

# NINO

HAREM SHORTS & PANTS SIZE NEWBORN TO 5 YEARS

LEVEL: BEGINNER

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The NINO pattern allows you to make harem style shorts and pants with an elastic waist and french seam finishes for durability.

The design is made so the child can move comfortably and is also cloth nappy friendly with its oversize fit at the hip.

# **RECOMMENDED FABRICS**

Mid-weight to heavy-weight linen, cotton twill, silk noil, double gauze, cotton flannel, flannelette, wool suiting fabrics and any soft, natural woven non-stretch fabrics with a good drape.

If you are not sure which fabric to use, look up the hashtag #ninomimito on Instagram for inspiration.

# **FABRIC USAGE AND ELASTIC MEASUREMENT**

**Please note:** On this particular pattern, it is possible to cut on either the grainline or the crossgrain. It doesn't effect the construction and it reduces fabric usage significantly.

110cm wide (45in)	0 to 6M	6 to 18M	18 to 36Y	3 to 5Y
Shorts	55cm / 21.5in	55cm / 21.5in	60cm / 23.5in	60cm / 23.5in
Pants	60cm / 23.5in	60cm / 23.5in	65cm / 25.5in	75cm / 30in
Elastic	42cm / 16.5in	44cm / 17.5in	46cm / 18in	48cm / 19in

# **NOTIONS**

- Fabric
- Matching threads
- 2.5cm wide elastic (can be smaller)

#### **BODY MEASUREMENTS**

Please follow the chart below to see where your child would be the most comfortable in and do not hesitate to choose a size up so your little one has room to grow. Please focus on the hip measurement when choosing a size and remember to measure your child with a nappy on if not potty trained yet.

Size	0 to 6M	6 to 18M	18 to 36Y	3 to 5Y
Height	60 - 67 cm	74 - 84cm	89 - 97cm	104 - 109cm
	23.5 - 26in	29 - 33in	35 - 38in	41 - 43in
Chest	43 - 46cm	48 - 52cm	53 - 55cm	56 - 57cm
	17 - 18in	19 - 20.5in	21 - 21.5in	22 - 22.5in
Waist	43 - 45cm	46 - 48cm	50 - 51cm	52 - 55cm
	17 - 17.5in	18 - 19in	19.5 - 20in	20.5 - 21.5in
Hip	45 - 46cm	48 - 51cm	53 - 56cm	58 - 61cm
	17.5 - 18in	19 - 20in	21 - 22in	23 - 24in

#### **PDF SEWING PATTERN**

**Please note:** This pattern contains two files. A Print At Home file and a Copy Shop file. If using Adobe Acrobat Reader, you can choose to print only the size you need by selecting the corresponding layer.

The Copy Shop file can be printed at any printing store onto a large piece of paper. This specific file fit onto an A0 paper or US equivalent. Remember to measure the check square at the store before you go home to make sure your pattern has been printed correctly.

The Print At Home file can be printed at home with any standard printer true to size at scale 100% and orientation "Auto". It contains 16 pages that you need to assemble by cutting the margins and taping the pages together following the numbers indicated on each page. This file suits both A4 and US Letter printers.

If making the pants only, print pages 1 to 10. If making the shorts only, print page 1 and 6 then page 11 to 16.

Remember to measure the test square to ensure your pattern has been printed at the correct scale.

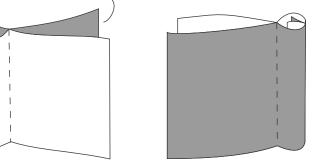
# **GLOSSARY**

- Right and wrong side of the fabric: The right side is the side that shows on the outside of the garment and the wrong side will be on the inside. The following tutorial shows the wrong side of fabric in grey and the right side of fabric in white.
- Seam allowance: The distance between the line of stitching and the raw edge.

# What is a French seam? (that the French call "English seam" by the way...)

A French seam is far more durable than other seams. It makes a garment less likely to tear at the seam and there is no risk of the fabric fraying. The cut edges are completely encased in an extra row of stitching. It also makes a garment look as attractive on the inside as it does on the outside.

To do a French seam on this pattern, you have to position and pin two pieces of fabric, WRONG sides together and sew them with a 0.7 cm (1/4in) seam allowance. This is the biggest difference between a French seam and a regular seam. Normally you would start with the RIGHT sides together.



Press the seam on the other side, which is the wrong side of fabric then enclose the seam and press. Sew with a 1 cm (3/8in) seam allowance to complete the french seam.

Now turn the garment inside out and press the seam open. On the right side of the fabric, it looks like any other seam but on the inside you have a beautiful enclosed French seam.