

Introduction to Sewing: Supplies List

FACS 06

REQUIRED MATERIALS:

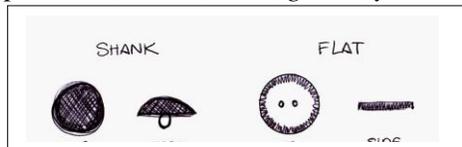
*Backpack, fleece blanket, and embroidery supplies and materials are due in class by **November 9**. Having everything on your list by the assigned date is worth **10 points**. (You cannot fully participate in FACS without the appropriate supplies.) The instructor will provide additional supplies, books and cooking ingredients for which families will be charged \$28 through the business office.*

General Supplies

- Fabric Shears***
- 6" Hem Gauge or 12" ruler***
- Seam Ripper***
- Dressmaker pins - regular or ballpoint***
- Pin cushion or small box to store pins***
- Fabric Marking Pencil or Pen (with disappearing ink)***

Project #1: Embroidery

- 5 colors of Embroidery Floss - in contrasting shades that complement each other (For example: red, violet, blue, green, yellow, orange)***
- 2 Flat Buttons***
- 1 Shank Button***



- Embroidery Needle Threader – optional, but VERY helpful. (Regular needle threaders are not strong enough to pull floss through a needle.)***
- Embroidery Needle s (will be provided – we use size 20 Tapestry Needles if you would like to purchase extra)***
- 7" Embroidery Hoop (will be provided)***

Project #2: No Sew Fleece Blanket

4 yards (your choice) Polar fleece (fuzzy, blanket type; not sweat shirt type!). 4 yards will yield a 6' finished blanket.

**** If you would like your blanket to have 2 different sides you can choose 2 fabrics. Simply purchase 2 yards each of 2 different fabrics. (Example: For a 6' blanket purchase 2 yards of a striped fleece for one side and 2 yards of a polka dot fleece for the other side.)**

Project #3: Drawstring Backpack

The backpack will be made using a sewing machine. Each student will need to purchase fabric and thread from a local fabric store such as JoAnn Fabrics or Hancock Fabrics. Please select a woven cotton or cotton flannel fabric. **Please do not purchase ripstop nylon, heavy canvas or duck fabric, or slippery fabric of any kind.**

Option 1: If you would like your backpack to have the same fabric all over (body and trim), purchase:

- _____ **1 yard fabric**
- _____ **4 yards fabric ribbon ($\frac{1}{2}$ " to $\frac{3}{4}$ " wide) or $\frac{1}{4}$ " cording**
- _____ **Matching all-purpose thread (Cotton or polyester – not a shiny, silky thread)**

Option 2: If you would like the trim piece to contrast the body of your backpack, purchase:

- _____ **$\frac{3}{4}$ yard fabric for backpack body**
- _____ **$\frac{1}{4}$ yard fabric for trim**
- _____ **Matching all-purpose thread (cotton or polyester – not a shiny silky thread). Pick one that works best with both fabrics – sometimes white, cream, or gray is the best choice**
- _____ **4 yards fabric ribbon ($\frac{1}{2}$ " to $\frac{3}{4}$ " wide) or $\frac{1}{4}$ " cording**

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***No sewing boxes or baskets please!!!** We don't have room to store them. A bin will be provided for students to store their supplies. A small pencil box (no larger than 5"x8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ") or a Ziploc bag is helpful for keeping smaller items together.

***All supplies are due in the classroom by Monday, Nov. 9th.**