

General Course Information

Course Name: Fashion Construction I	
Department: Family and Consumer Science	Grade Level(s): 9-12
Duration/Credits: 1 semester/ .5 credit	Prerequisites: none
BOE Approval Date:	Course Code: H4530
Course Description:	
<p>Fashion Construction I introduces basic sewing construction skills. The student will experience project based learning by utilizing basic sewing concepts and equipment to construct simple sewing projects, understanding and threading the sewing machine, using a sewing pattern, demonstrating construction measuring techniques and proper clothing care procedures. Teaching methods include class discussion, teacher and student demonstrations, audio-visual materials, displays, and student projects. The student is required to provide his or her own sewing supplies, according to a teacher-provided list.</p>	
Course Rationale:	
<p>Fashion Construction I will integrate knowledge, skills and practices required for the first time sewer. Students will gain basic skills allowing them to create simple projects and repair clothing on their own. This course will build confidence in basic skills and understanding for any student interested in sewing and fashion construction and provides an introduction to sewing and fashion pathways.</p>	
Course Objectives:	
<p>The student will participate in the Family Career and Community Leaders of America program, including community service projects.</p> <p>The student will research solutions to address sewing construction issues. (A+ Research)</p> <p>The student will correctly use different types of sewing equipment by discussing appropriate tools for proper construction and demonstrating correct use of the sewing machine through samples and project construction (A+ Speaking and</p>	

Listening)

The student will examine factors affecting pattern selection by reading the pattern envelope and directions, analyzing and correctly measuring the figure, determining pattern type and size, selecting pattern and fabric yardage, preparing pattern and fabric for layout, and utilizing the information obtained on the pattern envelope, through classroom assignments, discussions and demonstrations. (A+ Reading)

The student will apply clothing care procedures needed to maintain textiles by comparing correct laundering techniques, conducting labs, and following repair procedures through projects.

The students will reflect in writing on sewing procedures and skills to evaluate their final product. (A+ Writing)

The student will construct sewing projects while demonstrating correct methods of pattern marking, utilizing pattern symbols, applying correct pattern layout on fabric, and interpreting pattern guide directions on assigned projects.

Standards Alignment:

List standard set(s) to which course has been aligned
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