

Washi Dress

sewing pattern by rae hoekstra | sizes XS - XXL



This sweet and flattering dress features a cut-out scoop neckline, an above-the-knee hemline, pockets and shirring in the back for an easy, comfortable fit. No zippers or closures are needed, making it a wonderful project for the intermediate sewist!

Pattern includes clear, step-by-step instructions and diagrams, a fit guide and plenty of tips and hints throughout for techniques such as shirring with elastic thread and sewing darts.

MATERIALS

- Light- to medium-weight cotton or cotton-blend fabric such as shirting, voile, double gauze, quilting cotton, poplin or cotton-linen blends
- 1 1/4 yard prepackaged single-fold bias tape (or cut your own 1 1/4"-wide strips)
- Elastic thread
- Lightweight interfacing

SIZING

	XS	S	M	L	XL	XXL
Upper Bust	30-31"	32-33"	34-35"	36-37"	38-39"	40-41"
Bust	32-34"	34-36"	36-38"	38-40"	40-42"	42-44"
Waist	25-26"	27-28"	29-30"	31-32"	33-34"	35-37"
Hip	35-36"	37-38"	39-40"	41-42"	43-44"	45-46"

YARDAGE 44" Fabric

	Dress: XS, S, M	Dress: L, LX, XXL	Tunic: XS, S, M	Tunic: L, XL, XXL
Exact Yardage	2 1/2 yards	3 yards	1 3/4 yards	2 1/4 yards
Recommended Yardage	3 yards	3 1/2 yards	2 yards	2 1/2 yards

ALWAYS REMEMBER TO PREWASH AND DRY YOUR FABRIC.

Exact yardage includes facings and has been calculated for one-directional prints; if using non-directional prints you may need less.

Recommended yardage is given to leave plenty of room for pattern piece arrangement, cutting bias tape, shrinkage, and optional lengthening.

FABRIC CREDIT Front cover sample sewn using Washi, by Rashida Coleman-Hale. Special thanks to Rashida for allowing me to name this pattern after her beautiful fabric!