



TEXTILES 9/10/11/12

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WELCOME TO TEXTILES! We are going to have a **GREAT** semester together! This course will introduce you to the world of textiles. Over the next little while we will work together to build your sewing skills & confidence.

LEARNING OUTCOMES

From the BC Ministry of Education: By the end of this course, **students will be expected to know:**

Grade 9

- Natural/manufactured fibres, including their origins, characteristics, uses, and care
- Strategies for using and modifying simple patterns
- Elements of design used in textile items
- Social factors that influence textile choices and the impact of those choices on local communities
- Role of textiles in First Peoples cultures

Grade 10

- Design opportunities
- Origins, characteristics, and care of natural and manufactured textiles
- Hand and machine construction techniques for producing and/or repairing textile items
- First Peoples traditional and current textile knowledge and practices
- Strategies for altering patterns and upcycling
- Principles of design used in textiles items
- Environmental factors and ethical factors that influence textile choices and the impact of those choices on local and global communities

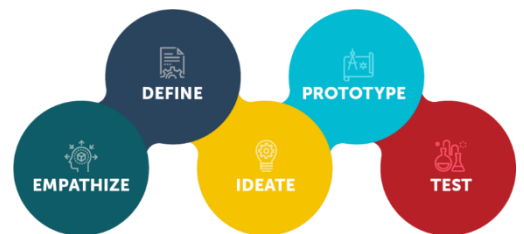
Grade 11

- Simple textile designs
- Physical and chemical properties of fabrics including technological developments
- Strategies for modifying patterns
- Techniques for repurposing textile items
- Various factors that affect the selection of textiles items including elements/principles of design/function
- Symbolism and use of symbols in textile prints and designs including ethics of cultural appropriation
- Economical and ethical factors and considerations in textile production and consumption
- Influence of marketing/advertising on textile design, choice, and consumptions
- Design for the life cycle

Grade 12

- Complex textile designs
- Relationship between fibre content, fabric type, and textile use
- Methods for designing patterns
- Textile manipulation techniques
- Regulations and agencies that influence production, labelling, and distribution of textile items
- Historical uses of textile items and their influence on modern textile use
- First Peoples historical and current textile knowledge and practices
- Ethical and environmental issues in the production and marketing of textile items, including cultural appropriation
- Forecasting practices and how they are used in the development and creation of textile items
- Design for the life cycle
- Future career options in textile design, production, and distribution

By the end of this course, students will be expected to use the **design cycle** as it relates to understanding how to prepare, sew, and think critically about textiles.



STUDENT EXPECTATIONS

- ✓ Respect your learning & the learning of others
- ✓ Come prepared, arrive on time & participate
- ✓ Respect your environment - use the equipment & space with care & clean up well!
- ✓ Take pride in your work
- ✓ Check MS teams for what you missed when you are absent
- ✓ Students are responsible for providing the materials for the projects they choose to make. This will consist of approximately 3 main projects and 4 theory projects. If you have concerns about being able to purchase supplies for this class, please come talk to me privately. If you have concerns about finishing your projects utilize **flextime!**
- ✓ Students' main projects must be completed in class time or flex time. No taking home projects will be marked.



ASSESSMENT

- ✓ 70% - Doing & Making
- ✓ 30% - Critical and Creative Thinking

WHAT DO I NEED FOR TEXTILES?

- ✓ You are expected to have your OWN supplies - not use the teachers or friends. Please label them (permeant felt pen or tape with your name). A small container will be necessary to store them in your drawer. Bring them from home if you can - NEW is not necessary
- ✓ Students are expected to purchase ALL, fabric, patterns, matching thread and notions (interfacing, buttons, elastic, etc.) to complete their chosen projects. The course fee covers basic consumable supplies (i.e.: class project fabric/material, machine needles, paper for alterations, etc.)

WHERE CAN I BUY SUPPLIES FOR CLASS?

- ✓ Michaels Craft Supply
 - *1360 Main St Cru 2, North Vancouver*
- ✓ Walmart (pre-packaged)
 - *Capilano Mall*
- ✓ Dressew Supply
 - *337 West Hastings, Vancouver*
- ✓ Made by Me (behind Capilano Mall)
 - *108- 949 W 3rd St, North Vancouver*
- ✓ Fabricana
 - *1348 United Blvd, Coquitlam*