

Going Sewing!

SEWING CLASS PACKING LIST



Sewing Machine

If taking your sewing machine to class, don't forget everything that goes with it.

- Power Cord and Foot Control
- Slide-on table or tray
- Presser Foot Lifter if you have one
- Accessories that came with your sewing machine such as seam guides and any tools needed to change the needle or attach accessories to your machine.
- Sewing machine oil – bring the specific oil that your machine needs in case your machine gets thirsty during the class.

Presser Feet

- Add any presser feet required for the class to your tool kit.
- Basic presser feet that came with your machine.
- Optional: Specialty feet you own. You never know what topics come up, what questions about feet get asked, and what new techniques you may want to try as a side note to the class content.

Basic Supplies

- Scissors
- Straight pins and/or Sewing Clips
- Tape measure or small ruler
- Fabric marker
- Seam ripper

Fabric, Needle, and Thread

- Required fabric for your class project
- Fat quarter in a light to medium solid color or subtle print fabric for checking your thread tension, testing decorative stitches, or practicing a new technique before stitching it on your project.
- Extra sewing needles. If the class requires a specialty needle such as a topstitching or double, make sure you have these. If not, take a few Universal needles in size 80 and/or 90.
- Thread required for the class
- Neutral thread options, just in case. Cotton or polyester thread in black, white, cream, and/or medium gray colors.
- Bobbins: Always have at least 2 bobbins with you, newly wound if you know the thread needed for the class project or stripped and empty if winding is part of the class.

Cutting/Pressing/Seeing Tools

These items are usually optional. Make sure you check with the organization or instructor to see if there is room and/or adequate power to use these tools in the classroom.

- Mini Iron with Pressing Surface - small wool pad works great!
- Best Press, if desired
- Rotary Cutter, ruler, and cutting mat (up to size 12" x 18")