

Tutorial for Dress ("nr 34 Camping – for fashion dolls")

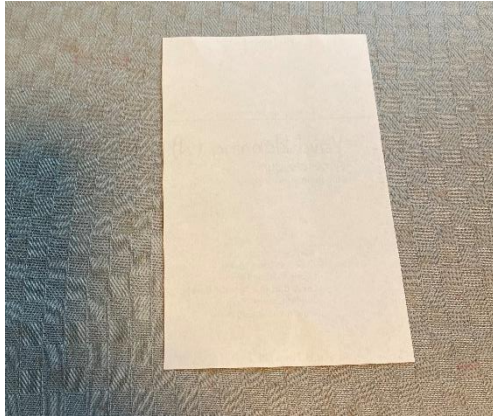
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The pattern is made for non-stretchy fabric, for example woven cotton fabric. You can also use stretchy fabric, for example cotton jersey.

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1. You should have this pattern piece. Choose the size you need to fit your doll (marked on the pattern piece).



2. When you have cut the fabric you should have this part.
Also cut two 3/16 inch (5 mm) wide pieces of elastic, the lengths are written on the pattern piece.
Mark the line for the lower elastic on the wrong side of the fabric.



3. Overlock/serge or zigzag all four edges.



4. Fold the two ¼ inch (7 mm) hems (the long edges).
Press and attach with glue pen or pins.



5. Sew the hems with a straight stitch. (Use a matching thread, I used another colour to make it show better in the tutorial.)



6. Take the shorter piece of elastic. It should be sewn onto the marked line. Attach the elastic with needles in the middle and on each side.



7. Start by sewing one edge of the elastic onto the edge of the fabric using a small zigzag stitch (in the sewing allowance). Stretch out the first half of the elastic and sew with a straight stitch in the middle of the elastic until you reach the middle pin.



8. Stretch the second half of the elastic and sew until you reach the sewing allowance. Attach the end with a small zigzag.



9. This is what it should look like now.



Close-up.



10. Attach the remaining elastic, close to the upper edge, with pins.



Close-up.



11. This is what it should look like now. (It does not have to be completely evenly sewn, it will not show on the right side anyway because of all the wrinkles.)



12. This is what the right side should look like.



13. Fold the garment, right side in, and sew with a straight stitch.



14. If you want an extra nice finish you can also sew an additional seam on top of the existing hem seams close to the rear seam.



Close-up.



15. Cut off all loose thread ends and turn the right side out.

Finished!



Curvy Barbie

"Original" Barbie



Skipper

Older Barbie (80's/90's?)



Pregnant Barbie copy (90's/00'?)