

**Preparing for the Sure Fit Designs Retreat - Your Checklist**

We’re so excited you’ll be joining us for the Sure Fit Designs Retreat in Salem, Oregon!

To help you make the most of your experience, here’s a handy checklist to ensure you are fully prepared:

**Travel Plans:**

* Arrange arrival & departure transportation through Groome Transportation
* Notify Janine of arrival & departure times and where in Salem you are arriving

We will pick you up wherever you are arriving and transport you to The Holman Riverfront Hotel. We will also provide transportation back to where you are departing from

* Send Janine pictures of you from the front, side and back
* Respond to lunch options if any of the proposed meals were not preferred
* Tell Janine what your biggest challenge has been and what your goal is for the retreat. We want to ensure that we address these challenges for you.
* Add Janine’s phone number to your contacts on your phone. (503) 689-7375

We are here for you and will adjust as needed to pick you up for late flights, etc.

**Packing:**

* Casual, comfortable clothing & shoes for each day of your courses
* Close fitting, preferably sleeveless garments for your measurement appointment that are not compressive (ie..no Spanx) and the bra style you wear most often
* Dress kit for the Bodice Fitting Course Optional Beyond Bodice Basics
* Pants kit for the Pants Fitting Course Optional Pants That Mix ‘N Multiply
* Designing Stylus
* Enough muslin fabric to create up to 2 test garments for each course. For the Pants Fitting Course, consider a heavier twill type cotton
* If you use ergonomic or electric scissors or any specialty notions that make sewing easier for you, pack them in your checkout bag. I’m providing mostly rotary cutters and have a few scissors available
* Optional: The most recent sloper and test garment you have made – this is only for your fitting appointment so that we may be able to address where you may have been challenged and as a teaching opportunity