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5 Outfits That Make You Look Expensively Dressed on A Budget of Under \$100

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Being a creative type can have you labeled an exorbitant number of things, including

perhaps a gypsy, a neurotic, introspective and so on. Yet of all the things artsy people are ascribed, I think the thing we can most proudly tout outside of our work is our ability to look fashion forward even if our checking account

balances are all but non-existent. Below are five outfits one can achieve for under \$100. Please note Forever 21, H&M, Target and trusty Google searches will be your best friends in this clothing endeavor.

1.) Leggings paired with a loose fitting white button down shirt and black pumps. Make sure the shirt falls several inches past your waist. Leggings can be found for \$8 at Target, blouse can be found at any discount store like Marshall's or Loehmann's for around \$14 and black pumps with a pointed toe can easily be found at Target as well for under \$25. Also try DSW.

2.) Boyfriend jeans with any kind of t-shirt and a circle scarf, and bring the black pumps out again. The boyfriend jeans can be found online at a discount or at any thrift store. A boyfriend jean is somewhat baggy, tapered and rolled at the bottom and usually distressed. A circle scarf can be found at Forever 21 for \$12.80.



3.) A circle skirt, with the same blousy button down you wore before with the leggings but tucked in along with

that cute, versatile circle scarf and thigh-high socks. Shoes of your choice but I suggest a chunky wedge, or something you already have. Search Google for a short circle skirt for as low as \$10 and the thigh-high socks can also be


acquired on Google for as low as \$7.

4.) The same leggings with a classic, long fitting black blazer, a long, tight fitted shirt of your choice underneath and, wait for it, your black pumps. Blazer can be found at H&M or easily at any thrift store or re-sale shop like Beacon's Closet for no more than \$15.

5.) Half tops are making a come back, and they can be tight fitting or loose as long as their cropped. Which means you can make it at home or find one cheap at Target or H&M for around \$10. Pair with either the boyfriend jeans or circle skirt, throw on some bangles, your black pumps if you'd like, and strut.

So there you have it, style variations for under \$100 and easily found on Pinterest boards and worn by any trending fashion blogger.


If there's one thing you take from this, remember you don't have to sacrifice being chic because you're at a point where you have to be cheap.






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This definitely hit all of the staple pieces on the head! Investing in a good cardigan and thick patterned tights for the fall and winter can definitely add to these pieces and create a pretty well rounded wardrobe. Hopping on Pinterest is definitely a lifesaver when you're on a budget because you not only find new ways to mix these pieces up but you can also explore different price ranges by other folks posting 'look for less' pins. Great job!

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