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Dear Parents/Guardians:

In the next few weeks, the students in Family and Consumer Sciences class will begin their unit on sewing. During our sewing instruction, students will learn the basic skills in using the sewing machine and techniques in the construction process. Responsibility for handling equipment will be stressed. Reading directions, reasoning, and many problem-solving techniques will be utilized in a way that will be new to most students. The expected benefits will be much more than just their finished product; more importantly, they will experience the learning process.

Traditionally we have offered options that have been very popular with our seventh grade students:

## **Project Options:**

- · Pajama Pants, with your choice of printed fabric- \$25.50
- · Tote Bag, with your choice of fabric- \$13.00 (additional \$1.50 for an iron on transfer)

All students are required to complete a sewing project, therefore if your child is not interested in either option offered above, a sewing activity will be assigned to them to complete.

If your child is interested in choosing one of the options offered, please indicate this below:

My child,	will be completing the following project: (Please check off one of
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Please return this form, along with a check or money order made payable to East Moriches Student Activity fund no later than February 10, 2017 so students may begin the project as soon as possible.

In the past, many students have expressed a sense of satisfaction from the successful completion of their sewing project. This is an opportunity for the students to experience the rewards of patience, effort, and persistence in completing a challenging task.

If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact me at 631 878-0162 ext. 810.

Sincerely

Renee Johnson

Family and Consumer Sciences Teacher