

Clara's 1819-21 Evening Dress

Clara's dress is a simply decorated silk party dress from the end of the Regency Era in fashion. Dresses from this time period had very simple shapes, but were typically decorated with rows of elaborate ribbons, tucks, or other decorations. Clara's dress is very plain compared to some dresses from this time period, although the leaf detail is elegantly done. As a young lady, it would be proper for Clara to have bare arms, and a wide neckline, but to be modest, she would need to wear ankle-length pantalettes under her tea-length gown.

A pair of simple slippers with tiny bows and some tall silk stockings finish off the outfit.

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