

## Sewing Pattern — Skirt 4326

Recommendations on fabric: light-weight suiting fabric.

You will also need: interfacing, invisible zipper

If the pattern has a double line around it, the seam allowances are included.

**Note:** By default, seam allowances are NOT included (single line) and will need to be added when laying out and cutting details.

Seam allowances: all seams - 1 cm, hem of the garment – 3 cm.

Attention! First of all, please print all the paper patterns and lay them out at the width of fabric you plan to use (usually from 90 to 150 cm) to see how much fabric you will need. Don't forget to take into account pieces to be duplicated or cut on a fold.

When sewing the garment, pay attention to notches, they must match up with corresponding pieces.



### **CUTTING:**

The word, “beam” used on some patterns means “straight of grain”. Some pieces will be cut on the fold, this is noted on the pattern piece. Mark all notches and other design features such as darts, pleats etc. from the pattern onto your fabric.

#### Main fabric:

1. Upper back – cut 2
2. Side back – cut 2
3. Lower back – cut 2
4. Center front – cut 1
5. Side front – cut 2
6. Front yoke – cut 2
7. Back facing – cut 2
8. Flounce – cut 1 on fold

#### Interfacing:

1. Back facing – cut 2
2. Front yoke – cut 1

### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Apply fusing to listed pieces.
2. Sew side backs to upper back, serge and press seam allowances towards center. Topstitch along seam at 0.1 cm.
3. Serge separately center edges of upper back. Sew center seam from zipper mark to hem. Press the seam apart including opening for zipper. Sew in zipper.
4. Make a bow pleat on flounce. Sew flounce to upper back, serge seam allowance and press upwards.
5. Sew side backs to back, serge seam allowance and press toward side. Topstitch along seam at 0.1 cm.
6. Sew side fronts to front, serge and press seam towards center. Topstitch along seam at 0.1 cm. Sew front yoke to front section, serge seam and press upwards. Topstitch along seam at 0.1 cm.
7. Sew side seams of the skirt, serge and press seam toward back.
8. Sew side seams of inner front yoke and back facings, press seam allowances apart. Serge lower edge. Pin the facing to the skirt, right sides together, and sew upper edge. Understitch. Turn facings onto wrong side, press. Turn back-center edges under and slipstitch to zipper tape. Tack the facing to side seams.
9. Serge bottom edge of skirt, press onto wrong side, and hem by hand.

### **TECHNICAL DRAWING:**



