

Dress With Peter Pan Collar - Sewing Pattern #2564

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed fabric suitable for dresses.

You will also need: decorative tape (approximate length is given on the pattern piece for lower front); fusible interfacing; dress zipper; 6 buttons.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm; seam allowance for hem of dress and hem of sleeve - 3 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. Upper center back - cut 2
2. Upper side back - cut 2
3. Lower back - cut 2
4. Upper center front - cut 1 on fold
5. Upper side front - cut 2
6. Lower front - cut 1 on fold

7. Flap - cut 4
8. Collar — cut 4
9. Sleeve - cut 2
10. Placket - cut 1

Fusible interfacing:

1. Flap - cut 2
2. Collar — cut 2
3. Placket - cut 1

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Sew princess seams on upper back, press towards center, serge. Sew upper back to lower back, press towards top and serge.
3. Serge center back edges separately on each piece. Sew the center back seam from the mark to the bottom edge, press the seam apart. Sew in zipper.
4. Sew flaps together by two, right sides together, inserting the decorative tape in between the pieces, and sew the outer edge. Clip into curves, turn the flap right side out, straighten, press.
5. Sew princess seams on upper front, press towards center, serge. Sew upper front to lower front, inserting the flaps according to markings, press towards top and serge.
6. Fold the seam allowances along the longer side of placket onto wrong side and press. Place placket onto front, right sides of both pieces being upwards, pin the decorative tape under the edges and topstitch.
7. Sew side and shoulder seams, press towards the back and serge.
8. Pin collars together pairwise right sides together and sew the outer edge, inserting decorative tape. Start and stop stitching exactly at the marked line of the collar seam. Clip into curves, turn collar right side out, press. Sew the upper collar into the neckline, press seam allowances towards the collar. Fold inside the seam allowance of the lower collar and topstitch into the seam.
9. Sew sleeve seam, press towards back and serge. Sew sleeves into armholes, serge and press.
10. Serge hem of dress and hem of sleeve, press onto wrong side and finish with hidden stitches.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

