

FASHION STUDIES

It's not just about sewing! Everyone is concerned about how they look, dress and appear in our society. In Fashion, students will choose from a variety of pathways of their interest: sewing, costuming/makeup, marketing/retailing, textile arts, and design courses. Up to date equipment, both domestic and industrial will provide new age practical skills.

FASHION STUDIES - Grade 10 (5 credits)

No previous sewing experience necessary. Students complete five topics of interest from a collection of more than 40 courses. Guided and independent learning.

FASHIONISTAS INC. - INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED (5-6 credits at each level)

Recommendation: Completion of 5 credits in Introductory Fashion Studies

Note: Grade 11 or 12 students who wish to take Fashion for the first time should register for this level. The prerequisite will be covered. No previous sewing experience necessary.

The combined Intermediate/Advanced Fashion Studies program is designed to allow students to develop their interest and skills through their choice of one-credit courses. Students may choose a pathway of Design, Garment/Project Production, Merchandising, Theatrical garments/makeup, Textiles as Art, or Industrial techniques. As the student progresses, they can challenge themselves with the more difficult choices. Personal time management is stressed because of the independent nature of the course and the variety of choices being made. Students will provide the materials needed for their projects. This course is supported through a D2L shell for access from home.

FABRICS – KNOWLEDGE & EMPLOYABILITY COURSE

(by consent of Guidance)

Students will explore the world of fabrics and garment production. They will learn about the care of fabrics, basic sewing skills and careers in the area of garment production and creation.