**Stripe Smarts – Questions**

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Please read the article found on the website [www.epting.weebly.com](http://www.epting.weebly.com) under Textiles level 2 – Course information – Stripes and Plaid – **Stripe Smarts Reading, Vogue Pattern Magazine Feb/Mar 2019**

1a. When do you need to be extra careful when working with printed stripes?

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1b. Why?

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2. When bold and contrasting stripes are placed on the body how can it affect the look of the body when wearing it?

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3. When should you avoid using stripes when picking a pattern?

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4a. When can it be a great idea to showcase your use of stripes?

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4b. What do you need to be aware of?

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5. How do you calculate how much extra fabric you need if your pattern does not call for striped fabric?

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Explain the following two types of stripes,

6a. Even or balanced stripes – what does it mean?

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6b. How can you figure out if the stripe is even or balanced?

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6c. Uneven or unbalanced stripes – what does it mean?

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6d. How can you figure out if the stripe is uneven or unbalanced?

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7a. When laying out a pattern what advice do they give to make lining up the stripes easier?

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7b. Copy out the diagram for each of the above example (p.30)

8. When and where should you be **really concerned** about matching the stripes?

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9. What details in a garment are stripes good to put in different directions such as opposite or bias direction?

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10a. When sewing a seam, where should you place the pins?

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10b. When should you take the pins out?

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**From the video on stripes** what type of stitch does it suggest using when sewing the seams for the first time?

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Then what do they suggest after that?

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Any other important information you got from the video that will help you?

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