

I would suggest that if your brand machine makes a free motion ruler foot, that you buy from them, as it is always best to use one made specifically for your machine. I know that Janome and Bernina both make one for their machines.

If your machine company does not make one, then there are a couple of generic on the market that you can purchase. The best deals I have seen are on Amazon. Students will need to know if they have a high or low shank machine. Some companies will make you buy the foot with a bunch of rulers, which I would advise not to do, which is why I just look for the free motion ruler foot sold by itself or with one or two rulers.

How to tell if I have a Low or High Shank machine:

When presser foot is down, measure the distance from the bottom of foot to screw-hole that holds the foot onto the presser bar. A **high shank machine** measures approximately 1" to 1 1/4" from the screw to the bottom of the foot. A **low shank machine** is generally around 1/2" – 3/4".