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5 of the Most Flawless Soft Basics That Are Perfect For Spring

Sashay into the spring season with some new closet staples



by Zoe Rex ~~~~~ Nov 16, 2022



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April showers bring May flowers, and that means it's time to do some spring cleaning. Get your ripped boyfriend jeans, sandals, and t-shirt essentials out of the back of your closet. Soft basics are going to be a key necessity in your wardrobe this spring. These basic pieces are what made celebrities like Kim Kardashian so successful in the fashion world. And the most wonderful thing about these staple items is how they can either be dressed up or down depending on how you style them.

There are many different brands that offer "the perfect" t-shirts and tank tops, but choosing the ones that are exactly right requires exploration, durability tests, and far more research. However, the gratification for year-round outfits—makes the work worthwhile.

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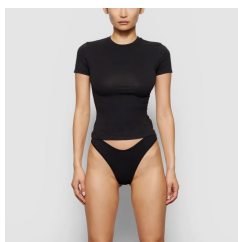
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Our top picks for the best soft basic tops:



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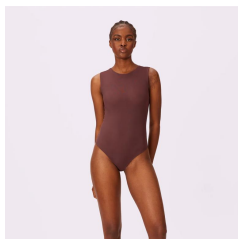
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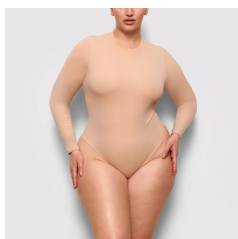
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1

BEST OVERALL

SKIMS Cotton Jersey T-Shirt

\$48 AT SKIMS

Pros: ✓

- Sizes run from XXS-4XL
- Breathable material
- Shapewear technology

Cons: ✗

- Sizes often run small

The fact that the queen, Kim Kardashian, founded and created SKIMS isn't the only reason as to why this brand has become a fan favorite in recent years. This perfect crewneck t-shirt, is the new breathable everyday staple and is constructed from cool, cozy stretch cotton and has sporty stitching on the finish. This tee is made from 90% Cotton and 10% Spandex which means it's not only soft but also stretchy and comfortable.

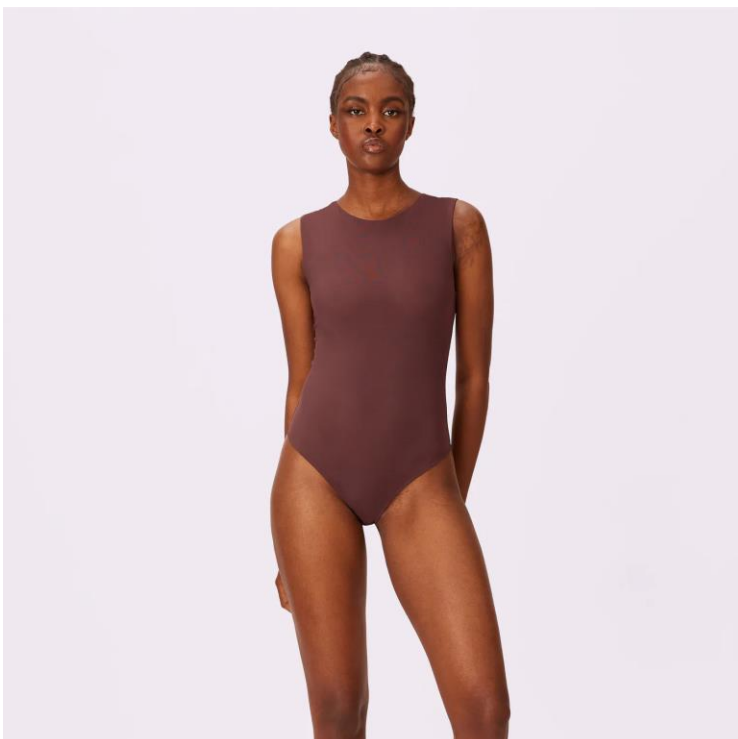


Photo courtesy of Parade

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STYLIST-RECOMMENDED

Parade Luxe Sleeveless Bodysuit

\$38 AT PARADE

Pros: ✓

- Features snap thong closure
- Breathable
- Double-layered luxe mesh
- Sustainable

Cons: ✗

- Not made of cotton so it is a thinner material

Our stylists can not get enough of this adorable sleeveless crewneck bodysuit. It features silky luxe mesh which is made from sustainable recycled fibers. This collection also has a total of thirteen different colors to choose from. One of which is a gradient ombre aquamarine shade. This sleeveless top is perfectly paired with some high-waisted jeans or just some cute sweatpants.



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AN OFF-THE-SHOULDER PIECE

Oh Polly Beau Twist Bodysuit

\$38 AT OH POLLY

Photo courtesy of Oh Polly

Pros: ✓

- Sculpting modal fabric
- Snap button closure
- Contours silhouette
- Pull-on design

Cons: ✗

- Asymmetrical looks aren't for everybody

The Beau bodysuit, an essential piece of clothing that glides with your figure and is exceptionally flattering. The Beau bodysuit is made of premium modal fabric, which shapes your figure, and has a off-the-shoulder strap with a twist design that gently reveals your décolletage. This piece is extremely adaptable and has a high cut, thong bottom that makes it ideal for everyday use.



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BEST SIZE-INCLUSIVE

SKIMS Long Sleeve Crewneck Bodysuit

\$68 AT SKIMS

Photo courtesy of SKIMS

Pros: ✓

- Size inclusivity with sizing ranging from XXS-4XL
- 14 neutral and vivid shades
- Snap bodysuit closure

Cons: ✗

- A higher price point than other tops

The lightweight, buttery-soft fabric of this modernized version of the SKIMS classic crew neck, long sleeve bodysuit caresses your curves. A vital styling item to include in your wardrobe. This long sleeve body suit is also one of the most size inclusive basics on the market. SKIMS Fits Everybody collection has a total of 9 body conscious sizes. We are obsessing over Kim K's inclusive collection this season.



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THIS NECESSARY INVESTMENT PIECE

Anine Bing April Tank

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Pros: ✓

- Cotton-Spandex material
- Vintage cami-inspired silhouette

Cons: ✗

- High price point
- Only offers four sizes

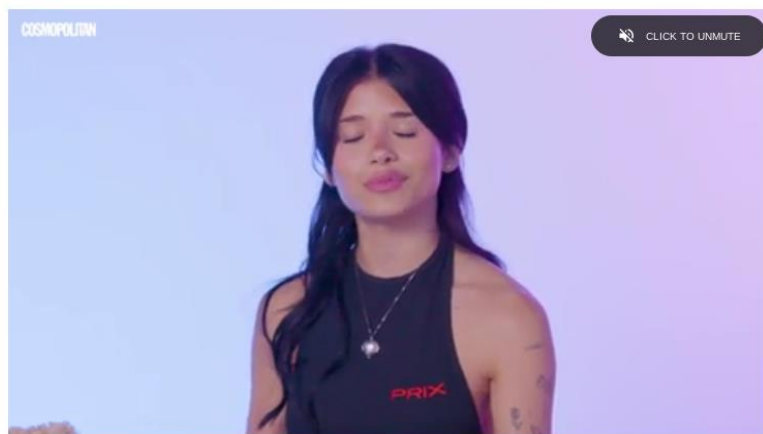
The best-selling Eva Tank from the Classics Collection is a new signature basic called the April Tank in white. Both are made of the same cotton-spandex rib fabric. This tank has amazing qualities such as thin spaghetti straps, plunging front and back necklines, and classic cami silhouette. The April Tank fits closely to the body and has a light comfort stretch.

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