

Simple Tabard tops – Adult, Junior, Infant

Tabards are great because they can go straight over your clothing and tie at the waist and they will fit all shapes and sizes. Make them out of sheets, curtains, fancy brocade or chair throws – anything you like. For the belts you could use, cotton twill tape, strong ribbon or curtains cords.

Tabard

Choose your size and make pattern piece as shown with tissue paper, greaseproof paper or a wallpaper lining, or if you are confident - draw the design on the fabric with chalk. If you are not confident drawing the curve for the neckline, use a dinner plate or something similar.

- 1. Place the pattern on a fold of fabric, cut two like this.
- 2. Place the fabric right sides together and stitch the shoulders. Neaten edges with Zig Zag stitch or Over locker.
- 3. Neaten all other edges by hemming, alternatively use a zig zag stitch or Over locker if you have one.

Belt

For an adult belt use fabric 60" long and 5" wide

For a child belt use fabric 48" and 5" wide

- 1. Make the belt by cutting a length of fabric folding it in half lengthwise and right sides together.
- 2. Stitch along the length to create a tube. Turn it through and neaten the ends.





