

Pattern for My First Barbie, the new big girl at 13.5" tall
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(Will not work for regular height Barbie at 11.5" tall and that's 99.9% of them - if you're not sure you have the larger "My First Barbie" that came out in 2023, check my site for a One Size Fits All pattern that works for the 11.5" tall girls)

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Super basic dress, easy to sew
Very simple, just one pattern piece



It almost fits on one sheet of paper - fill in the corners with a scrap of paper and tape

Back edge

Side seam

Back neckline

This box should print 4" x 1/2"

arm hole edge

Be sure to print 100% scaling and not "fit to page"

Snip these two little marks

FOLD

Front

CUT TWO ON FOLD

Narrow seams allowed, just under 1/4"

Cut 2 pieces on fold

If you spot any errors let me know - me@janelwashere.com

Place the two pieces right sides together and pin

Sew up one back, around the neck and down the other back piece

(The corners of the top back are pre-clipped! Stitch right up to them and turn)

Clip very close to neck stitching

Stitch up armhole edges between the snips

Turn the whole thing right sides out by pulling the backs through the shoulders

(A forceps or tweezer works well to help you reach through and grab it)

Iron or finger press at that point is helpful

Align the side seams and stitch them up

Then sew velcro up the back