





# Viking Sewing Center

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<p><b>GARMENT FITTING</b></p>	<p><i>Please note that the classes on this list may not be scheduled on the current calendar of events. If you see a class that is not currently scheduled, call our Cupertino store to be put on our To Be Held List. We will call you when it is scheduled.</i></p>
	<p><b>Fitting Pretty (Upstairs) Specialty fitting techniques for upper body</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>Instructor: Lauri Dilbeck</b></span>          Ever spend hours making a shirt to find it didn't fit right? End the dilemma once and for all! Knowing how to fit a commercial pattern to your unique body type goes a long way to making you look fabulous! Create a basic shirt pattern that fits you perfectly and can be used as a guideline with any commercial pattern or as a template to create your own designs!  <i>Experience with garment construction, general knowledge of sewing terminology and ability to use a sewing machine and measuring tools is mandatory.</i></p>
	<p><b>Fitting Pretty (Downstairs) Specialty fitting techniques for lower body</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>Instructor: Lauri Dilbeck</b></span>          Can't get those pants for fit properly?! It can be frustrating to fit a commercial pattern to our lower bodies, but after this class you will have no problems! Take home a basic pants pattern you can use as a template on any commercial pattern or use to create your own pants designs.  <i>general knowledge of sewing terminology and ability to use a sewing machine and measuring tools is mandatory.</i></p>
<p><b>GENERAL SEWING</b></p>	<p><i>Please:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Check the calendar for specific projects, times and fees</li> <li>• Not all classes are taught currently</li> <li>• Read class and store policy.</li> </ul>
	<p><b>AdultSew– Getting Started Get Started Sewing</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>Instructor: Lauri Dilbeck</b></span>  <b>(Pre-requisite for Adult Sew)</b>          Learn to use a commercial pattern to determine materials requirements, lay out the pattern, and cut and mark the fabric. Learn to set-up and do basic stitching on a class sewing machine. <i>Ages 16 and up.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Patterns, basic sewing supplies and fabrics are not included in fee. And are to be purchased separately.</li> <li>• A 10% discount is given on notions, books, patterns, and accessories used in class when purchased from Viking Sewing center. Must have supply list and be registered for a class at time of purchase.</li> <li>• Patterns will be given to student during first class.</li> </ul>
	<p><b>AdultSew &amp; Beyond Basics (Is included on calendar as AdultSew)</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>Instructor: Ivy Orcutt</b></span>          Beginning/Continuing Sewers— Students will learn to understand the instructions in a commercial pattern plus learn all the sewing machine techniques required to construct a sewing project appropriate for their experience level.  <b>Pre-requisite:</b> <i>Get Started Sewing class or equivalent. Ages 16 and up.</i></p>
	<p><b>Adult Sewing Café</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>Instructor: Viking Sewing Center</b></span>          Pre-registration is encouraged as seating is limited. Payment will be required at time of registration. This class allows students to work on projects with a professional sewist on hand. Student is expected to work independently with only occasional help from consultant. Fee is for a two-hour time slot and reserves one five foot table per fee. If project requires a larger work space, student will be required to purchase more than one table.  <b>Note: If Viking Classroom machine is used, student will be required to take 30-minute Basic Machine Class for a fee of \$30. This is a one-on-one lesson. After completion of Basic Machine Class, rental fee for machine usage will be waived.</b></p>
	<p><b>Sew Open Café No Fee</b>          Registration for this class includes use of 1 six foot table space. Student is expected to work independently without help from Viking professional.  <b>Note: If Viking Classroom machine is used, student will be required to take 30-minute Basic Machine Class for a fee of \$30. This is a one-on-one lesson. After completion of Basic Machine Class, rental fee for machine usage is \$10 per two hours.</b></p>
<p><b>Sewing Machines and Sergers Basics</b></p>	<p><b>Didn't get lessons with your machine?</b>          We offer one-on-one instructions if you need to learn the basics of your sewing machine or serger. Call our San Jose store: 408.298.5696 or Cupertino store: 408.255.6646 for fee information and requirements.</p>

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<p><b>GENERAL SEWING</b></p>	
	<p><b>Sewing Techniques 101</b> Beyond Basics. Learn a variety of sewing techniques: topstitched and blind hems, centered, lapped, and invisible zipper installations, and basic alterations for existing garments. Students must have completed at least one session (3 lessons) of Adult Sew class or can set-up and operate their sewing machine independently. <b>Instructor: Ivy Orcutt</b></p>
	<p><b>Sewing Techniques: Shirts</b> Learn shirt/blouse construction techniques: Yokes, darts, sleeves, collars, cuffs, buttonholes, and hems as you sew your own blouse/ shirt. Homework is required. Pre-requisites: Must have basic sewing machine skills and be able to independently cut out the fabric for your project. At least two months of AdultSew class or equivalent. Ages 16 and up <b>Instructor: Ivy Orcutt</b></p>
	<p><b>Sewing Techniques: Lingerie</b> Join us in class to make a lingerie top (chemise, camisole) and bottom (panties, shorts). Class will include demonstrations of techniques for: controlling slippery/stretchy lingerie fabrics during cutting and stitching; sewing seams that don't break or wiggle, attaching lace and elastics, and hemming raw edges. <b>Instructor: Ivy Orcutt</b></p>
<p><b>SERGERS</b></p>	<p>These classes are open to all makes and models of sergers.</p>
	<p><b>Serger Basics Huskylock Sergers only. If you have another brand please call.</b> This workshop is designed to help you understand your 3/4-thread serger. You will learn how to thread, change needles, identify loopers, use differential feed, change width, length and tensions. (Cover stitch and rolled edge will not be included in this class). If you purchased your Huskylock 905,910, S21 or 936 within the past 5 years from Viking Sewing Center the \$25 fee will be waived if classes were included with purchase. Proof of purchase required. Fee for Huskylocks purchased elsewhere: Please call. All machines must be in good working order at time of class. No refunds will be given if machine does not work properly. <b>Instructor: Viking Sewing Center</b></p>
	<p><b>Serge Sexy! (Learning Lingerie Techniques on the Serger)</b> Learn easy lingerie techniques on your serger, while constructing a soft and slinky chemis with sexy lace trim. You'll love the silky fabrics you can use, and feel so feminine in your new serged lingerie! Or give it as a gift—bridal showers are aplenty! <b>Instructor: Lauri Dilbeck</b></p>
	<p><b>Minor Sergery</b> Now that you've mastered threading and adjusting your tensions, let's learn some fast and easy tricks that ready-to-wear uses! This hands-on class will teach you how to do easy curves, corners, casings, flatlocks and more! You'll go away with a professional sample booklet and a whole new appreciation for the time-saving machine your serger is! <i>Note: You must be comfortable threading, changing tensions and switching to rolled edge on your serger to take this class. Your own serger must be in good working condition.</i> <i>If your serger needs servicing, please bring it in to one of our stores, at least two weeks prior to this workshop. We service all brands of sergers.</i> <b>Instructor: Lauri Dilbeck</b></p>
	<p><b>Serged Jacket</b> This jacket is constructed completely with the serger—no other sewing machine is necessary! You will love this easy-to-make serger jacket and it's soooooo cute, too! Choose your fabric, decorative thread and serge away! Patterns are available at registration. <i>(Must be comfortable threading and changing tensions on your serger to take this class).</i> <b>Instructor: Lauri Dilbeck</b></p>

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<p><b>PROJECTS</b></p>	
	<p><b>Fabric Boxes</b> Join us to make a beautiful fabric box for that special Mother's Day gift or for storing a variety of items. Learn to make this box and coordinating lid from fabric, stiff interfacing and some decorative thread. We will make a teabag storage/serving box in class and students will learn how to make modifications to create boxes of different sizes and shapes. Students must have basic sewing machine skills. <b>Instructor: Ivy Orcutt</b></p>
	<p><b>Fabric Bowl Beauties</b> <b>Need a quick gift? Need to brighten up your tabletop?</b> Learn how to make a fun, fast, and easy fabric bowl using fabric, stiff fusible interfacing, and some decorative thread. We will make a small-sized bowl in class and students will learn how to make modifications to create bowls of different sizes and shapes. Students must have basic sewing machine skills. <b>Instructor: Ivy Orcutt</b></p>
	<p><b>Litta Bitta Oven Mitt class</b> We will use a litta bitta (little bit of) machine sewing, appliqué, and quilting to make this easy oven mitt. These mitts make great gifts: Mother's Day, Father's Day (think BBQ), bridal showers, and birthdays. You get to choose fabrics to match your kitchen décor, go wild and use lots of bright colors, or use fabrics from your stash. If you have done appliqué and quilting before, here is a chance to experiment with your machine's appliqué and quilting stitches. Basic sewing skills required. <b>Instructor: Ivy Orcutt</b></p>
<p><b>QUILTING</b></p>	
	<p><b>Beginning Quilting</b> Learn everything you need to know to make your first quilt! We will learn how to purchase fabric, batting, and thread. We'll get acquainted with different quilt patterns and piecing techniques while gaining knowledge about a variety of quilting styles. Student will construct a small sampler quilt using several of the methods taught in class. (Portion of first class will be with instructor at nearby fabric store, choosing project materials). <b>Instructor: Lauri Dilbeck</b></p>
	<p><b>Beginning Quilting: The Next Step</b>—Now that you've made your first square-block quilt, it's time to try some triangles. This class is the next step after you've learned basic quilting techniques. We've expanded the size of the quilt and added a few more challenges, but a beginning quilter will still feel confident sewing this project. <b>Instructor: Lauri Dilbeck</b></p> <p><i><b>Pre-requisite:</b> Viking Sewing Center Beginning Quilt Class or equivalent. Basic terminology, usage of quilting tools and construction is a must. Cutting will be required prior to class. See Supply Packet for specifications.</i></p>
	<p><b>Free-Motion Techniques</b> Learn how to do free-motion stitching for decorative stitching, thread painting or quilting on your Husqvarna Viking sewing machine. Class will cover specific machine set-up techniques including stitch selection, presser foot installation, tension and pivot height settings, free-motion mode selection, and needle and thread selection. Students will practice free-motion stitching on fabric and thread samples of their choice. Students must have basic sewing machine skills. <b>Instructor: Ivy Orcutt</b></p>
	<p><b>Block of the Month</b> – Join us each month as we piece a different quilt block. A new pattern and hands-on instruction will be offered each month! At the end of the year, we'll construct the 12 blocks into a quilt top. Blocks will use varying techniques including appliqué, diamond insets, couching and more! All blocks are appropriate for beginners <i>and</i> experts. Supply lists for each block (month) will be given at time of registration for that class only. <b>Instructor: Lauri Dilbeck</b></p> <p><b>PLEASE come into our Cupertino store to see current Block of Month.</b></p>
<p><b>S.H.O.C.</b></p>	<p><b>SEW-ERS HELPING OUR COMMUNITY</b></p>
 <p>Quick Kids QuiltS</p>  <p>Walker Bags</p>  <p>Cancer Caps</p>	<p><b>S.H.O.C.</b> We believe that giving back to our community is very important.</p> <p>Since 1996 a group of dedicated sewing enthusiasts have sewn jackets, pajamas, tee-shirts, quilts, cancer caps, baby gowns for preemies, stuffed toys, walker bags and food aprons for the elderly and physically challenged.</p> <p>All materials have been donated—Now we are looking for more people to help us sew.</p> <p><b>Won't you help us?</b> We meet once a month, if that day or time isn't good for you we can arrange to give you a kit to take home to sew. For more information please call our Cupertino store. 408.255.6646</p> <p>Please contact Kim if you wish to make a donation of fabric: 408.298.5696</p>

