

## Tutorial for Dress with short sleeves ("Basic Favourites – 11.5 inch fashion dolls")

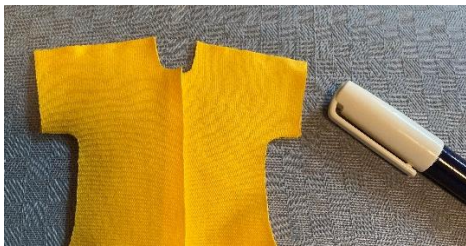
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Choose a stretchy fabric that does not fray, for example cotton jersey.

You also need 6 mm (1/4 inch) wide velcro (or small sew on snaps) and a small piece of iron-on interfacing.

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1. You need these pattern pieces. They come in two sizes, choose the one that fits your doll. There is also a dress with a more narrow skirt. Those pattern pieces look similar and the dress is sewn the same way.
2. When you have cut the fabric, the pieces should look like this.
3. Place the pieces on top of each other, right sides together. Attach the shoulder parts with a glue pen (this is a special glue pen for sewing that does not hurt the sewing machine. The glue dries quickly and becomes almost invisible, and it washes away.) You can use pins instead of a glue pen, but it is easier to use the glue pen.
4. Sew the shoulders with an elastic seam, for example a reinforced straight stitch. Use a matching thread colour (I use a different colour so that it will show well on the photos). The seam allowance is 7 mm (approx 1/4 inch).



5. Cut away some of the seam allowance so that only a couple of millimeters remain.



6. Pry the seam allowances apart and attach them with the glue pen. Press.

7. Continues to sew according to point 3-21 on the tutorial for the T-shirt.

8. Finished!

