

# *Sew with Vikki Leigh Martin*

## Semester 1 – 2026

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### Sewing Classes – Adults

- Classes run with a maximum of five adult students.
- Each student has their own workstation with a sewing machine and overlocker.
- All classes have been planned with the Victorian Government School timetable in mind.
- Introduction to Sewing, Start to Sew 1, Start to Sew 2 and Garment Construction courses are available on the days and times below. Please note that the Introduction to Sewing course incurs an additional \$65 materials fee.
- Classes are comprised of students of different levels. Students are welcome to re-enrol for as long as they would like.

#### Weekday Sewing Classes

**MONDAY: 11.30am – 2pm**

**COURSE LENGTH:** 4 x 2.5 hrs

**COURSE COST:** \$290

**COURSE:** 1. Feb 2, 9, 16, 23  
2. Mar 2, 16, 23, 30  
3. Apr 20, 27 May 4, 11  
4. May 25 Jun 1, 15, 22

**TUESDAY: 11.30am – 2pm**

**COURSE LENGTH:** 4 x 2.5 hrs

**COURSE COST:** \$290

**COURSE:** 1. Feb 3, 10, 17, 24  
2. Mar 3, 17, 24, 31  
3. Apr 21, 28 May 5, 12  
4. May 26 Jun 2, 9, 16

**THURSDAY: 11.30am – 2pm**

**COURSE LENGTH:** 5 x 2.5 hrs

**COURSE COST:** \$360

**COURSE:** 1. Feb 5, 19 Mar 5, 19 Apr 2  
2. Apr 23 May 7, 21 Jun 4, 18

#### Evening Sewing Classes

**MONDAY: 7 – 9pm**

**COURSE LENGTH:** 4 x 2 hrs

**COURSE COST:** \$240

**COURSE:** 1. Feb 2, 9, 16, 23  
2. Mar 2, 16, 23, 30  
3. Apr 20, 27 May 4, 11  
4. May 25 Jun 1, 15, 22

**TUESDAY: 7 – 9pm**

**COURSE LENGTH:** 4 x 2 hrs

**COURSE COST:** \$240

**COURSE:** 1. Feb 3, 10, 17, 24  
2. Mar 3, 17, 24, 31  
3. Apr 21, 28 May 5, 12  
4. May 26 Jun 2, 9, 16

**THURSDAY 7 – 9pm**

**COURSE LENGTH:** 5 x 2 hrs

**COURSE COST:** \$290

**COURSE:** 1. Feb 5, 19 Mar 5, 19 Apr 2  
2. Apr 23 May 7, 21 Jun 4, 18

#### Saturday Sewing Classes

**TIME: 9.30am – 11.30am**

**COURSE LENGTH:** 4 x 2 hrs

**COURSE COST:** \$240

**COURSE:** 1. Feb 7, 14, 21, 28  
2. Mar 14, 21, 28 Apr 11  
3. May 2, 9, 16, 23  
4. May 30 Jun 13, 20, 27

**TIME: 12.30 – 2.30pm**

**COURSE LENGTH:** 4 x 2 hrs

**COURSE COST:** \$240

**COURSE:** 1. Feb 7, 14, 21, 28  
2. Mar 14, 21, 28 Apr 11  
3. May 2, 9, 16, 23  
4. May 30 Jun 13, 20, 27

**You will find course descriptions on page 2**

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# Sewing Classes – Adults

## Introduction to Sewing

Always wanted to learn to sew? This beginner's course shows you all the important basics. While learning to use a sewing machine and an overlocker, students create samples to use as a reference. In the final lesson, students cut out their own skirt in calico to fit and create a customised pattern. This skirt will be completed in the next course, 'Start to Sew 1'. This course is recommended for those who have never sewn or have not sewn for a while.

**Material requirements** - This course incurs an additional \$65 materials fee. This includes a sample workbook, pre-cut calico samples and a beginners sewing kit comprising scissors, thread, chalk, ruler, pins, and needles etc.

## Start to Sew 1

In this course, students complete a calico skirt known as a toile. The toile teaches students about their body shape. Students are then taught to alter the commercial pattern for a perfect fit. The customised pattern will then be constructed in the student's own fabric. After eight lessons, students have developed sound skills and are equipped to move on to the next course, 'Start to Sew 2'.

**Material requirements** - students to provide all materials and a sewing kit.

## Start to Sew 2

In this course, the focus is on understanding the pattern guide sheet instructions. Students purchase a pattern of their choice and whilst making the garment, gain a fuller understanding of the symbols, language and methods used in constructing a garment through the support of their pattern guide sheet. Textiles, pattern and fabric selection and tools of the trade will be discussed throughout the course.

**Material requirements** - students to provide all materials and a sewing kit.

## Garment Construction

Students who have completed the Start to Sew 2 course, move on to Garment Construction. The aim of this course and all further study is for students to be exposed to the different elements that make up a garment, for example a collar and sleeves on a shirt. Students will construct a garment of their choice. It is advised that students trial their pattern in calico.

Please note: If you are an experienced sewer, you are welcome to enroll in this course.

**Material requirements** - students to provide all materials and a sewing kit.