Blackhawk School District

CURRICULUM

Course Title:	Fashion Design
Grade Level(s):	10-12
Length of Course:	90 days
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COURSE DESCRIPTION:

The following outline provides a general overview of the course content, not a chronological timetable. The weeks denoted for each area provide an idea for the overall time spent working with a given topic throughout the school year.

COURSE OUTLINE	OBJECTIVES (PA standard)	PROPOSED TIME	RESOURCES	LESSON REFLECTION (for future revisions)
 I. Clothing and Society A. Functions of Clothing B. Other clothing influences C. Clothing as Symbols 1. Acceptable casual business attire 2. Other types of dress codes 	 Financial and Resource Management 11.1.12.F – Compare and contrast the selection of goods and services by applying effective consumer strategies. Justify the decision to use or not use resources based on scarcity. 		Clothing: Fashion, Fabrics, and Construction Chapter 1	

 II. Fashion History A. History of Dress 1. Early Civilizations 2. Middle Ages – 19th Century 3. 20th Century Fashion 	Chapter 5	
 3. 20th Century Fashion B. History of Dress Project 1. Research period of dress 2. Present research 		

 III. Fashion Styles A. Fashion Terms and the Fashion Cycle B. Garment Styles and Features (p.102-112) 1. Define various garment styles 2. Identify styles in current 		Chapter 6	
fashion trends			

IV. Fashion Designers	Financial and Resource Management	Chapter 7	
A. Types of Designers	Financial and Kesource Management	Chapter /	
A. Types of Designers	11.1.9.F – Evaluate different strategies to		
1. Couture	obtain consumer goods and services.		
2. Ready-to-Wear			
3. Licensing			
B. Design Process			
C. Famous Designers			
1. Explore briefly designers			
(p.126-131)			
2. Research and present			
information on a current			
designer			

V. Garment Design	Chapter 9 Chapter 10	
V. Garment Design A. Elements of Design	Chapter 10	
1. Color		
2. Shape/Size		
3. Line		
4. Space		
5. Texture		
6. Pattern		
B . Principles of Design		
1. Balance		
2. Proportion		
3. Rhythm/Harmony		

VI. Designing a Line of Clothing	Balancing Family, Work, and Community	CAD program for Product	
A. Sketching Body Forms	Responsibility	Line	
1. Body parts	11.2.12.A – Justify solutions developed by	Development	
2. Full body forms	using practical reasoning skills.	L.	
B. Sketching Clothing			
1. Flat clothing	• Contrast the solutions reached through the		
2. Clothing on form (with	use of a simple decision making process		
movement)	that includes analyzing consequences of		
C. Clothing Sketch Project	alternative solutions.		
1. Design line of clothing			
shown flat			
2. Design line of clothing on			
body forms			
D . Product Line Development			
1. Basics/Reasons of			
product line design			
2. CAD Program for PLD			
E. CAD Project			

 VII.Fashion Careers A. Explore career sections Fashion promotion (p.72-75) Apparel Production (p.150-153) Design (p.190-193) Textile Productions (p. 244-247) Fashion Services (p. 296-299) Fashion Merchandising (p.372-375) Communication and Education (p.432-435) B. Preparing for a Fashion Career C. Career Research Project 	Financial and Resource Management 11.1.9.E – Compare the influences of income and fringe benefits to make decisions about work.		Sections outlined in left hand column from book Chapters 22- 23		
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