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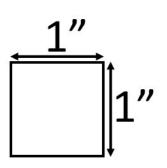
1.Save file to computer

2.Select to print "Actual Size"

3.Be sure "Fit to Page" is not selected

4.Be sure to print the correct orientation "landscape" or "portrait"

5.Once printed, measure the box above to be sure you printed the correct size. If the box does not measure 1 inch high and 1 inch wide, go back and check your printer settings.



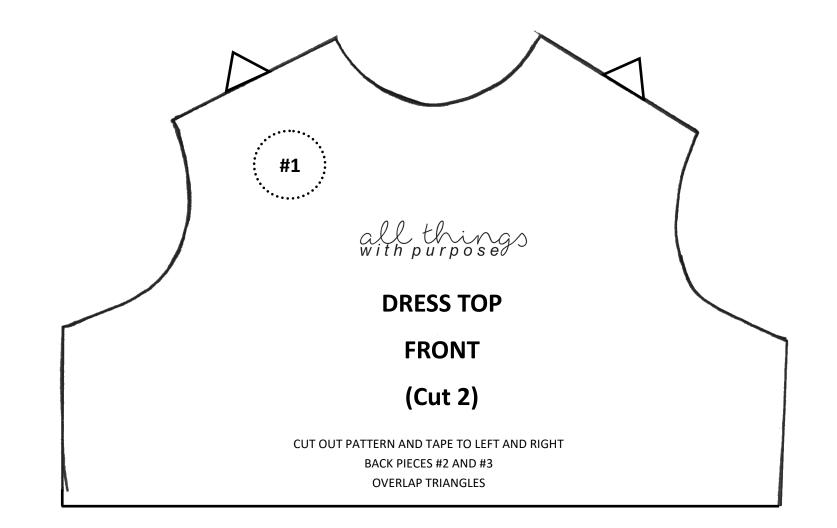
BASIC DRESS FOR 18" DOLLS

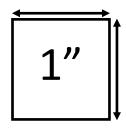
You will need:

- Approximately 1 yard of fabric in the color of your choice
- Fabric or ribbon for ties
- Sewing machine with corresponding thread
- Scissors
- Pins
- Iron

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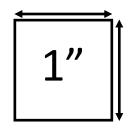
- Cut out pattern and assemble according to instructions on each piece.
- Pin pattern pieces to fabric and cut out according to the directions on each piece
- 1/4 seem allowance is already factored into sizing.
- Cut two top pieces and sew with rights sides together. Do not sew across the waist area, leave this open so you can turn pieces right side out. Pres seems.
- Sew two sides together under each arm opening and then flip right side out.
- Hem the two ends of the skirt and across the bottom.
- Baste across top of skirt and pull thread to gather.
- Pin the skirt, right sides together, across the bottom of top piece and sew.
- Add ribbon or sew ties for closure.



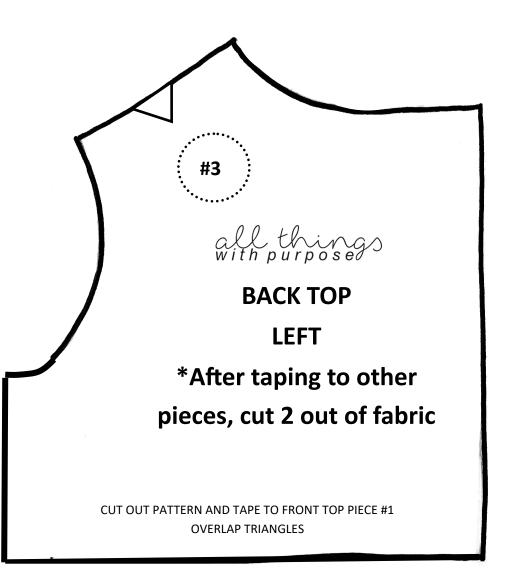


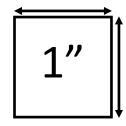
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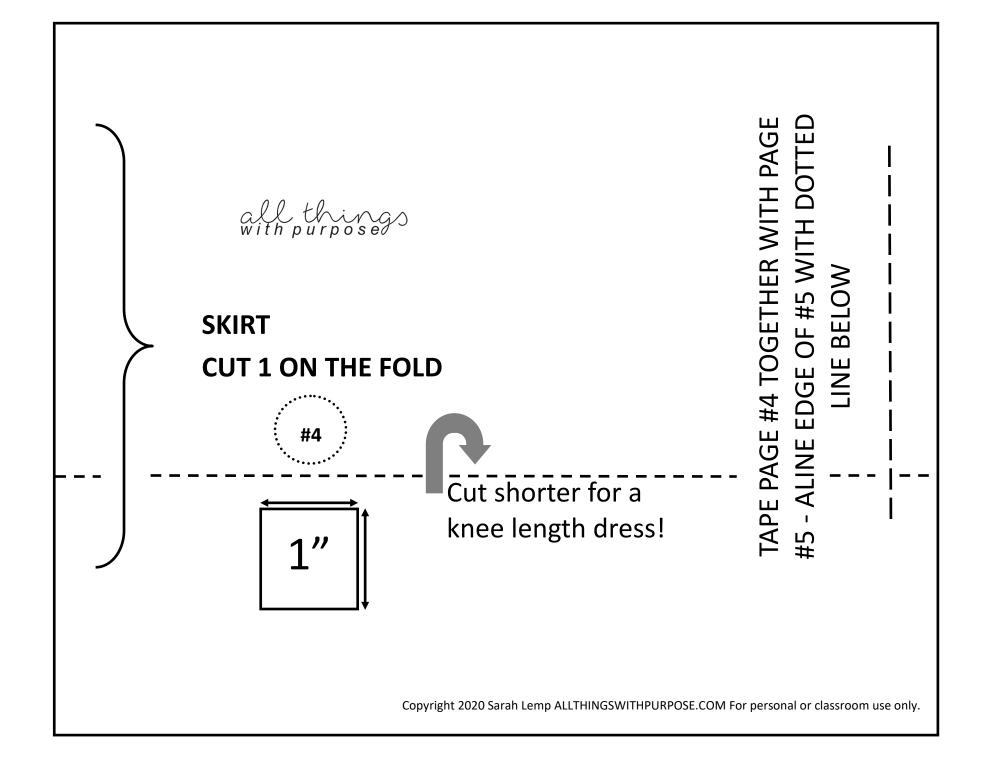


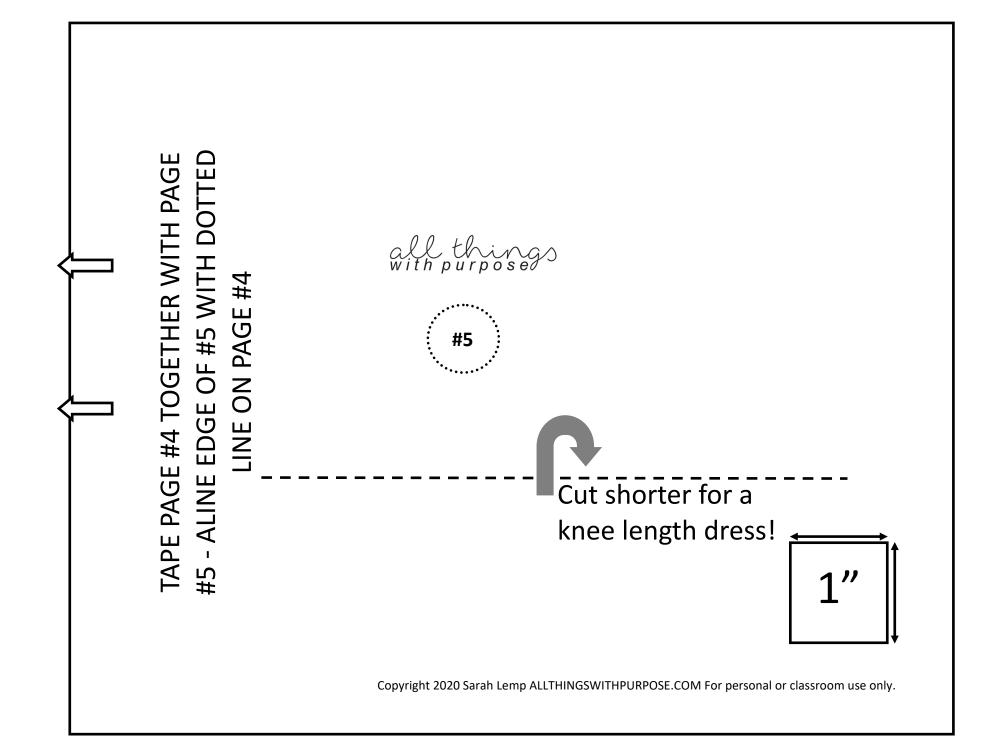
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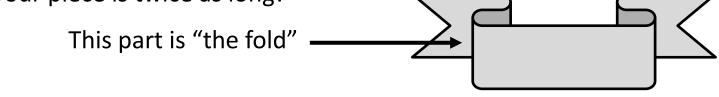


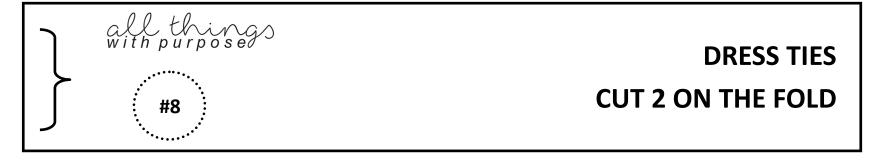
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Beginner tip! When a pattern says to cut "on the fold" it means to cut with the folded edge of the fabric being one of the sides (like a book), so that once it is cut, you open it up and your piece is twice as long!





For each tie: fold in half with right sides together and sew around all edges but one. Flip right sides out and press. Hem edge that was left open and sew onto back or sides of dress.

