

FUN FROCKS FOR THE FREE SPIRIT Supply List

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These frocks are meant to be fun. I like to use three different fabrics – one for the bodice, one for the skirt and pockets, and a contrasting one for the bodice lining. In selecting your fabrics, keep in mind that the larger prints should be used for the skirt and smaller prints reserved for the bodice. The master pattern will be available on class day for you to copy and take home. I will try to have sample sizes available for you to try on if you are undecided as to size.

If you have any questions, I am available at the Quilt Patch Tues, Weds and Thurs 10-5 and on some Saturdays.

3/8 yd light weight fusible pellon interfacing

2 ½ yds for skirt and pockets

Bodice:

S&M – 5/8 yd

L – ¾ yd

XL – 7/8 yd

Allow extra for one-way designs

Bodice lining fabric – same as above

2 yds cotton batiste if you choose to line the skirt

2 pkgs piping to complement your fabric choice. If making your own piping, you will need 5 ¼ yds narrow cording to cover, and ½-¾ yds of fabric for bias strips.

4 buttons to complement your fabric choice. 5/8-¾” buttons are ideal.

Thread to match fabric

Pins, Seam ripper

Scissors for both fabric and paper (pinking shears are optional)

Hand sewing needles, thimble

Marking pencil – Wonder Marker or white pencil for dark fabrics

Pellon or Pattern-ease for copying pattern, approx 1 ½ yds

Template plastic for making permanent buttonhole template

Machine in good working order with buttonhole attachment

#10 Bernina foot or edge-stitch foot

#5 Bernina foot or bind stitch foot

#12 Bernina foot or bulky overlock/braiding foot