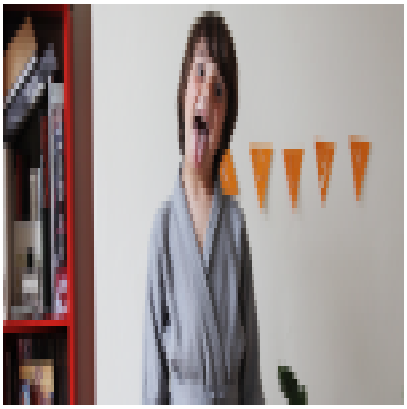


Kids Linen Bathrobe Tutorial

Description


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Following ourâ?? previous Bathrobe tutorial, we decided to show you how to make a matching oneâ?? for the kids in your family. These bathrobes will roughly fitâ?? 4-7 years olds (we know this as we have both a four year old and a seven year old wearing same size around the house, you see the seven year old in the photos). The pattern is extremelyâ?? straight forward (without any curves) and can easily be expanded to fit an older child.

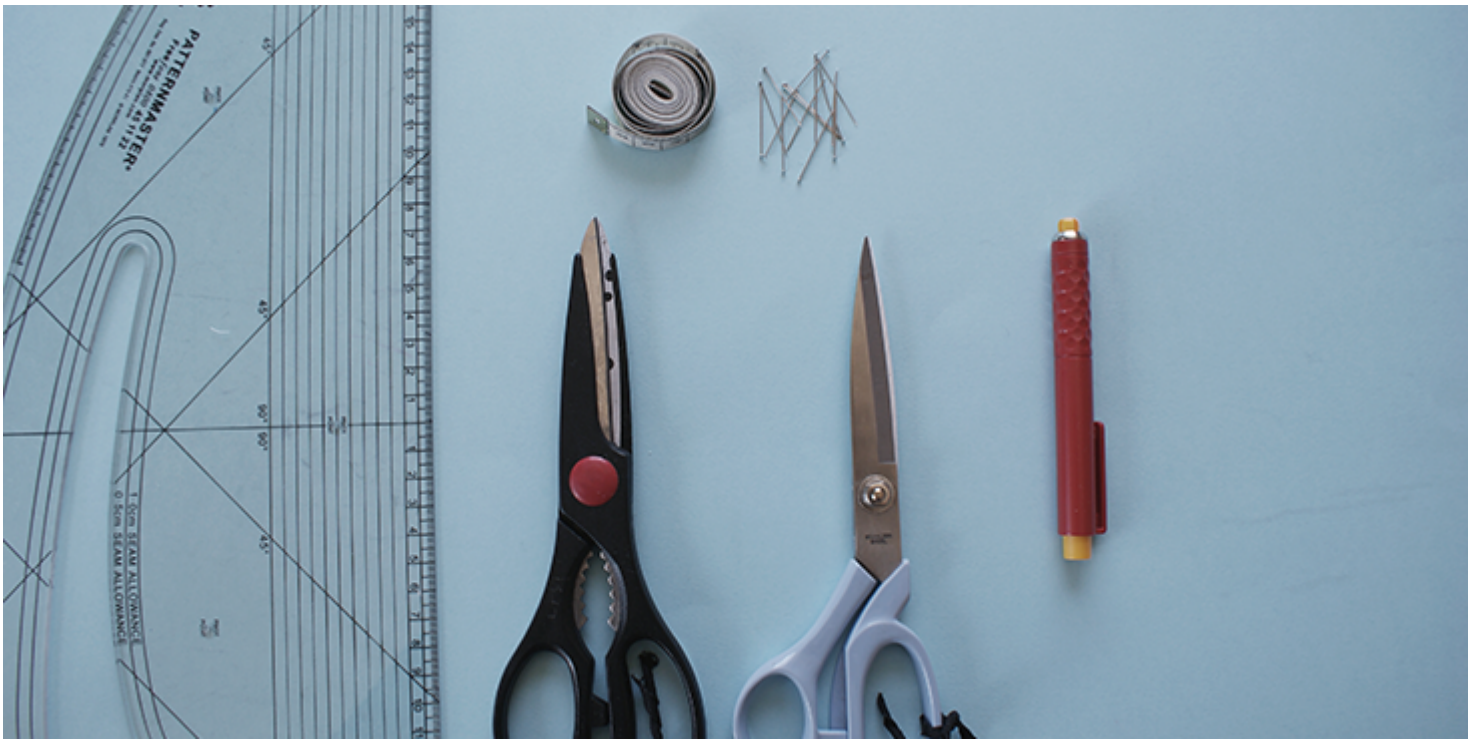
Material

1.5 yards of IL019 Asphalt Softened
Matching sewing thread



Tools

Pattern master, pattern paper
Paper scissors, fabric scissors
Fabric marker, pins, tape measure



Time

2-3 hours

Difficulty

Intermediate

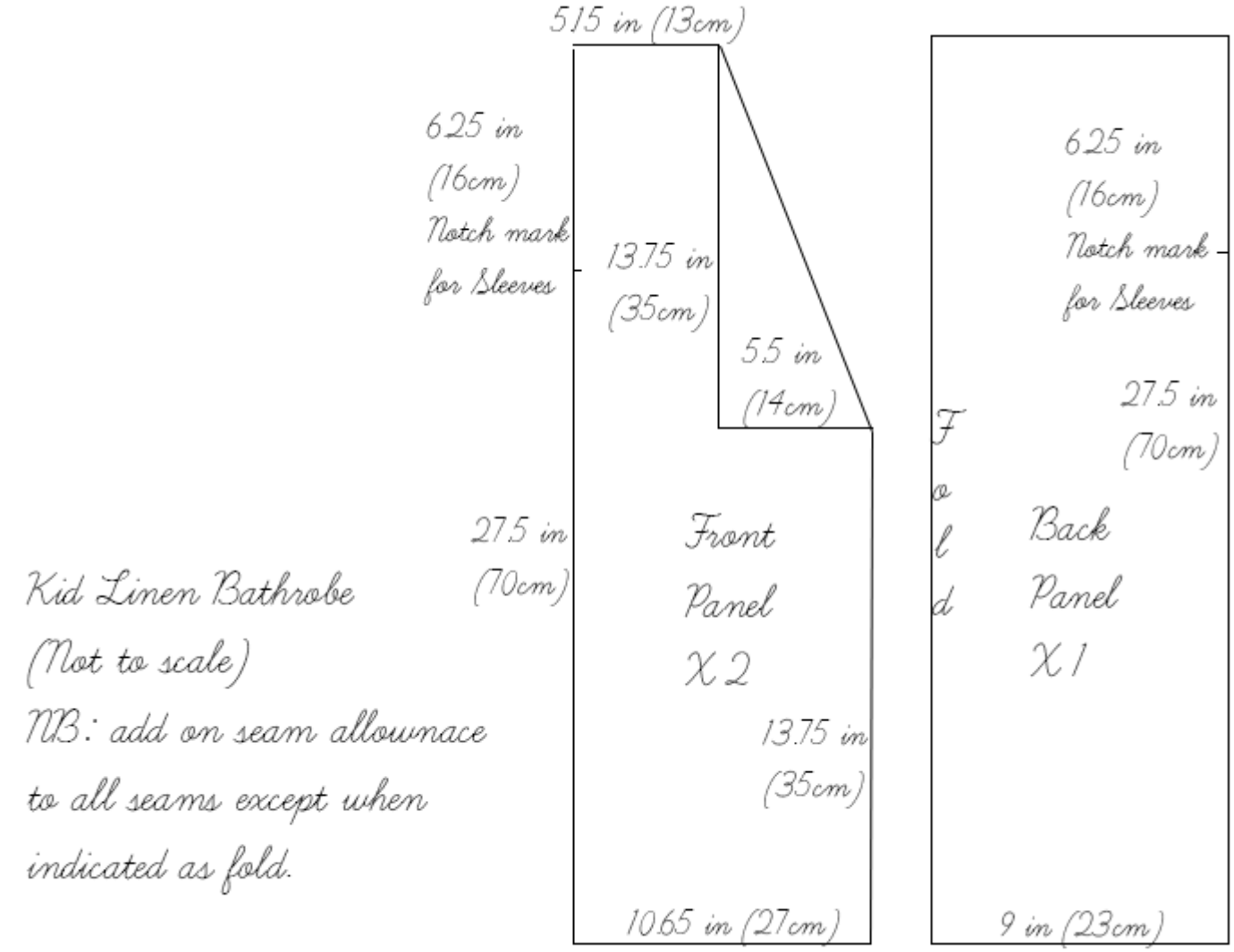
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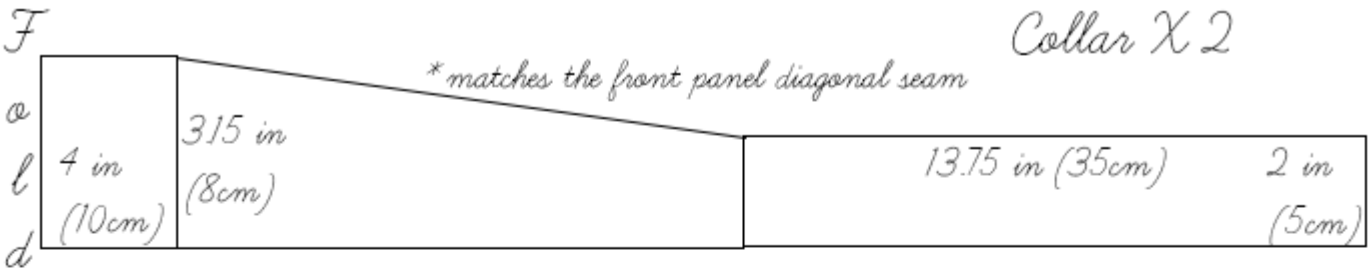
Note: Prewash your fabric and tumble dry it until it is still slightly moist, let this dry in room temperature.

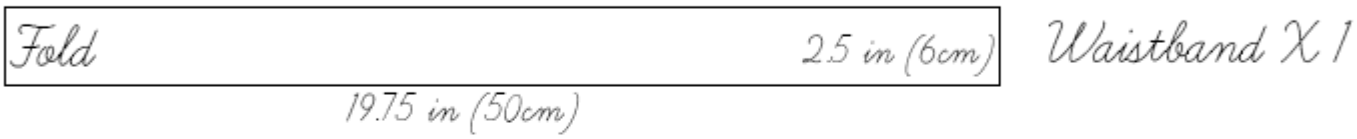
1. Iron the fabric so it is easier to work with

2. The diagram shows the pattern for 4-7 yr old child.â?? If you need help adjusting the size of this pattern, please follow this tutorial. Add on 3/8 inch (1cm) seam allowance on all seams apart from the ones labelled with

â??foldâ??. It will beâ?? useful to notch marked points as well as the centre point of the back panel and sleeve panels.


5.15 in (13cm)
6.25 in (16cm) Notch mark for Sleeves
13.75 in (35cm)
5.5 in (14cm)
27.5 in (70cm)
Front Panel X 2
13.75 in (35cm)
10.65 in (27cm)
6.25 in (16cm) Notch mark for Sleeves
27.5 in (70cm)
Fold
Back Panel X 1
9 in (23cm)
Kid Linen Bathrobe
(Not to scale)
NB: add on seam allownace to all seams except when indicated as fold.


Fold
4 in (10cm)
3.15 in (8cm)
* matches the front panel diagonal seam
Collar X 2
13.75 in (35cm)
2 in (5cm)


Fold
2.5 in (6cm)
19.75 in (50cm)
Waistband X 1


6.25 in (16cm)
Sleeves X 2
Fold
Pocket X 2
Fold
5.5 in

3. Use a serger, or choose your own method to protect the seams from fraying. Make sure the method you choose does not add weight to the fabric.

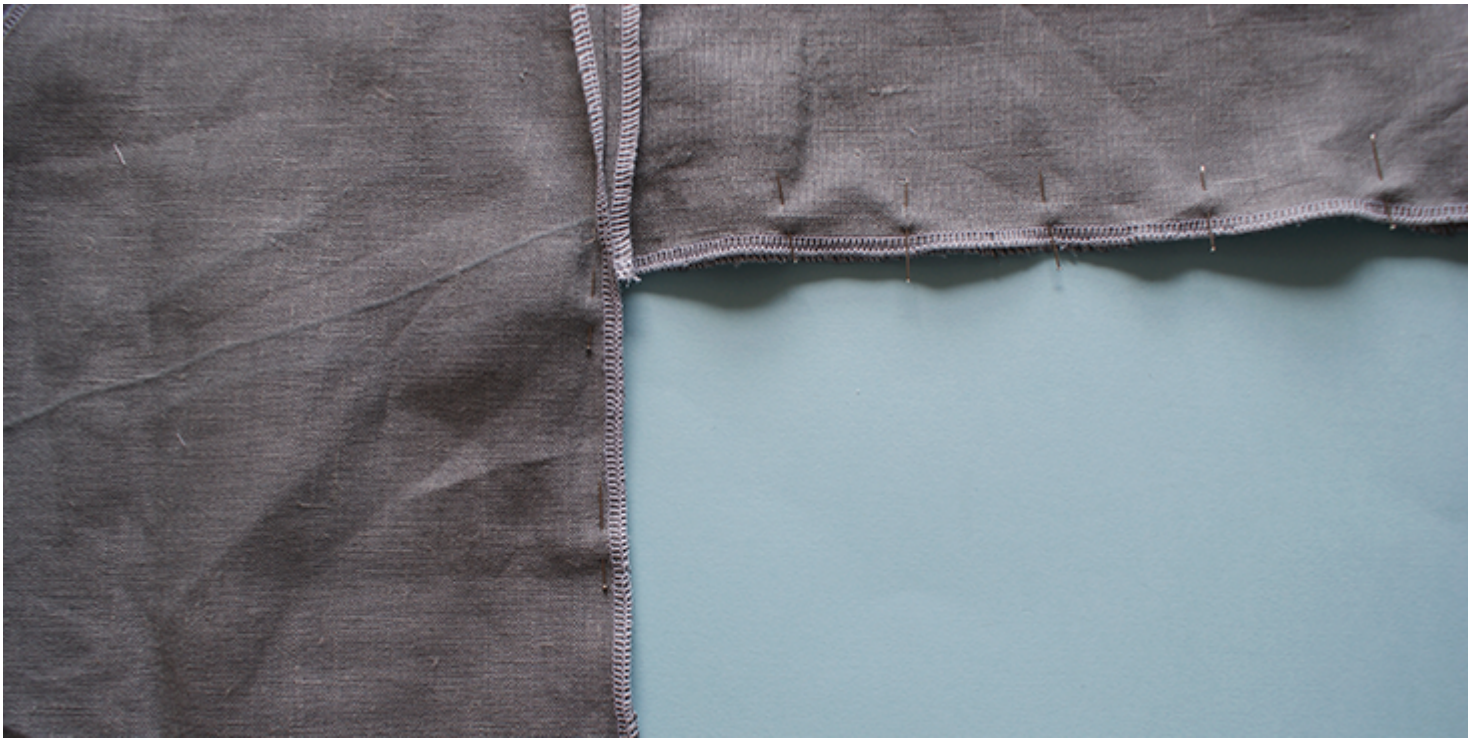
4. Pin the shoulder seams of the front and back panels together. Sew along the seam allowance and press open.



5. Place the top edge of the sleeve panel along the side seams of the front and back panels. Make sure the newly sewn shoulder seam aligns with the centre point of the sleeve. Leaving 3/8 inch (1cm) space from the sleeve edge, start sewing and stop with 3/8 inch (1cm) space still to spare. Press open the seams.



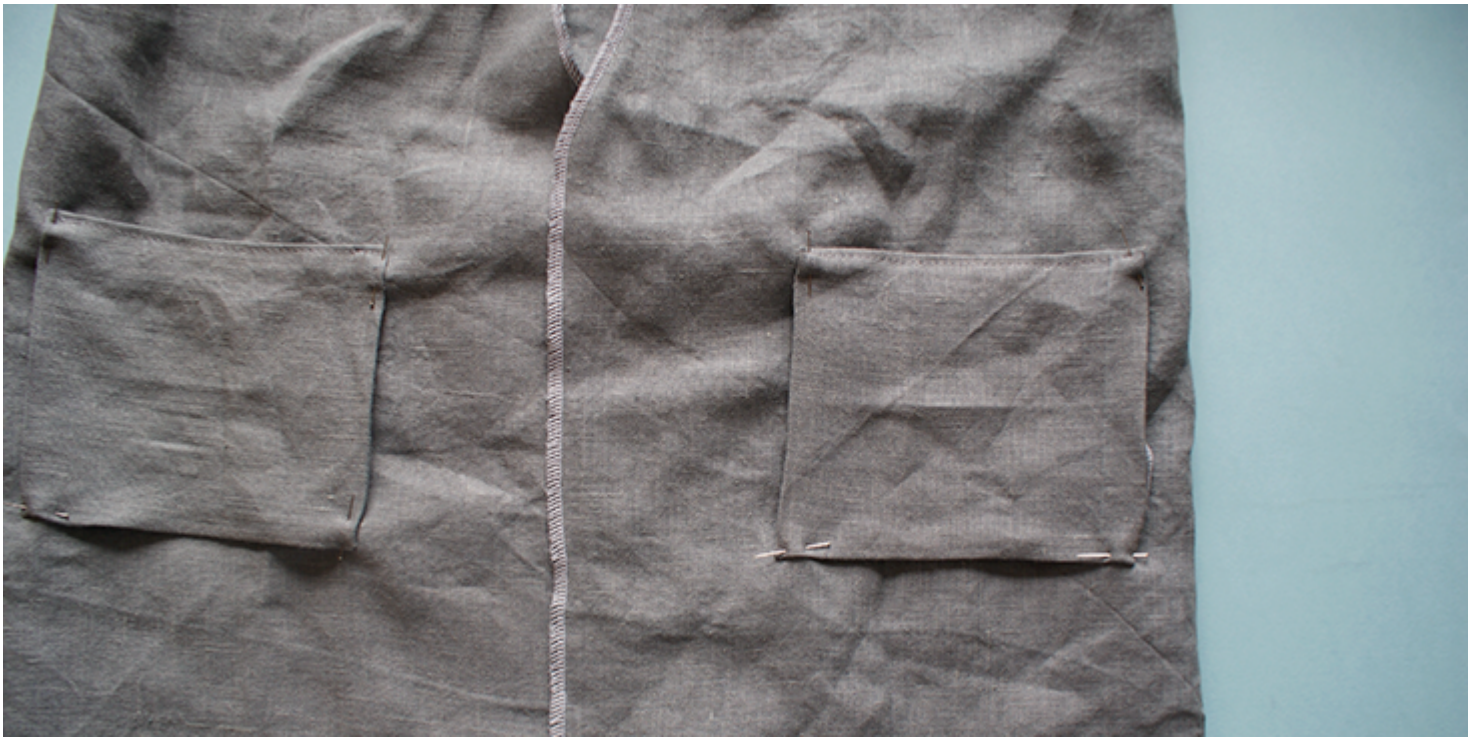
6. With the wrong side of the bathrobe facing outwards, pin the side seams of the front and back panels together, along with seams of both sleeves. Sew along the seam and press open.



7. Press the 3/8 inch (1cm) seam allowance of the pocket panels towards itâ??s wrong side, and top stitch only the top edge.



8. Pin the pocket onto the bathrobe, making sure the placement of the two pockets matches on both sides.



9. Top stitch over the remaining three sidesâ?? of the pockets onto the robe.

10. Pin the long straight edge of the collar panels and the short side edge, stitch them together. Press open. Cut the corner to prevent excess material.

11. Along the slanted edge, press 3/8 inch (1cm) of the seam allowance towards the wrong side of the collar panel.



12. Pin the pressed edge of the collar panel along the front and back bodice panel. Sandwich the bodice seam inbetween the collar panel. Make sure the notched back centre mark matches with the centre back notched mark of the collar panel. Stitch along the pinned seam.



13. Press 3/8 inch (1cm) of the robe bottom edge towards its wrong side. Top stitch over this. Do the same for the sleeve panels.



14. For the waist band, press the panel in half, and then towards the wrong side of the band, press 3/8 inch (1cm). Once you have done this, top stitch over this seam.



It could be nice to create a matching set for your family, or the little ones could play some mix and match withâ?? our great linen selection and choose the ones that they like the most?

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