



New York Mills High School

Curriculum Document

Curriculum Area: Family and Consumer Sciences

Course Name: Fashion Design

Common Course Catalog Number: 19201

Length of Course: Semester

Pre-Requisite: none

Grade Level: 10-12

Course Description:

Fashion Design is a course designed to take the student on a "behind-the-scenes" tour of clothing construction, textiles, and the Fashion Design Industry. Students begin with a review of basic clothing construction techniques and a look at how fashion has evolved throughout history. The student will explore facets of fashion design including the opportunity to try his/her hand at creating new fashions. An in-depth unit on textile manufacturing provides an interesting look at how fabrics evolve. Lastly, the class will study the retail industry and fashion trends.

Essential Learner Outcomes (5 to 7)

*Students will analyze career paths within textile apparel and design industries.

*Students will evaluate fiber and textile products and materials.

*Students will demonstrate fashion, apparel, and textile design skills.

*Students will demonstrate skills needed to produce, alter, or repair fashion, apparel, and textile products.

Units of Study:

- *Fashion
- *Fashion History
- *Fabrics
- *Sewing
- *Fashion Designers
- *Principles and Elements of Design
- *Visual Display
- *Fashion Photography