

MATERIALS LIST

- [Valencia Pants Pattern](#) (digital only)
- Valencia Pants Kit (optional purchase)
 - [Venetian Red](#)
 - [Gold](#)
 - [Sea Green](#)
 - [Orchid](#)
 - [Bordeaux](#)
 - [Charcoal](#)
 - [Peacock Blue](#)
 - [Black](#)
 - [Electric Blue](#)
- Or use:
 - Polyester / Spandex Stretch Crepe
 - 45" wide
 - 2 $\frac{2}{3}$ yards XS-XXL
 - 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ yards 1X - 5X
 - 60" wide
 - 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ yards XS-M
 - 2 $\frac{2}{3}$ yards L - XXL
 - 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ yards 1X - 5X
- 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ yard 1" Elastic
- 1 Spool Cotton Thread
- 75/11 Universal Machine Needle
- Pinking Sheers
- Silk Basting Thread
- Hand Sewing Needle
- [Rotary Cutter](#) – recommended but [shears](#) are fine
- [Trimming Scissors](#) or Snips
- [Glasshead Silk Pins](#)
- Pattern Weights
- [Sleeve Board](#)
- [Chakoner](#) or other Chalk Marker
- [Seam Ripper](#)
- Walking Foot or engage even feed feature
- Steam Iron
- Manilla Folder Pressing Template

You will need a sewing machine that has been cleaned and oiled and is in good condition. If your machine also embroiders and has a 9mm throat plate, you may want to invest in a 5mm-wide throat plate. If you have the even-feed feature on your machine, engage it. If not, add a walking foot, if possible.

PREPARATION

Plan to have the following work done before the start of the video class. Download and print out the Valencia Pants pattern.

Pattern Work

Determine your size for the pants using your hip measurement. Refer to the Size Measurement Chart on the back of the pattern envelope or last page of the digital pattern. Use this chart to find your hip measurement and select that size. Then measure the hip circumference on the pattern. Compare the finished measurements to your hip size and you will know how much design ease is built into the pattern. Make any of your standard fitting alterations.

Use a rotary cutter to cut a hem pressing template 1 $\frac{5}{8}$ " wide X 11"

Fabric Prep

Pre-wash and dry the fabric on cool settings.

Cutting Out

Cut out each pattern piece on a single layer of fabric making sure that you are using the exact straight of grain of the fabric. Use a rotary cutter for clean cutting lines.

Mark the dots using silk thread tailor's tacks. Mark these before you move the cut pieces from the table.

Video + Q&A Access

This month the class and Q&A will air live via Zoom on December 9, 2021. If you can't join us for the live class, the Zoom will be recorded and uploaded to your account. Details and links for accessing the class Zoom link and uploaded video will be sent to you prior to the class in a separate email.

Thanks for joining me in this year of sewing.

Let's sew with confidence,
Linda