

## CLOTHES: T-SHIRT CUSTOMIZED WITH A BOW



### MATERIALS REQUIRED

A T-shirt, a ribbon, tailor chalk, scissors, thread, and a needle.

### DEGREE OF DIFFICULTY

Low.

### APPROXIMATE TIME REQUIRED

30 minutes.

### LEARNING GOALS

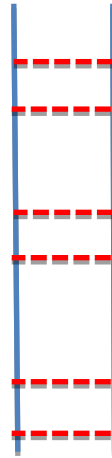
Learn how to customize a T-shirt and give it your own touch.

### ABILITIES DEVELOPED

Attention, determination, fine handling, accuracy, hand-eye dexterity, creativity.

### STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS

1. Cut the T-shirt neckline.
2. Draw with a tailor chalk, or fabric marker, two parallel lines. Its width should be the same as the bow one. Draw them on the front and on the back side.
3. Now, draw perpendicular lines to the ones that you have already done. Use this this pattern as a guide:



4. Cut through the red lines.
5. Starting by the upper part of the T-shirt, introduce the ribbon through the cuts that you have made.
6. Rise the ribbon up again through the back side cuts until it reaches the shoulder, as you have done before. Make a bow joining the two endings.
7. If you want to get a perfect finish, sew the holes up with the sewing machine (almost every sewing machine has an accessory to easily make buttonholes).

#### TIPS

This design is just an idea, you can think of different positions, match different colours, use ribbons of different sizes... You can sew the ribbon to the T-shirt following the red lines of the drawing.

