Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Block:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Your hip measurement = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ + 2 to 3 inches = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Pattern sizes – circle the one you are making**

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| Smaller than 35 inches | 35 inches | 37 inches | 39 inches | 41 inches | 44 inches | 48 inches |

**Layout of the fabric**

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|  | * Fold fabric right sides together in a lengthwise fold
	+ Make sure selvages are even and the material lays flat
* **IF MAKING PANTS**: Fold your material in half – LENGTH WISE & mark with pins or tailors chalk
* Lay one pattern piece close to the top of your fabric, grain line ( ) parallel to the selvage
* Measure the grain line to the fold at each end of the arrow. Must be the same distance & pin
* **TEACHER CHECK**
* Now pin the rest of your pattern piece

**If making PANTS - The teacher will mark and draw out your leg length*** Cut the notches outward
* Each pattern piece will have **3** notches
* Mark the two large dots and the two small dots with tailors chalk
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**Inner leg seam and Crotch seam Side Seams**

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|  | **STOP!** The way your shorts/pants are right now are not your side seams* Pin front leg to back leg good sides together
* **TEACHER CHECK**
* Sew at a 1.5 cm seam, straight stitch (5,A,2.5) BACK STITCH AT EACH END
* Seam finish seam allowance together using a wide multi zigzag (5,D,1.5) as close to the outside edge as possible

**TEACHER CHECK**  |

**Casing/Waistband**

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| * Fold the top of the pants to the WRONG SIDE, 1 cm, press and pin
	+ **Pin so the Inner & outer leg seam goes toward back, crotch seam open**
* Stitch (5, A, 2.5) with the edge of the pressure foot as a guide in the middle of the fold. Backstitch at the beginning and end
* Now fold the top (casing) again to the WRONG SIDE ***only 4 cm*** (make sure your elastic will fit)
* Press & Pin
* **TEACHER CHECK** - if not doing button hole go to step

**IF you are doing a button hole for your drawstring do it now – See Teacher for instructions*** Stitch from the wrong side – use the **left side** of the pressure foot and line it up with the inner most fold line. Straight stitch using a **(0**, A, 2.5) as close to the edge of the casing. BACK STITCH AT EACH END
* Now Measure your elastic around your waist to where it feels comfortable and mark
* Insert elastic through the opening and pull through

**(Use Large safety pin for help)*** Fold ends of elastic over each other and Zigzag or straight stitch closed (go forward and back 4 times)
* **TEACHER CHECK**
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**Hem for Shorts or Pants**

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| * Fold over the end of your leg 1.5 cm and press
* Stitch (5, A, 2.5) with the edge of the pressure foot as a guide in the middle of the fold (like you did for the casing/waistband
* **TEACHER CHECK**
* Now fold over the edge again 1.5cm
* Stitch from the wrong side – use the **left** side of the pressure foot and line it up with the inner most fold line. Straight stitch using a (0, A, 2.5) as close to the edge of the casing. BACK STITCH AT EACH END.
* ***YOU ARE NOW DONE – TRIM ALL THREADS! AND HAND IN WITH YOUR SELF ASSESSMENT C:\Users\15261\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\RSUZP4Y8\original_smiley_face[1].png***
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