# Sewing Tool Identification

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GOAL:

...recognize names of sewing equipment.

...outline safety practices to follow when working in sewing lab.

**DIRECTIONS:** Fill in names of sewing equipment using the word bank below.

Hand Sewing Needles

Marking Pencil

Pin Cushion

Pinking Shears

Sewing Gauge

Pressing Ham

Seam Ripper

Scissors

Tape Measure

Straight Pins

Tailors chalk

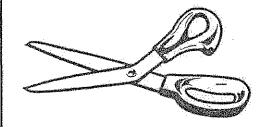
Thimble

Tracing Paper

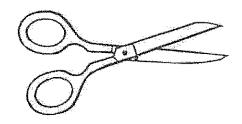
Tracing Wheel

Shears

Seam Roll



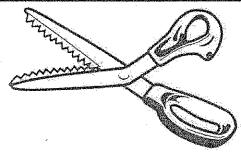
Heavy Duty cutting of fabric. One handle larger than other.



Used to trim threads. Two handles same size.

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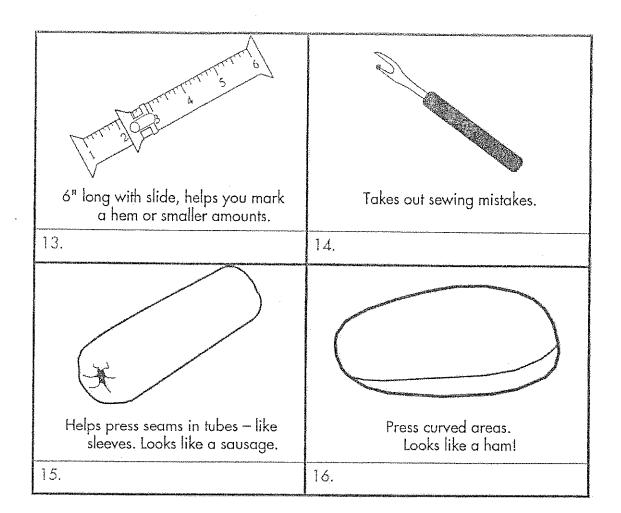
Cuts a zig-zag edge to prevent raveling. Makes a seam finish.

Protects your finger when hand sewing.

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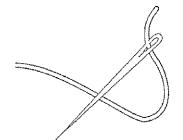
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Stores pins, filled with sawdust which sharpens pins.  5.	Used to hold pattern to fabric or 2 layers of fabric. Must lay flat on fabric. 6.
Different sizes and lengths. Used to sew by hand.	Chalk-filled pencil – makes temporary marks on fābric.
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Waxy coated paper which transfers pattern markings.	Handle & metal wheel with teeth, used with tracing.
Square of chalk, makes temporary marks on fabric.	60" long, takes pattern or body measurements.
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### Safety In The Sewing Lab

RECTIONS:	Write down the safety rules to follow when working in the sewing lab.
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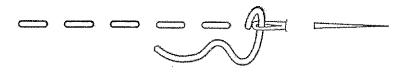
### Hand Stitches

GOAL:

...be able to sew basic hand stitches – used in repairing clothes and in stitching the sewing project.

#### **Running Stitch**

A simple stitch used for gathering, easing and swing seams with little stress. Poke up from the back of fabric, poke down and up creating a dotted line on front and back of fabric. Should be tiny and even and about 1/16-1/8" long. Do one whole row of stitches.

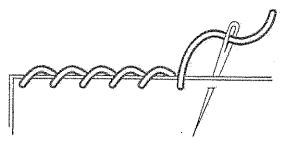


#### Backstitch

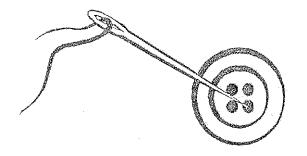
A very strong stitch. Used to repair seams. Begin with a tiny running stitch, back up into the last threads, poke out under, poke through ahead of it and pull. This stitch should be about 1/4" long and make a connected line on front and back of fabric. Do a whole row of stitches.

#### **Overcast Stitch**

This is a very strong and tough stitch, sometimes called the "ugly" stitch. Put two edges of fabric together. Poke up from the bottom and pull, and then repeat, poking the needle up from the bottom. Stitches are one on top of each other and the threads wrap over the edge of fabric. Use this in seams with a lot of stress. Do 1 inch of this stitch.



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## Sewing on Buttons

GOAL:

...be able to sew on buttons, use skills to repair clothes.

#### 2-Hole Button

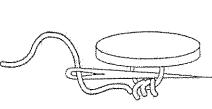
- Thread needle with color to match button. Take a small stitch where button is to be placed. Poke needle through button hole, hold button in place over small stitch.
- 2. Place straight pin across top of holes. Sew with thread going over top of pin and down in opposite hole. Do this at least 6 times.
- 3. Remove pin. Poke needle so thread comes out under button, but on top of fabric so you can TIGHTLY wrap threads around the middle of the stitches 4 times. This creates a thread shank (so you have room for other layer of fabric when you button).
- 4. Poke needle to back of fabric. Stitch in place 3 times to make a secure knot. Trim thread.

#### 4-Hole Button

- 1. Follow directions for the 2-hole button.
- 2. When stitching the extra two holes, poke needle from the underside and continue so the extra thread doesn't show on the top. You must use the same thread for the entire button.

#### Shank Button

- 1. Thread needle with color to match button and take a small stitch where button is to be placed.
- 2. Slip button on thread, hold button at an angle, poke up through hole, down the side of the shank and continue at least 6 times. Then just stitch in place 3 times on the back to knot thread. DO NOT WRAP THREADS because this button has a shank.



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8.	Normal seam allowance is	Line up the edge of the fabric with the
	number	on the throat plate of our machines.
9.	. The pattern symbol that when sewn adds shape to an area is a	
0.	. A row of stitching that joins two pieces of fabric is called a	
1.	Most sewing is done with	sides of fabric together.
2.	Temporary machine stitching or s	titching by hand is called
3.	How do you gather or ruffle fabric?	
4.	Where do you backstitch?	
5.	Why do you backstitch?	
۱6.	What is the importance of cutting exactly next to the cutting line when you cut out your patter pieces?	
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7.	How will you practice safety whe	n sewing?
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