level:

- ☐ Advanced Beginner Sewists and beyond are welcome
- ☐ You must have a good working understanding of pattern features: darts, seams, design lines and how they form the silhouette of the garment.
- ☐ Should be skilled in constructing garments beyond the pull-over style without any "fitting" features.



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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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