Sewing Across the Generations

- New Brunswick Public Library’s sewing programs allow folks of all ages and skill levels to make so many different projects together: aprons, journal covers, pillows, and more.
- **Resources:**
  - *NJ State Library Makerspace Grant* provided tools.
  - Donations provided supplies like fabric, thread, etc.
  - Partnerships with local “talent” gave bilingual sewing instruction.
  - **Project ideas:** the internet, attendees, instructors. Gauged difficulty, length of time for completion, etc.

Kid Crochet

- The crochet programs bring together hands-on learning with literacy through a local 4H partnership. Recent crochet programs are for kids 10 & up.
- **Resources:**
  - *NJ State Library Makerspace Grant* provided tools.
  - Donations gave us yarn, yarn, yarn! Also crochet needles and pattern books.
  - **Project ideas:** Pinterest! Sharing projects with other educators is key. Also, blogs. Finally, people readily share ideas with me.

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