

ACTIVITIES:

1. Invite employees from a fabric shop into class to show the latest in fabrics and notions.
2. Check with fabric shops for class room demonstrations using sergers, or other special machines.
3. Invite someone in your area who works at home producing home sewn items for sale at boutiques or in retail stores, to talk about their work.
4. Set aside a few minutes once a week for a "show and tell" day. You or your students can tell about textile projects they or someone they know are involved in.
5. Make items along with your students to set an example and show them your enthusiasm for sewing.