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Syllabus

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What You Should Already Know

There are no prerequisites for this course.

Learning Outcomes

- 1. Apply knowledge of clothing and fashion to your own personal wardrobe and style.
- 2. Identify major fashion designers and their contributions to the fashion world.
- 3. Learn sewing techniques and terms used for both common items and specialty items.
- 4. Define style and fashion beyond clothing and apply it to costume creation.
- 5. Plan a fashion career for your future, with knowledge and understanding of your many choices.

Course Materials

The only required materials for this course are the lesson materials.

After you have enrolled in this course, Independent Study will mail you a packet of fabric swatches. You will use these textile swatches in the Textile Activity in unit 4.

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Assignments

This course includes seven units and a final exam. Each unit includes ungraded assignments and a graded assignment.

Self-Check Assignments

Self-check assignments are ungraded assignments meant to help you assess your knowledge of the course content and prepare you for the graded assignments and final exam.

Unit Quizzes

Unit quizzes are computer-graded assignments which include multiple choice and true/false questions. You'll use each unit quiz assessment to demonstrate mastery of the concepts taught in the course and prepare for the final exam.

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Exams

The final exam consists of approximately 99 multiple-choice questions taken from each lesson in this course.

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Grading

The following tables show the weight for each graded event and the grading scale used for this course:

| Assignments | Percentage of Grade |
|-------------|---------------------|
| Unit 1 | 10% |
| Unit 2 | 10% |
| Unit 3 | 10% |
| Unit 4 | 10% |
| Unit 5 | 10% |
| Unit 6 | 10% |
| Unit 7 | 10% |
| Final Exam | 30% |
| Total | 100% |

| Grading Scale | |
|---------------|----------|
| Α | 100–94 |
| A- | 93–90 |
| B+ | 89–87 |
| в | 86–83 |
| B- | 82–80 |
| C+ | 79–77 |
| С | 76–73 |
| C- | 72–70 |
| D+ | 69–67 |
| D | 66–63 |
| D- | 62–60 |
| E (fail) | below 60 |

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