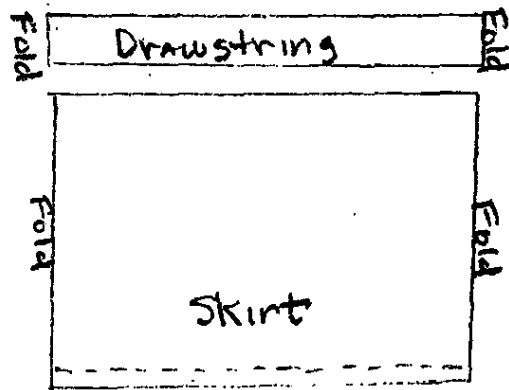


Sassy Skirt

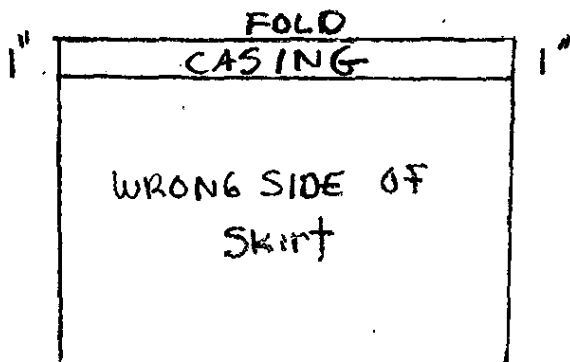
Sassy Skirt Supplies:

extra large or extra-extra large t-shirt
ruler
thread to match
scissors
chalk
sewing machine
straight pins

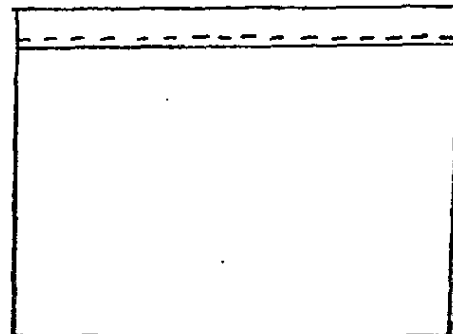
1. Lay out the t-shirt flat and smooth it out. Draw a line from arm-pit to arm-pit with chalk. From that line measure down 1 1/2" and draw another line underneath this one all the way across. The top piece will be your drawstring for the waistband and the bottom piece will be the skirt. Cut along both lines.



2. You can finish the edge of the skirt with a zig-zag stitch or you can use a serger. If you don't have that option than just leave it raw the cut edge will not ravel. Turn the raw edge over 1" and press. Do this all the way around the top of the skirt. Pin in place putting pins perpendicular to the edge. Stitch a 1/4" from the raw edge of the casing on the inside of the skirt remembering to reinforce (backstitch) the end of the seam to prevent the thread from coming undone. Press

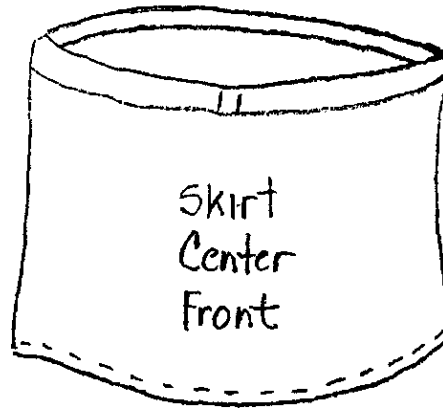


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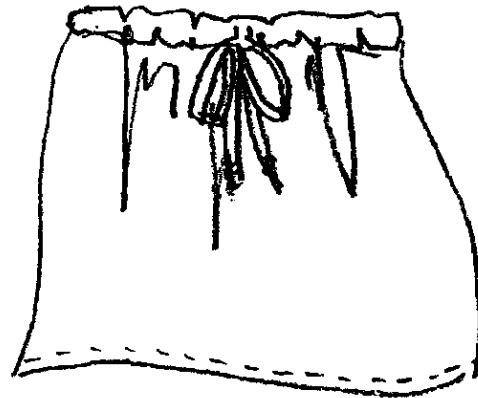
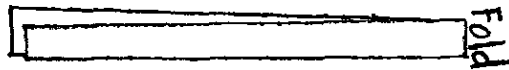
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3. Lay skirt flat and smooth out. It should look like a big rectangle. To find the center front of the skirt you can measure from edge to edge to find the center or fold the skirt in half to find the center. Mark center with a chalk mark. Cut two small holes for the drawstring. Hint do not cut longer than the casing edges or the holes will be too big. (the holes should be small about 3/8"). Cut carefully using the tips of your scissors.



4. The piece you cut for the drawstring should be a circle. Cut the drawstring so it is one straight piece. Put a safety pin on the end and push this through one of the holes in the casing of the skirt. Scrunch and push as you go all the way around. You will come out the other hole in the casing. Pull the drawstring through the holes until it is even on both sides. Tie a knot in the end of each piece of the drawstring. Press.

Congratulations you have finished the Sassy Skirt!



This simple skirt can easily be adapted to hand sewing if you do not have a sewing machine.

Check out these great T-Shirt idea books:

Generation T 108 Ways to Transform a T-Shirt by Megan Nicolay

Generation T Beyond Fashion 120 New Ways to Transform a T-Shirt by Megan Nicolay