

# Jumper Dress VIDA

Check out the design examples, rummage around in you ribbons and bindings and start sewing!!! An absolutely amazing dress is guaranteed.

The unique INUIT-Look results from the combination of different fabrics and embellishing the seams with a mixture of ribbons and trims and adding appliqué and embroidery for additional decoration.

The construction of the VIDA alone, even without all the embellishments and fabric combinations ensures an amazing and unique dress.

The jumper dress is suitable for cottons, soft denims, baby cord, cord or jerseys.

The pattern is true to size and allows for lots of growing room. Later on it can be worn as a tunic style top over jeans or leggings.

Detailed sewing instructions and design examples can be found on our homepage at [www.farbenmix.de](http://www.farbenmix.de) – Anleitungen.

Be sure to check the child's measurements against the measurements below to ensure a fantastic fit.

## Fabric

Measurements/Size	86/92	98/104	110/116	122/128	134/140	146/152
Chest (finished)	61 cm	63 cm	65 cm	69 cm	73 cm	81 cm
Chest (pattern)	72 cm	74 cm	76 cm	80 cm	84 cm	92 cm
Length	56,8 cm	63,4 cm	70 cm	78,8 cm	86,8 cm	97,8 cm
<b>Fabric (140 cm wide)</b>	<b>80 cm</b>	<b>100 cm</b>	<b>120 cm</b>	<b>130 cm</b>	<b>150 cm</b>	<b>160 cm</b>
notions	Thread, elastic 0.7cm wide, interfacing.					

## Cutting

Cut out the pieces according to the cutting list being sure to observe the grain. It is necessary to ADD seam allowance to each of the pattern pieces. Transfer all the pattern markings onto the fabric.

### Cutting List

1 – Front, upper (bodice)	x 1 on fold
2 – Back, upper (bodice)	x 1 on fold
3 – Front-/Back, middle	x 2 on fold
4 – Front-/Back, lower	x 2 on fold
5 – Side	x 4
6 – Straps	x 2
7 – Front bodice lining	x 1 on fold
8 – Back bodice lining	x 1 on fold

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## Sewing

1. Serge each of the pieces
2. With right sides together place the upper front and back pieces onto the middle dress pieces and sew. Press the seam allowance upwards and top stitch.
3. Sew the lower front and back pieces onto the middle dress pieces in the same way. Press the seam allowance upwards and top stitch.
4. Take the side pieces and place them right sides together on the front and back middle dress pieces and sew. Press the seam allowance towards the side pieces and top stitch.
5. Lay the front and back dress pieces right sides together, pin and sew the side seams. Hem.
6. On the bodice linings, iron on two small pieces of interfacing where the button holes will be sewn. Do the same at the little V in the middle of the back bodice lining. Fold the straps in half lengthwise and press.
7. Fold the seam strap seam allowance down the long side and across one end inwards, press and top stitch right round the strap. With the straps pointing downwards, take the ends of the straps you did not finish off and pin them onto the right side of the back bodice and sew in place on the seam allowance.
8. Take the bodice linings and sew them right sides together along the side seams. Hem the bottom edge.
9. Pin the bodice linings right sides together to the dress bodice making sure that the corners all line up. At this point the straps are lying in between the bodice and the bodice lining.
10. Sew around the top edge. Trim and clip the seam allowance.
11. Turn the bodice right way out, press and top stitch.
12. Under the arms sew a row of stitching approximately 1cm from the seam. This should extend slightly beyond the side pieces.
13. Thread a piece of elastic through the resulting casing and sew at one end. Try the dress on and determine the required length for the elastic, pin and sew in place. Sew the button holds and buttons.

Finished!

Good Luck and Happy Sewing!