

Christmas clothes for Barbie and Ken – some tips and ideas

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The starting point is pattern nr 35 (Barbie) and nr 36 (Ken) from

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Clothes with HTV:

- Attach the HTV before you start sewing.



Dress with lace:

- Cut out all pattern pieces in cotton jersey fabric. Make them $\frac{1}{4}$ inch shorter at the bottom (don't hem this part).
- Cut out all pattern pieces in stretch lace. Don't hem the lace (but don't make it shorter, it should be a little longer than the cotton jersey parts).
- Put the lace on top of the cotton jersey and attach the edges with a sewing glue pen. Now all parts should be double.
- Sew according to the tutorial.



Pants with lace:

- Choose a bigger size (choose the Curvy Barbie size for Original Barbie).
- Cut out all parts in cotton jersey and in stretch lace.
- Put the lace on top of the cotton jersey and attach the edges with a sewing glue pen. Now all parts should be double.
- Sew according to the tutorial.



Santa dress with belt and furry edges:

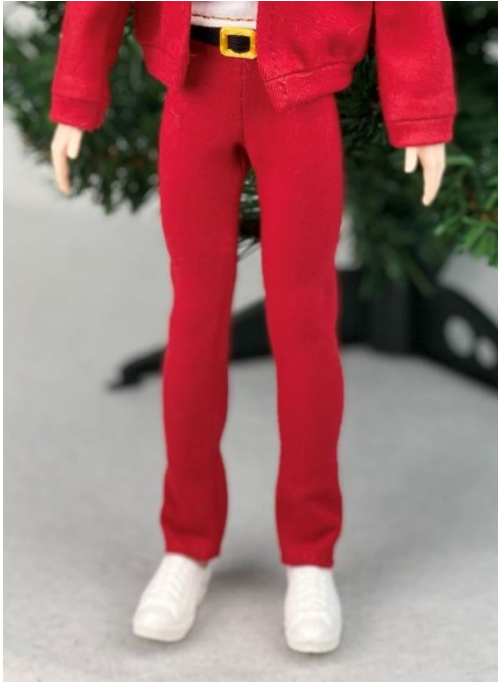
- After point 11 in the tutorial, sew a small furry edge on the neck line and arms. Sew this by hand (don't pull too hard, it should still be stretchy).
- After point 16 in the tutorial, sew a furry edge at the bottom of the dress. Make a belt by putting a mini belt buckle on a ¼ inch wide piece of black elastic. Attach the belt ends to the back of the dress by sewing.



Santa hoodie with furry edge on the hood:

- Skip points 16, 27 and 28 in the tutorial (no string in the hood).
- After point 26 in the tutorial, sew a small furry edge on the edge of the hood. Sew this by hand (don't pull too hard, it should still be stretchy).





Santa trousers with belt:

- After point 15 in the tutorial, make a belt by putting a mini belt buckle on a ¼ inch wide black piece of elastic.
- Attach belt by sewing, see photos.



Where can you find all the stuff?

HTV: www.erikassyskrin.se

Mini buckles, furry edges, patterns in Swedish (nr 35 & 36):
www.erikassyskrin.se, www.ateljeanette.se

Stretch lace: www.bwear.se

Tutorials (nr 35 & 36): www.meretesyr.se

Patterns in English (only nr 35 available now Nov 10th 2020): Etsy shop meretesyr

