

## Short Jacket With 2 Buttons - Sewing Pattern #2642

Recommendations on fabric: thin natural/mixed suiting fabrics.

You will also need: lining; fusible interfacing; shoulder pads; 2 buttons.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm. Seam allowance along hem of jacket 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. Back - cut 1 on fold
2. Front - cut 2
3. Sleeve - cut 2
4. Collar - cut 1
5. Back neck facing - cut 1
6. Center front facing - cut 2

Lining:

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

Fusible interfacing:

1. Center front facing - cut 2
2. Back neck facing - cut 1

Attention! Cut Back and Front from lining using the corresponding pieces for main fabric except for the width of back neckline facing and front neckline facing.

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Sew darts on back and front, press bulk of waist darts towards center, press bulk of bust darts towards top.
3. Sew shoulder and side seams, press the seam apart.
4. Fold the collar in half lengthwise right side together and sew short sides. Trim away corners, turn collar right side out, straighten, press. Sew collar into neckline.
5. Sew side seams of back neckline facing and central front facings, press seam apart. Pin the central front facings and the facings onto front, right sides together, pin together and sew the center front edge, the neckline and the lower center front corner. Trim away corners. Topstitch the central front seam allowance onto center front facing. Place stitch line at 0,2 cm from seam. Turn center front facings right side out onto right side, straighten seams. Press lower edge of garment.
6. Sew sleeve seam, press the seam apart. Sew sleeves into armholes matching notches, press seam. Sew shoulder pads.
7. Sew together pieces of lining in the same way as you have sewn pieces from main fabric, leaving an opening in the left sleeve seam. Sew lining to center front facings and to facings, press seam allowances at center front facing. Sew lining to lower edge of garment and lower edge of sleeve. Turn jacket right side out. Sew the opening closed.
8. Make buttonholes on right front, sew on buttons onto left front.

**TECHNICAL DRAWING:**

