

Loose Sweatshirt - Sewing Pattern #2573

Recommendations on fabric: neoprene, natural/mixed knit fabric of small stretchiness. Knit fabric in two matching or contrasting colors.

You will also need: separating zipper.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm. Seam allowance along hem of garment - 1.5 cm.

Note on seam allowances:

- If the pattern has double contour the seam allowances are included. They are 1 cm unless specified otherwise.
- If the pattern has single contour, the seam allowances are NOT included and need to be added when laying out the pattern.

Note on length of fabric:

Attention! The amount of fabric needed for your pattern is not included. It will depend on the selected pattern size, the width, and design of the fabric you plan to use. First, print all the paper patterns and lay them out at the width of fabric you plan to use (usually from 90 to 150 cm). Measure how much fabric you will need. Don't forget to account for pieces that need to be cut multiple times and pieces that are cut on the fold.



CUTTING:

Note on cutting:

On the pattern pieces, "beam" means straight of grain. Lay out your pieces accordingly. Some pieces will be cut on the fold. This is noted on the pattern piece. Mark all notches and other design features such as pleats etc. from the pattern onto your fabric.

When sewing the garment, pay attention to notches, they must match up.

Main fabric:

1. Back - cut 1 on fold
2. Front - cut 2
3. Sleeve - cut 2

Main fabric 1:

1. Cuff - cut 2

Main fabric 2:

1. Stand collar – cut 1 on fold

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Serge the center edges of fronts. Sew the separating zipper to the center front edges.
2. Sew shoulder seams. Serge seams and press towards back.
3. Stand collar pin together in half lengthwise right side out and sew into neckline. Clip into seam allowance in the corner on front, sew along the horizontal edge. Serge the seam allowances.
4. Sew in sleeves. Serge the seam allowances and press onto sleeve. Sew side seams and sleeve seams. Serge seams and press towards back.
5. Make and baste pleats on sleeve. Sew cuff into ring. Fold cuff in half lengthwise and press. Sew cuff to sleeve, serge.
6. Make and stitch box pleats on front and on back. Baste the pleats by hand at the lower edge in order to fix them. Serge the seam allowance along the hem, turn inside and topstitch.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

