

If the pattern has a double line around it, the seam allowances are included.

**Note:** By default, seam allowances are NOT included (single line) and will need to be added when laying out and cutting details.

Seam Allowance: 1 cm on all seams; hem guidelines are printed on pattern.

**Important!** Please print all the paper patterns and lay them out at the width of fabric you plan to use (usually from 90 to 150 cm) to see how much fabric you will need.

Don't forget to take into account pieces to be duplicated or cut on a fold. When sewing the garment, pay attention to notches. They must match up with corresponding pieces.

## 2248 Open Blazer with Stand Collar

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed suiting fabrics.

You will also need: fusible interfacing; lining; shoulder pads; 2 decorative zippers.

### CUTTING:

The word, "beam" used on some patterns means "straight of grain". Some pieces will be cut on the fold, this is noted on the pattern piece. Mark all notches and other design features such as darts, pleats etc. from the pattern onto your fabric.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm. Seam allowance for hem of garment – 3 cm.

### Main fabric:

1. Center back – cut 2
2. Side back – cut 2
3. Side front – cut 2
4. Center front – cut 2
5. Stand collar – cut 2
6. Center front facing – cut 2
7. Back neck facing – cut 1
8. Upper sleeve – cut 2



9. Lower sleeve – cut 2
10. Cuff – cut 2

Lining is cut using the pattern blocks for self fabric, except for the width of back neckline facing.

Lining:

1. Center back – cut 2
2. Side back – cut 2
3. Front lining – cut 2
4. Upper sleeve – cut 2
5. Lower sleeve – cut 2

Fusible interfacing:

1. Stand collar – cut 1
2. Center front facing – cut 2
3. Back neck facing – cut 1
4. Cuff – cut 2

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Sew side backs to the center back, press towards the center. Sew the center back seam and press open.
3. Sew side fronts to the front, press towards the center. Topstitch the zipper onto the princess seam.
4. Sew shoulder and side seams, press open.
5. Pin stand collar pieces right sides together and sew the ends and outer edge. Clip curves, trim corners, turn the stand collar right side out, straighten, and press. Sew the stand collar into the neckline.
6. Sew side seams of the center front facings and back neckline facings, press seams open. Pin the center front facings to the garment, right sides together, and sew along the center front edge, neckline (with the stand collar placed between the facing and shell), and the lower corner of the center front. Clip curves, trim corners, and turn right side out. Sew a decorative stitch along the center front edge and the front neckline up to the stand collar, 0.5–0.7 cm from the edge.

7. Sew the elbow seam of the sleeve, press open. Press the sleeve hem. Sew and press open the front sleeve seam. Insert sleeves into armholes, matching notches and easing along the sleeve cap. Attach shoulder pads.
8. Sew the cuff into a ring, press seam open. Fold the cuff in half lengthwise, right side out, and press. Sew the outer side of the cuff to the lower edge of the sleeve, press towards the cuff.
9. Sew lining pieces together the same way as the main fabric, leaving an opening in the left sleeve elbow seam. Sew the lining to the facings and buttonstands. Turn the garment right side out and straighten seams.
10. Mark and press the lower edge of the garment. Sew the lining to the lower edge and to the inside of the cuff. Sew the opening closed. Fold the cuff over the sleeve.

Congratulations – your blazer are finished! :)