

What are the advantages of pattern making?

- You can easily adjust your patterns when there is a mistake. ...
- Because of (1) above, it saves your fabric from wastage.
- Patterns come with instructions. ...
- Patterns can be easily modified to other designs.
- Patterns can be tested before they are sewn. ...
- Patterns are durable. ...
- Patterns can be used to start a clothing line.

What are the advantages and disadvantages of pattern drafting?

Drafting Advantages: You do not need a dress form. If you can follow pattern drafting directions, you can create your own custom pattern. A properly fitted basic body shape or "sloper" can be used to create many designs. Drafting Disadvantages: It is difficult to tell what the final garment will look like.

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Drafted Patterns Advantages:

1. A good pattern of the right size which has been adjusted to suit your individual requirements will enable you to obtain a good fit.
2. A pattern prepared on thick paper or card board can be preserved for a long time and can be used over and over again.
3. By manipulating the basic pattern pieces it is possible to produce patterns for complicated and original designs. (For example, the basic sleeve can be adapted for a puff sleeve or bell sleeve etc.)
4. A paper pattern of a particular size can be used to make new patterns of proportionately larger or smaller sizes by following a systematic procedure called "grading". Cutting with the help of a paper pattern is quicker and easier than drafting straightaway on the fabric.
5. Use of a paper pattern will enable you to cut the garment with a minimum amount of fabric because it is possible for you to try out the placement of pattern pieces in different ways till you have found the most economical way to keep them.

Disadvantages:

- a) It is time consuming process as it takes lot of time to draft the pattern.
 - b) Unless the techniques and principles of drafting is known it is difficult for the persons to prepare paper pattern.
3. The paper pattern can be rarely used more than once unless copied on a thick sheet.

Draping Advantages:

- 1. Varies styles can be tried over the model.
- 2. Very simple to work once when the technique is learnt.

Disadvantages:

- 1. Required skin to drape
- 2. It requires a model
- 3. It requires lot of fabric
- 4. Laborious process
- 5. Not economical as fabric consumption is more