SEWING TOOLS LESSON

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THERE ARE FIVE CATEGORIES OF SEWING TOOLS. NAME THEM.

- 1. MARKING TOOLS
- 2 MEASURING TOOLS
- 3. CUTTING TOOLS
- 4. PINNING TOOLS
- 5. THREAD

1. MARKING TOOLS:

FABRIC MARKING TOOLS ARE MADE IN WHAT COLORS?
RED, YELLOW, WHITE, AND DIFFERENT SHADES OF BLUE WITH A BLUE AND PURPLE MARKER.

EXPLAIN WHY THEY COME IN DIFFERENT COLORS?
THEY ARE USED FOR DIFFERENT COLORS OF FABRIC.

WHY IS IT IMPORTANT TO MAKE SURE THE PENCIL DOES NOT SAY "CRAYOLA" ON IT? BECAUSE IT WILL NOT COME OFF.

THERE IS A MARKING TOOL THAT HAS TWO ENDS ON IT. WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE TWO ENDS? ONE IS DISAPPEARING INK AND THE OTHER DISSIPATES IN WATER.

2 MEASURING TOOLS:

NAME THE MEASURING TOOLS.

- 1. SEAM GAGE
- 2. MEASURING TAPE
- 3. GRID RULER

WHAT IS A SEAM GAUGE MAINLY USED FOR? MEASURING OBJECTS SUCH AS BUTTONS.

THERE IS A PIECE THAT MOVES UP AND DOWN ON THE SEAM GAUGE, EXPLAIN WHY THIS PIECE NEEDS TO FIT TIGHT. BECAUSE IT MIGHT SLIP AND YOU CAN'T MEASURE IT CORRECTLY.

WHAT IS A MEASURING TAPE MAINLY USED FOR? BODY MEASUREMENTS.

EXPLAIN SOMETHING YOU LEARNED ABOUT THE GRID RULER. THE GRID MEASURES IN INCHES.

3. CUTTING TOOLS:

What are pinking shears used for? They are used for edge finishing.

WHAT ARE DRESSMAKER SHEARS USED FOR? CUTTING LARGER AREAS OF FABRIC. What are the small scissors used for? Cutting threads or little pieces of fabric.

What is a seam ripper used for? REMOVING MISTAKE STITCHES.

4. PINNING TOOLS:

LIST THREE TYPES OF PIN CUSHIONS.

THE TOMATO PIN CUSHION, THE WRIST PIN CUSHION, AND THE MAGNET PIN CUSHION.

WHAT IS THE STRAWBERRY ON THE PIN CUSHION USED FOR? HOLDING NEEDLES SO YOU DON'T LOSE THEM.

THERE WERE TWO TYPES OF PINS IN THE VIDEO ABOUT PINNING TOOLS.

EXPLAIN THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE TWO TYPES OF PINS.

ONE HAS A BALL ON THE END AND MAKES THEM EASIER TO USE, THE OTHER HAS A FLAT END AND IS LESS VISIBLE.

WHICH TYPE OF PINS ARE RECOMMENDED FOR YOU TO BRING TO CLASS? THE BALL NEEDLES.

5. THREAD:

WHAT COLOR LABEL ARE YOU SUPPOSED TO LOOK FOR? EXPLAIN WHY?

BLUE, IT WORKS THE BEST IN SEWING MACHINES.

WHAT COLOR LABEL SHOULD YOU AVOID?

EXPLAIN WHY?

GREEN.

WHY SHOULD YOU AVOID CHEAP THREAD?

IT ISN'T DURABLE.

WHY SHOULD YOU AVOID HEAVY DUTY THREAD?

It is thicker and you have to adjust the settings on the sewing machine.

WHAT IS GUTERMANN THREAD?

Is Gutermann thread ok for you to purchase? Explain.

It is ok, it is higher quality and is used for colors.