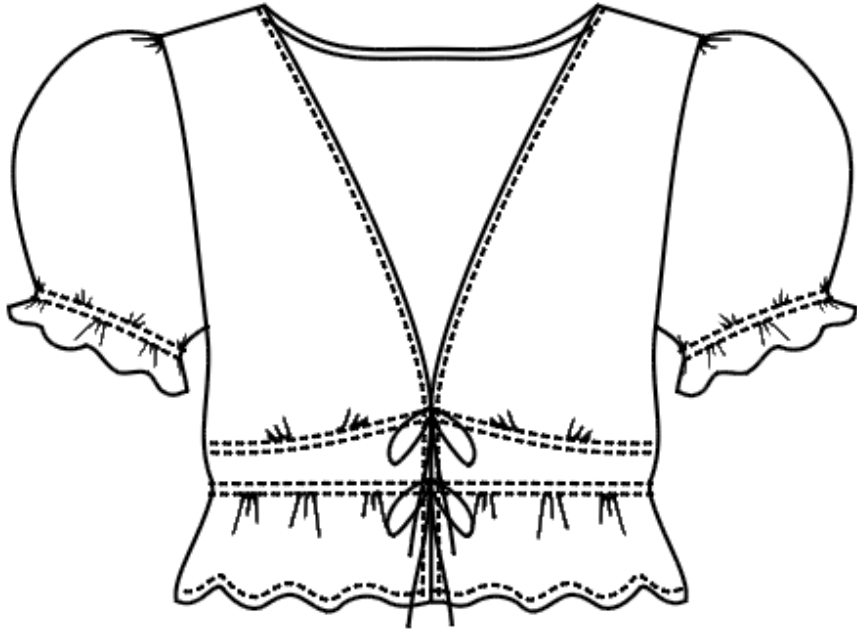
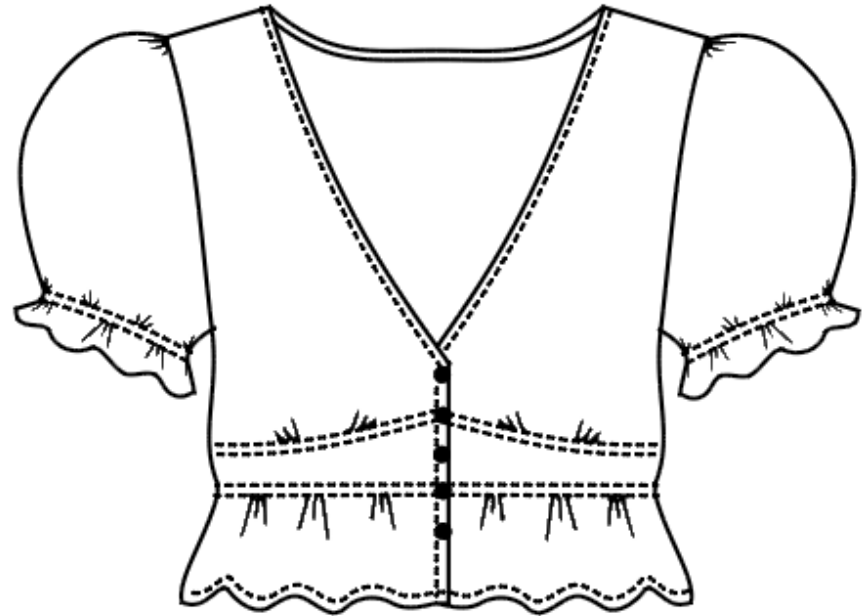


MY hack of the Elliot Top Pattern

A Pattern Hack Tutorial by Hannah-Rose Smith



Original Elliot Top with tie front



Hacked Elliot Top with Button-up front

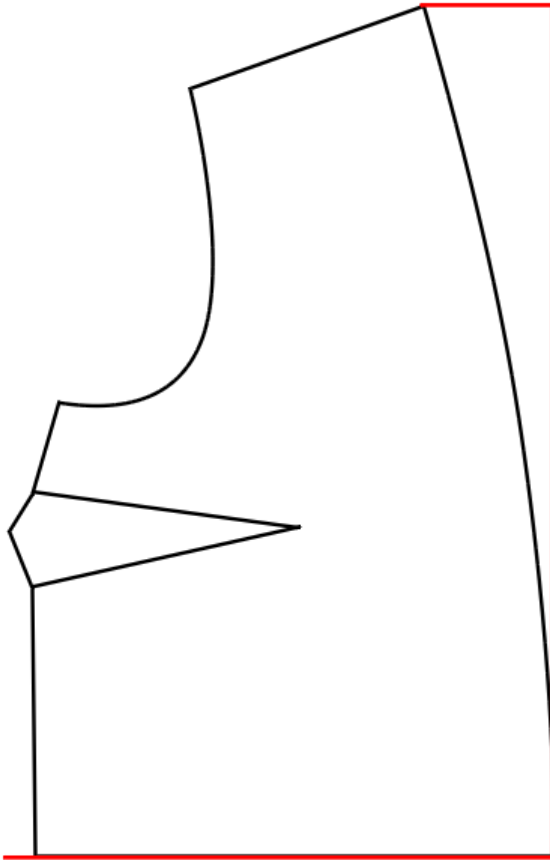
Things you'll need:

- Elliot Top Pattern by Cool Stitches
- Pencil
- Ruler
- Paper Scissors

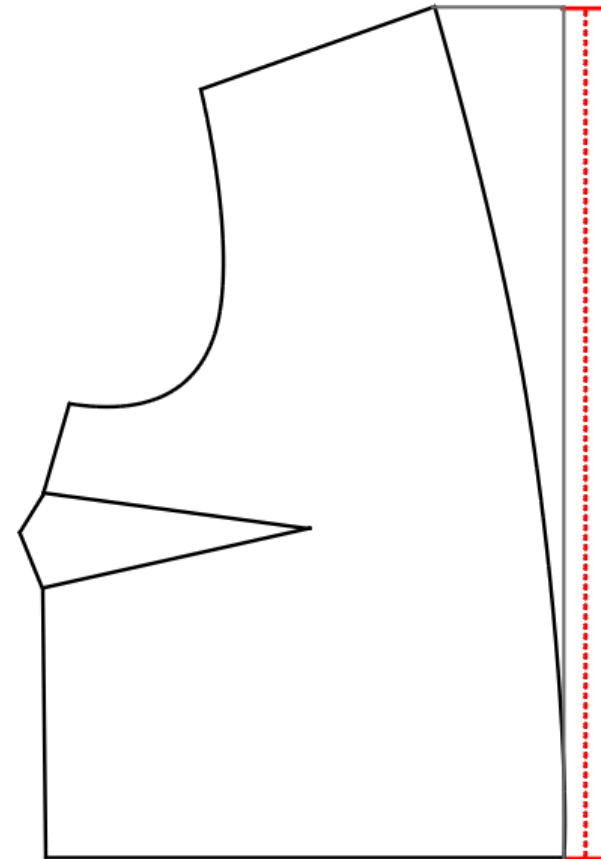
How to hack the Front Bodice

First trace off the size you want to make. Don't cut out the Front Bodice Piece yet.

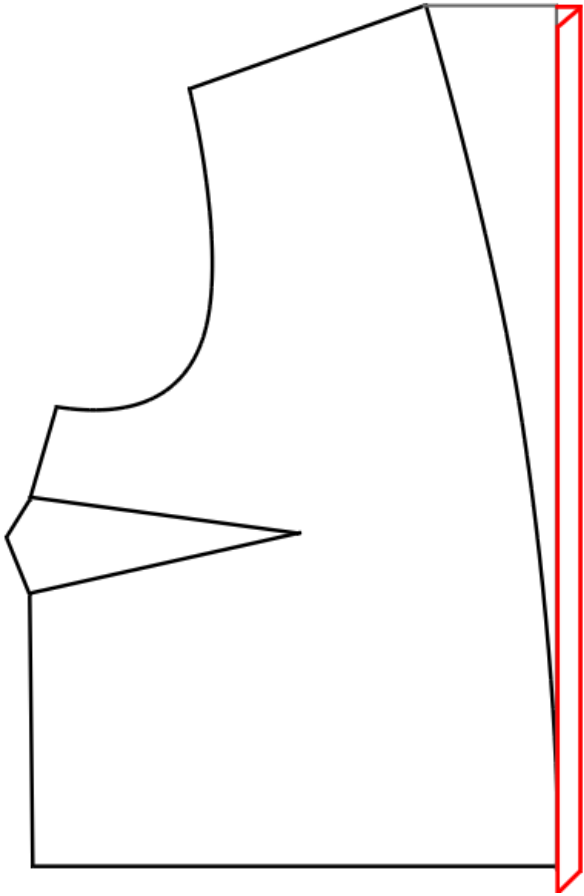
If you need to lengthen bodice, you can do so either before or after these steps. Remember to lengthen both the Front & Back pieces.



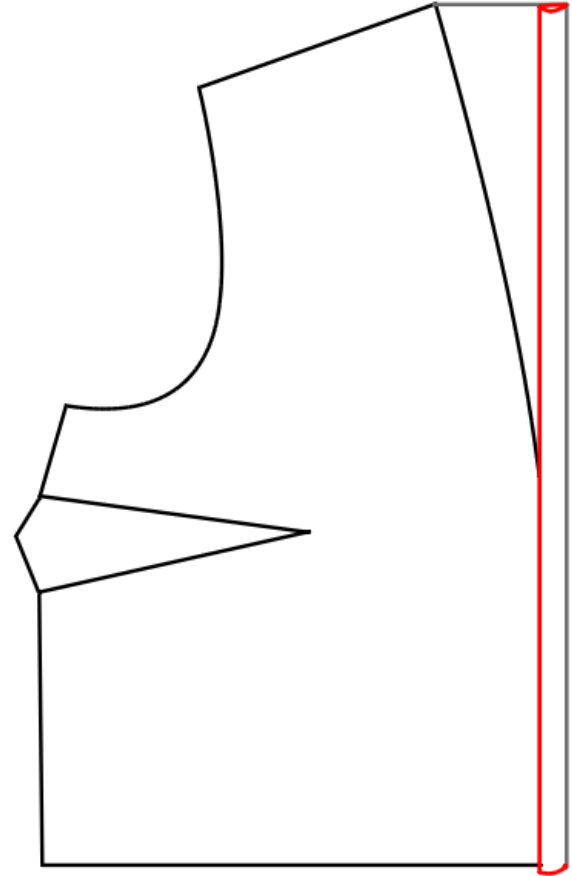
1. Draw a Centre Front line that is perpendicular to the base. Join the line to the Shoulder line (perpendicular the Centre Front line)



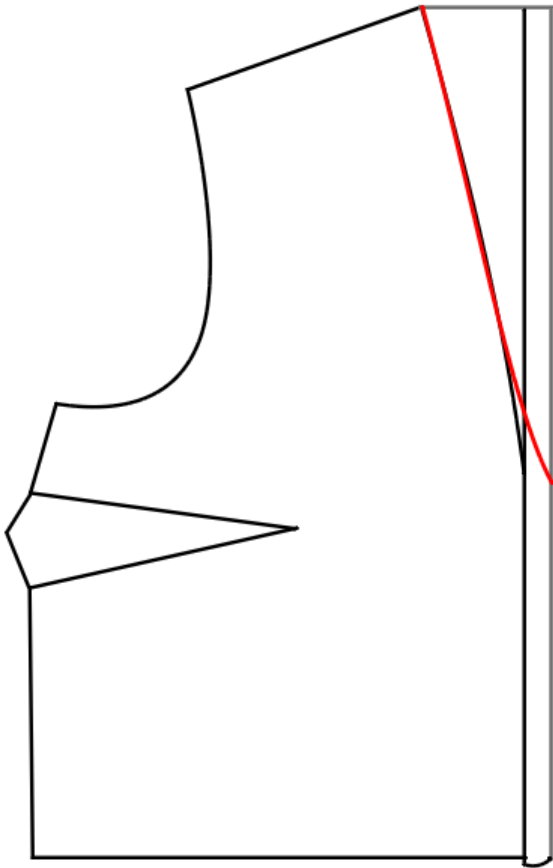
2. Add a 4cm wide rectangle to the Centre Front line. Draw a Fold line (dotted line) down the middle.



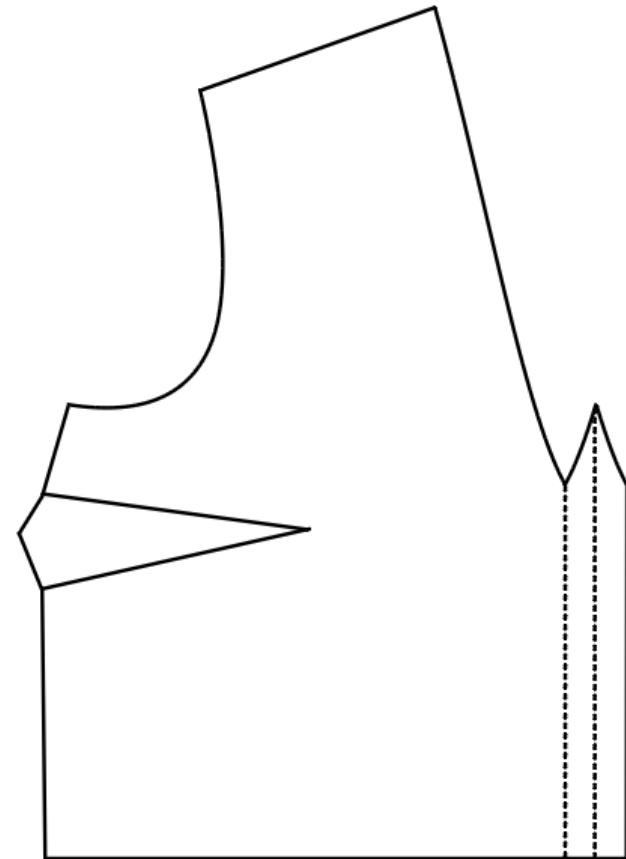
3. Fold along the Fold line



4. Fold again, along the Centre Front line.



5. Draw the neckline. You may need to alter the depth of the V or the shape of the neckline to better suit your preference.



6. Cut out the pattern piece and cut along the neckline while the Button-stand is still folded.
You will end up with the Button-stand looking something like this. It may look odd but once folded and stitched in place, it will look correct.