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It's safe to say that in the life of a co-ed, there is no adequate substitute for coordinated sweaters and skirts. The all-occasion ensemble is back this year, but with some changes. Pine green, sapphire blue, and garnet red are some of the choice colors, meant to brighten a Monday morning or to fit your "happy-go-lucky" feeling which signals the approach of another week-end.

To Egypt

Women have gone continental, too. They went to Egypt, in fact, and came back with a souvenir entitled, the "modified pyramid." This features a narrow shoulder with a short, flared skirt. Sleeves are long and fitted or full at the elbow. Both dresses and suits are emphasizing this new line.

Speaking of suits, the stereotype of a tailored, dull dress is going to be hard to find. This year, a suit can range from a combination of culottes (a skirt with legs), straight skirt, and jacket to a group including skirt, print overblouse, and jacket lined in the blouse material.

Foamy Fabrics

Have you noticed the "spongey" coats being worn in all weather for all occasions? Laminated jersey is the name of the fabric, and it gives body as well as wrinkle resistance. Double knits and stretch fabrics, brushed materials, and airy woollens add more choices to the presently hard-to-decide-which-one-to-buy materials.

With the variety offered by designers in this fall's fashion collections, there can't be a dull moment on campus.

Sweater Magic

Sweaters — at least a good proportion of them — will be long cardigans worn with blouses. But if your drawers are full of pull-overs, and this isn't the time to write home and hint about the new clothes you're seeing, don't despair. Wendy Wood, H. Ed. 2, came up with a suggestion for converting a few of your favorites into cardigan style. Her formula is this: 1) Cut the sweater down the center of the front. 2) Place a strip of grosgrain ribbon which matches the sweater color, on the right side of each raw edge. 3) Stitch the ribbon to the sweater. 4) Turn ribbon to the inside of the sweater; fasten by hand, just as you would a facing. (Wendy is pictured below wearing her "new" cardigan.)

Now that one part of your outfit is complete, browse through your closets and see if your skirts fill the bill. Tartan kilties, a combination of pleats and plaids of knee or above-the-knee length, are beginning to go to class, to exchanges, and on dates. If that doesn't suit your taste, the familiar, slightly longer skirt is still very acceptable.

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