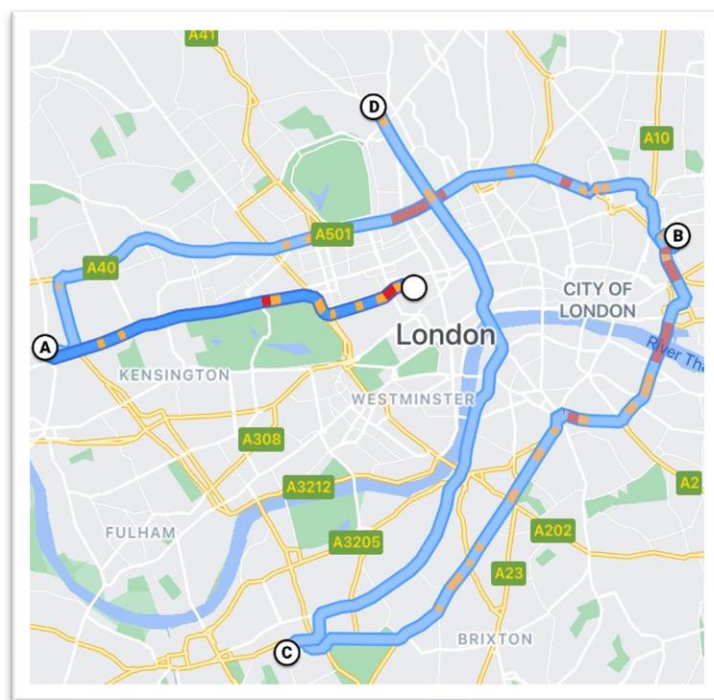


EXPLORING THE LONDON GARMENT DISTRICTS



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A quick garment districts touring guide to bring you to explore the fabric and haberdashery shops in London. We will walk around the central London, west, south, east and north of London. Thanks to the sheer variety and affordability of fabric and materials there, which provide the sourcing hub to the design students, designers and tailors.

CENTRAL LONDON: Berwick Street



Hidden in the side streets of Oxford Street, you will find a broad range of fabric & haberdashery shops. Providing London designers, costume designers and tailors, they offer beautiful and unique fabrics and trimmings. The fashion students love to stay here doing in depth fabric research, finding the perfect material for their collections. The prices are not low but these shops may give you some great inspiration, but if you love to find a collection of high-quality and novelty fabrics and trimmings, these are the right shops you love to explore.

A great stop to find modern and interesting fabrics, and a selection of technical fabrics, cotton, jerseys and leather. Furthermore, some clearance section can be found, and you can search for fabric samples as well. There are few shops to recommended to go, such as Misan, Macculloch & Wallis, and Morplan.

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Misan Fabrics provides a wide range of traditional fabrics from Jacquards, brocades, fine silks, French lace, velvets, and tweeds. A few doors down, Misan Textiles has a variety of technical fabrics, jerseys, and corduroys.



MacCulloch and Wallis is a fabric and haberdashery shop in Soho. They have a wide selection of haberdashery products, trimmings and a great range of quality fabrics. You can search fabric samples here or look for them online



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WEST LONDON

Shepherd's Bush Market

Mixed with the grocery stalls with fruits and vegetables, along Shepherd's Bush Market, you can look for some fabric and haberdashery stalls with very affordable fabrics and trimmings.

Alongside Goldhawk Road, it's worth to take a look to see if you can find the perfect additional ideas to your creative project.

Part of the Misan family, Misan West has a great selection of high-quality fabrics that you can find in their Central London stores for clearance. They also have a wide section trimmings and haberdashery for sale.



EAST LONDON

Brick Lane and Cannon Street, a short walk from Shoreditch High Street Station, there are few shops to get fabrics, trimmings and haberdashery products. It's worth a walk around there for exploring. Some shops are recommend and you may read some of their offerings on their websites.



Fabian Haberdashery - This shop is near to Shadwell station. A wide variety of haberdashery products including zippers, ribbons and threads.

Crescent Trading - A short walk from Shoreditch High Street Station and Brick Lane. You can find wool, silk fabrics and high-quality suiting material.

William Gee - Just a short walk from Dalston Junction Station a huge range of a family-run haberdashery product, and dressmaking equipment.

SOUTH LONDON

There are few good local shops to buy fabric and haberdashery products in South London around East Street, Depford, Peckham and Brixton where you can find a selection of fabric stalls and shops.

Rolls & Rems - A friendly fabric and haberdashery shop along Lewisham Market. They have a wide range of good fabrics, haberdashery and trimmings to choose from.

Sewing & Craft Superstore - A short walk from Tooting Bec Station, you will find a lovely sewing and craft shop. They have a great range of fabrics, haberdashery products and craft supplies. You can find sewing and embroidery machines as well and they carry sewing patterns.



NORTH LONDON

There are a couple of great place for fabric and haberdashery as the following.

London Trimmings - This is a huge store offering a wide diversity of trimmings and haberdashery products including metal hardware, ribbons, lace trims, threads and so much more you can think of.



ANK Camden - A short walk away of few minutes from Camden Town Station, you can see ANK Camden. All around the shop you can find an amazing range of metal hardware, filled with fittings and tools for clothing and accessories

The next time you visit London, take some time to have a tour in the garment districts as an attractive piece of fashion attraction, in additional to the Big Bang and the traditional tourist attractions.