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## Sewing Machine TLC: Caring for Your Trusty Companion

### Short Answer Key

1. Providing proper care and maintenance to your sewing machine is essential to extend its lifespan, prevent costly repairs, ensure high-quality stitches, and maintain smoother operation.
2. Daily care of your sewing machine includes cleaning it after each sewing session and changing needles regularly.
3. It is essential to change your sewing machine needle regularly to maintain stitch quality and prevent damage to fabrics. Needles should be changed when starting a new project or after sewing through certain fabrics like denim or leather.
4. Your weekly sewing machine care routine should include thorough cleaning and checking the thread tension.
5. Having your sewing machine professionally serviced annually benefits you by ensuring optimal performance, identifying hidden issues, and extending the machine's lifespan.

