

## Coat - Sewing Pattern #4981

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed fabrics suitable for coats.

You will also need: fusible interfacing; lining; 3 push buttons; 2 grommets; 2 cord ends; cord.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm. Upper pocket edge - 3 cm, seam allowance for hem 3 cm.

### Note on seam allowances:

- If the pattern has double contour the seam allowances are included. They are 1 cm unless specified otherwise.
- If the pattern has single contour, the seam allowances are NOT included and need to be added when laying out the pattern.

### Note on length of fabric:

*Attention! The amount of fabric needed for your pattern is not included. It will depend on the selected pattern size, the width, and design of the fabric you plan to use. First, print all the paper patterns and lay them out at the width of fabric you plan to use (usually from 90 to 150 cm). Measure how much fabric you will need. Don't forget to account for pieces that need to be cut multiple times and pieces that are cut on the fold.*



## CUTTING:

### Note on cutting:

*On the pattern pieces, "beam" means straight of grain. Lay out your pieces accordingly. Some pieces will be cut on the fold. This is noted on the pattern piece. Mark all notches and other design features such as pleats etc. from the pattern onto your fabric.*

*When sewing the garment, pay attention to notches, they must match up.*

Main fabric:

1. Front - cut 2
2. Back - cut 1 on fold
3. Lower collar - cut 1
4. Upper collar - cut 1
5. Center front facing - cut 2
6. Back neck facing - cut 1

7. Sleeve - cut 2
8. Pocket - cut 2
9. Casing - cut 1

Lining:

1. Front - cut 2
2. Back - cut 1 on fold
3. Sleeve - cut 2

Fusible interfacing:

1. Front - cut 2
2. Center front facing - cut 2
3. Back neck facing - cut 1
4. Upper collar - cut 1

Attention: Lining for back, front and sleeve is cut using pattern blocks for self fabrics except for the width of back neckline facing, center front facing and cuff accordingly.

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Apply fusible interfacing. Apply fusing on front along the lapel fold , its width should equal 1 cm (fusible interfacing).
2. Sew darts on front. Trim bulk and press towards the center.
3. Serge the upper edge of pocket, fold inside the seam allowance and topstitch. Fold under the side and lower seam allowances of pocket, and press. Pin pocket onto front according to markings and topstitch along side and lower edges. You would need to mark the position of the pocket according to your liking.
4. Sew shoulder edges of coat and press apart. Sew in sleeves. Press the seam apart.
5. Sew side seam, and continue sewing the sleeve seam. Press seam allowance towards back. Sew cuff seam, press the seam apart. Pin cuff onto sleeve right sides together and sew. Fold cuff onto wrong side.
6. Install grommets on front. Pin casing onto coat, right side of casing to wrong side of coat, and topstitch along the longer edges.
7. Pin upper collar to lower collar and sew the corners and the outer edge. Start and stop sewing exactly at the marked line of the seam between collar and garment. Trim away corners, snip into seam allowance near the mark. Turn the collar right side out, straighten and press.
8. Sew and press apart the shoulder edges of the back neckline facing and of the center front facing. At right center front facing sew push buttons.

9. Place center front facing onto front right sides together, pin together and sew along the center front edge. Sew upwards up to the notch marking the end of collar seam. Trim away corners. Topstitch seam allowance along center front edge onto center front facing along the closure, and onto front along the part, which is folded away. Place stitch line at 0,2 cm from seam. Turn center front facings right side out, straighten seams. Sew lining to lower edge of cuff.
10. Sew lower collar into neckline of coat, sew upper collar into neckline edge of back neckline facing and center front facing. Press seam allowances of the collar seam apart and slipstitch them together close to the seam.
11. Sew seams on lining, leaving an opening in left sleeve.
12. Sew lining to inner edges of center front facings, back neckline facing and lower edge of coat.
13. Turn the coat right side out through the opening in sleeve. Sew the opening in sleeve lining closed.
14. Sew on push buttons on left front. Thread cord into casing, attach cord ends to the ends of cord. Fold away cuffs onto right side.

## **TECHNICAL DRAWING:**

