

Blouse With Tie Collar - Sewing Pattern #2346

Recommendations on fabric: Natural/mixed fabrics suitable for blouses.

You will also need: fusible interfacing, 4 buttons.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm. Seam allowance along the lower edge of the garment - 2 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 1 on fold
3. Sleeve - cut 2
4. Cuff - cut 2
5. Collar - tie — cut 1
6. Front neck facing - cut 1

Fusible interfacing:

1. Collar-tie - cut 1
2. Front neck facing - cut 1
3. Cuff - cut 2

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Serge outer edge of front neckline facing. Pin facing onto front right side down and sew neckline. Clip seam allowances, fold facing onto wrong side and press. Baste together seam allowances along armholes and treat as one piece in the future.
3. Cut slit on sleeve along the marked line. Cut bias tape from main fabric (or take ready), its width should equal 4 cm and length should equal two lengths of slit +4 cm. Fold bias tape in half lengthwise and press. Press outer seam allowances towards center. Sew bias tape to slit of sleeve (pin bias tape to slit edge from the right side and sew, fold bias tape onto wrong side and topstitch onto garment along fold line).
4. Sew sleeves to back, press seams towards back and serge. Sew sleeves to front, press towards front and serge.
5. Sew a gathering stitch along the upper edge of sleeve and gather fullness.
6. Sew outer collar into back neckline and sleeve neckline. Press seam allowances at collar. Pin together ties in half lengthwise right sides together and sew along longer and one shorter edge. Trim away corners, turn right side out ties onto right side. Turn under the raw edge of inner collar and stitch in the ditch.
7. Sew side seams. Press seams towards back and serge.
8. Pin cuffs together, right sides together and sew side edges. Start and stop stitching exactly at the marked seam line cuffs. Turn the piece right side out, press. Sew a gathering stitch along lower edge of sleeve and gather fullness. Sew outer side of cuff to sleeve, turn seam allowance of inner cuff under and stitch-in-the ditch into seam of outer cuff.
9. Turn under the hem seam allowance 2 times at 1 cm and topstitch.
10. Make buttonholes on cuffs, sew on buttons.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

