

ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Semester I

Year 10

Fashion and Textiles

FAIRHOLME COLLEGE

HOME ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT

Course: Year 10 Fashion and Textiles

Outline: SEMESTER 1, 2017

Introduction:

Term One and Two

Students undertake Fashion and Textiles for one semester. They participate in one theory and two practical lesson per week.

In this unit students will build on their knowledge and understanding of Fashion, textiles, construction and design to develop solutions to design challenges by applying their knowledge of resources, and of relevant techniques and tools, with appropriate consideration of impacts and consequences of their solutions.

Term One – ‘How is History repeating itself Through Fashion?’

Through both in class study and independent research the students will:

- acquire knowledge and understanding of the functions and needs of clothing
- acquire knowledge and understanding of the natural and manufactured fibres
- develop their technical skills in the manipulation and construction of textile items
- analyse and synthesise historical data and relate it to current trends in Fashion.
- acquire knowledge and understanding of the Home Economics Design Process

Term Two – ‘Running Up a Dress.’

Students focus on what it’s like to be a child during which they will:

- acquire knowledge and understanding the functions and needs of clothing in the specific context of women’s clothing
- further build on their knowledge of fibre and fabric both natural and manufactured
- develop their technical skills through the acquisition of a wide range of machine and hand sewing techniques.
- acquire knowledge and understanding of the Home Economics Design Process

Assessment Summary:

Term One – HEC: Fashion and Textiles

Date	Assessment Task	Formative / Summative
20 – 24 March 2017	Research Task: Oral Presentation	Summative
29 - 02 June 2017	Practical Product: Garment and Process Journal	Formative