

# SEWING STUDIO

FABRIC SUPERSTORE



**Class:** The Fashionable Figure: Regency Chemise

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The Regency Chemise is the essential foundation layer for your Bridgerton or Jane Austen outfit—but it also makes comfy sleepwear! In this half-day workshop, you will be guided through the trickier parts of assembling a Regency Chemise. You'll learn how to insert gussets for freedom of movement, how to flat-fell seams for a neat finish, and how to make a drawstring casing.

This class is best suited to intermediate students, but adventurous beginners are welcome (most students will finish at home). *\*If you are also taking the Regency Stays workshop, your pattern will be provided. Otherwise, the Regency Underthings e-pattern can be purchased at <https://www.sensibility.com/shop/regency-era>, or please contact Audrey ([sewing@audments.com](mailto:sewing@audments.com)) if you need a printed copy.*

### **Prior to Class please purchase the following:**

- **Pattern - Regency Underthings ePattern by Sense & Sensibility Patterns**, available at <https://www.sensibility.com/shop/regency-era>. *\*If you are also taking the Regency Short Stays class, your pattern will be provided, no need to purchase!* Please note you will need to print and assemble the pattern before class (the ePattern can be printed on multiple pages with a home printer, or taken to a print shop with a wide-format printer). If you prefer a printed copy, try <https://www.thitherjaneusten.com/product-page/stays-and-chemise-pattern>.
- **Fabric - 3 yards of 45" wide pima, lawn, or another lightweight 100% cotton.** This is your "next to skin" layer so it should be something soft, light and comfortable. *Please wash and dry your fabric BEFORE class!* Some good choices at The Sewing Studio:
  - Pima Batiste - \$11.55/yd - sku 171147
  - Cotton Batiste - \$8.55/yd - sku 268709
  - Japan Lawn - \$13.09/yd - sku 171606

- **Bias tape** - I recommend cutting your own bias from the same fabric as your chemise and will teach how to do this in class. If you prefer, you can purchase 1 package of Single Fold Bias Tape.
- **Drawstring** - 1/8" cotton cord, ribbon or yarn.
- **Also please bring your regular machine sewing supplies** such as scissors or rotary cutter, thread, pins, chalk or fabric marking pencil. Classroom machines are available for use but you may bring your own machine if you prefer.

### Class Policy

- ❖ A minimum of 4 students is needed to make a class a "go". If a class fails to register 4 students you will receive a full refund.
- ❖ All students get a **15%** discount on all class supplies purchased at **The Sewing Studio Fabric Superstore.**
- ❖ Please purchase all class supplies prior to first class (unless otherwise noted).
- ❖ When purchasing your supplies for class, please ask for a special discount slip provided at the front counter. Your purchases will be written on this slip in order to receive the student discount.
- ❖ **There are no makeup classes or refunds if you fail to attend/miss a class.**
  - If necessary you may notify us up to 3 days prior to class start date for a full refund.
- ❖ All cellphones must be turned off or set to vibrate. (Please be courteous and remember to do this *before* class starts. If you must take a call, please step outside the classroom to do so.)