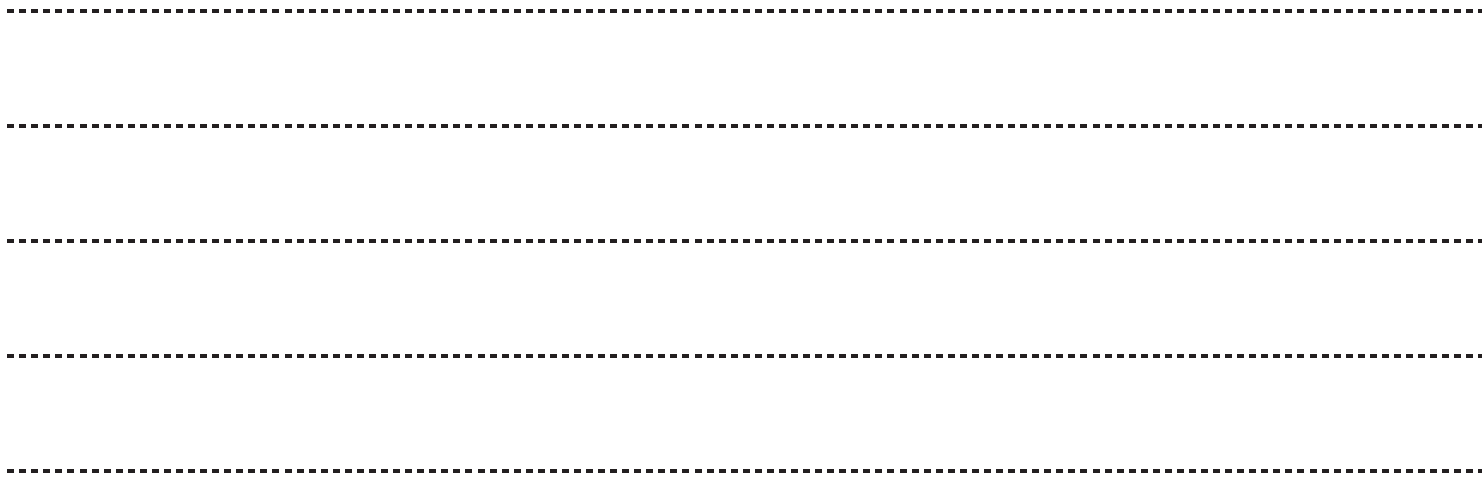


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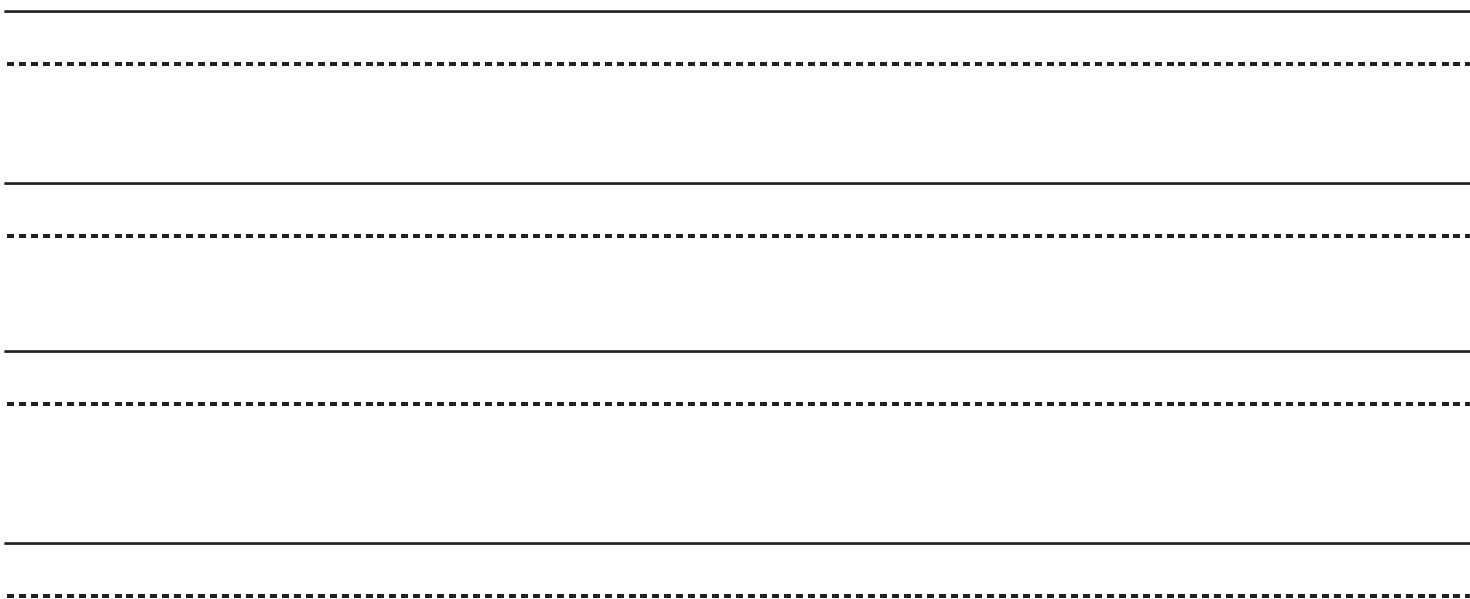
## Lesson 1: Straight Lines

First we'll start by practicing straight lines. Sew right on the dotted lines (that's right! Right on this paper is fine- you don't even need thread if you don't want to waste it)



Most the time when you sew, you won't have a line drawn onto your fabric to sew right onto. Instead you'll have the edge of the fabric to guide you. In the lines below, the solid line represents the edge of your fabric. The dotted line is where your stitch should go if you're sewing 1/4" in from the fabric (also called a 1/4 inch inseam).

1. Cut this paper along the first solid line and sew down your new edge with a 1/4" inseam.
  2. Check your work by comparing your seam to the dotted line below your cut line.
- Repeat steps 1 & 2 for each set of lines.



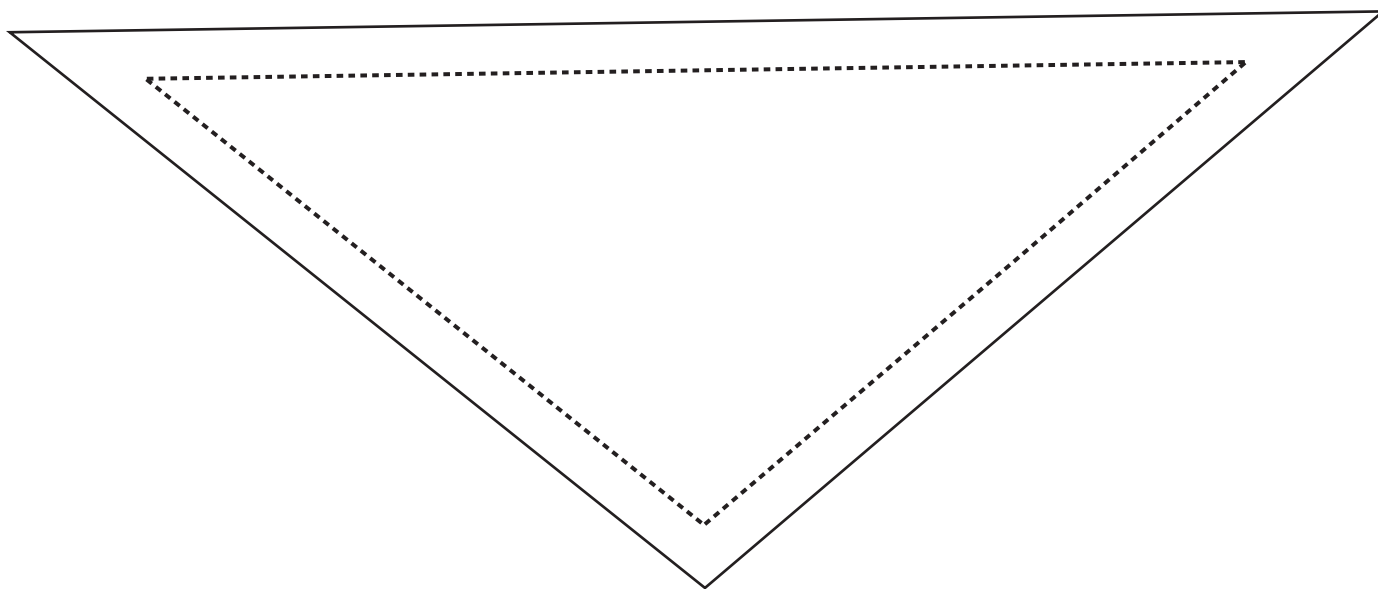
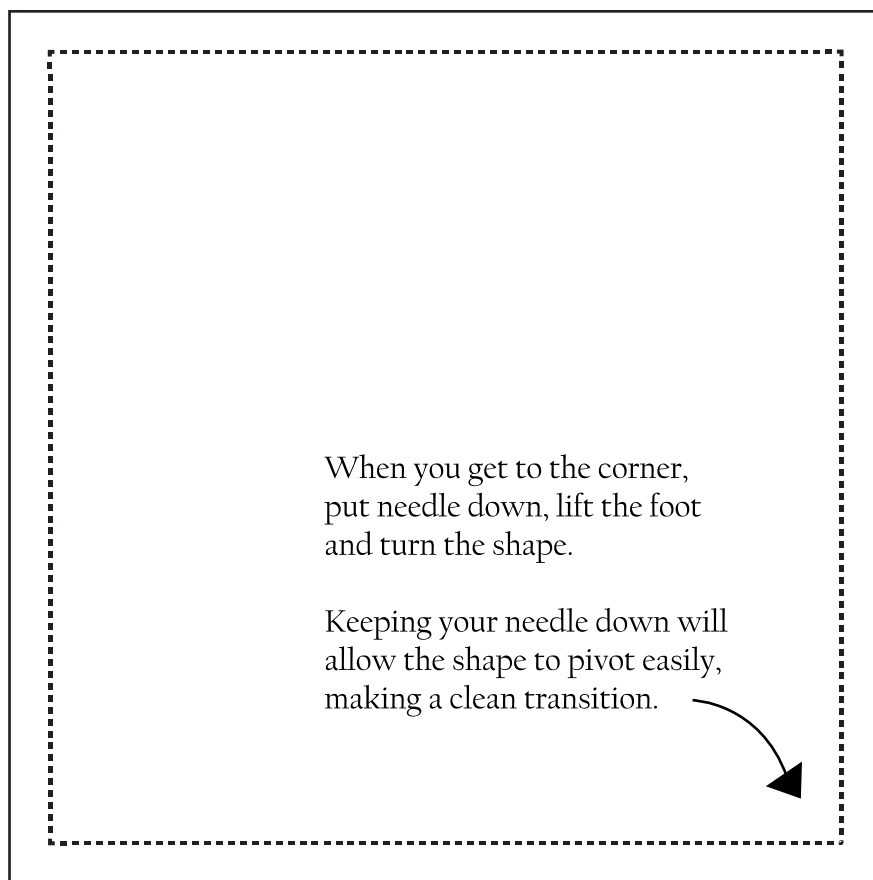
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## Lesson 2: Corners

Next we'll practice sewing corners.

1. Cut out each shape along the solid line.
2. Sew around each shape with a 1/4" inseam
3. Check your work by comparing your seam to the dotted line inside each shape



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## Lesson 3: Curves

Next we'll practice sewing curves.

1. Cut out each shape along the solid line.
2. Starting with the shape with the larger curves, sew around each shape with a 1/4" inseam
3. Check your work by comparing your seam to the dotted line inside each shape

