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TEACHING SYLLABUS FOR CLOTHING AND TEXTILES (SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL 1 – 3)

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RATIONALE FOR TEACHING CLOTHING AND TEXTILES

A major objective of the Ghanaian educational system is to equip individuals with employable skills to enable them contribute meaningfully towards the development of the nation. Consequently, the main aim of teaching Clothing and Textiles is to train students to acquire knowledge and skills in clothing production and management. Thus the Clothing and Textiles Syllabus aims at providing students with experiences that will develop their competences in textiles selection and use, and clothing production and management.

GENERAL AIMS

By the end of year 3, students will:

- 1. acquire basic scientific knowledge in textiles fibres.
- 2. recognize the significance of clothing and its management.
- 3. develop skills in the selection, use and maintenance of equipment for sewing.
- 4. appreciate the creative use of fabrics in clothing production.
- 5. develop clothing production skills.
- 6. develop appropriate work ethics in the textiles and clothing industry.
- 7. acquire skills in the repair and renovation of clothing and care of clothes.
- 8. acquire skills in selecting appropriate clothing for different occasions.
- 9. become aware of career opportunities in textiles and clothing.

SCOPE OF CONTENT

The Clothing and Textiles programme has been designed in such a way as to offer skills that are terminal and can be put to immediate use. The programme at the same time provides the foundation for further studies in areas of Clothing and Textiles.

Clothing and Textiles covers the following areas:

- Study of fibres and fabrics
- Selection, use and care of clothing and furnishing
- Sewing processes
- Repair and Customizing
- Clothing design and construction
- Creative crafts
- Consumer Education
- Entrepreneurship
- Career Opportunities in the Textiles and Clothing industry

PRE-REQUISITE SKILLS AND ALLIED SUBJECTS

The study of Clothing and Textiles at the SHS level requires foundation study in Basic Design and Technology. Management-In-Living is compulsory for students offering Clothing and Textiles.

To qualify for further studies in tertiary and other advanced institutions and professions, students must offer **ONE** elective science subject (e.g. Biology, Chemistry or Physics) in addition to Core Science.

ORGANIZATION AND STRUCTURE OF THE SYLLABUS

YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3
TERM 1	TERM 1	TERM 1
SECTION I: CAREER OPPORTUNITIES IN CLOTHING AND TEXTILES (pg.1-3) Unit 1: Career Types Unit 2: Work Ethics	SECTION I: SEWING PROCESSES II (pg. 29-31) Unit 1: Openings and Fastenings Unit 2: Pockets- Patch	SECTION 1: REPAIR AND CUSTOMIZING (pg. 57-58) Unit 1: Mending Unit 2: Customizing
SECTION 2: FIBRES AND FABRICS (pg. 4-14) Unit 1: Classification and Identification Unit 2: Characteristics/Properties Unit 3: Construction of Textile Fabrics (Fabrication) Unit 4: Fabric Finishes Unit 5: Types of Fabrics Unit 6: Fabric Combinations Unit 7: Uses and Care of Fabrics	SECTION 2: OTHER TECHNIQUES IN SEWING (pg. 32-33) Unit 1: Lining and Interfacing Unit 2: Fashion Features – Sleeves Collars Frills	SECTION 2: CREATIVE FABRIC CRAFTS (pg. 59-60) Unit 1: Creative use of Fabric Unit 2: Hand Embroidery Unit 3: Soft Toys and Cushions
SECTION 3: CLOTHING (pg. 15-17)	SECTION 3: CLOTHING DESIGN (pg. 34-37)	
Unit 1: Concept of Clothing Unit 2: Functions of Clothing Unit 3: Classification of Clothing Unit 4: Wardrobe Planning	Unit 1: Elements of Design Unit 2: Principles of Design Unit 3: Sources of ideas for designing Unit 4: Figure Types Unit 5: Individual Creativity in Fashion	

YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3
TERM 2	TERM 2	TERM 2
SECTION 4: GOOD GROOMING (pg. 18-20)	SECTION 4: PATTERNS (pg. 38-39)	SECTION 3: CONSUMER EDUCATION (pg. 61-63)
Unit 1: The Concept of Good Grooming Unit 2: Factors that Promote Good Grooming Unit 3: Clothes, Accessories and Cosmetics (Make-Up)	Unit 1: Types of Patterns Unit 2: Pattern Making and Adaptation	Unit 1: Consumer Basics (Review) in Clothing and Textiles Acquisition.
SECTION 5: EQUIPMENT AND TOOLS (pg. 21-24)	SECTION 5: FREEHAND CUTTING (pg. 40-41) Unit 1: Measurement Taking and Cutting Procedure	SECTION 4: ENTERPRENEURSHIP (pg. 64-66)
Unit 1: Functional Classification	Office 1. Measurement Taking and Outling Procedure	Unit 1: Setting up and managing a Clothing and Textiles Enterprise
Unit 2: Selection, Use and Care Unit 3: Types of sewing machine Unit 4: Parts of the sewing machine		SECTION 5: EXHIBITION AND FASHION SHOW (pg. 67-70)
Unit 5: Using the sewing machine Unit 6: Care of the sewing machine Unit 7: Common Faults and Remedies		Unit 1: Organizing Clothing and Textiles Exhibition Unit 2: Modelling and Fashion Show
TERM 3	TERM 3	TERM 3
SECTION 6: SEWING PROCESSES I (pg. 25-28) Unit 1: Stitches	SECTION 6 : SEWING SUPPLIES, CUTTING OUT AND FITTING (pg. 41-43)	WASSCE in progress
Unit 2: Seams Unit 3: Arrangement of Fullness Unit 4: Edge Finishes	Unit 1: Sewing Supplies Unit 2: Estimating Quantities of Fabric for articles Unit 3: Pattern Laying and Cutting Unit 4: Assembling Garment Unit 5: Fitting Garments and Making Adjustments	
	SECTION 7: CARE OF CLOTHES (pg. 44-51) Unit 1: Care Labels Unit 2: Stains and Stain Removal Unit 3: Laundry of White Cottons/Linens Coloured	
	Cottons/Linens Unit 4: Laundering Woolen Clothes Unit 5: Dry Cleaning, Home-Sponging Unit 6: Storage and Packing of Clothes	

TIME ALLOCATON

A minimum of six (6) periods a week each of 40 minutes is recommended for teaching Clothing and Textiles in all the three (3) years. The six (6) periods should be put into two (2) periods of 80 minutes for theory and demonstration and four (4) periods of 160 minutes for practicals for all the three years.

TOTAL NO. OF PERIODS PER WEEK

	CLOTHING AND TEXTILES
CLASS	PERIODS PER WEEK
FORM 1	6
FORM 2	6
FORM 3	6

SUGGESTIONS FOR TEACHING THE SYLLABUS

The syllabus has been structured to cover three years of the SHS programme. Teachers are required to develop a scheme of work for each term so as to cover each year's work appropriately. Teaching should be participatory and should be based on student-centred methods such as role-play, brainstorming, case studies, field trips, debate, future's wheel, demonstrations, practical work and project work. The lecture method must be used very sparingly.

General Objectives: General Objectives have been listed at the beginning of each Section. The general objectives specify the skills and behaviours students should acquire as a result of instruction in the units of a section. Read the general objectives very carefully before you start teaching the section. After teaching all the units of the section, go back and read the general objectives again to be sure you have covered the objectives adequately in the course of your teaching.

<u>Sections and Units</u>: The syllabus has been planned on the basis of Sections and Units. Each year's work is divided into sections. A section consists of a fairly homogeneous body of knowledge within the subject. Within each section are units. A unit consists of a more related body of knowledge and skills.

The syllabus is structured in five columns: Units, Specific Objectives, Content, Teaching and Learning Activities and Evaluation. A description of the contents of each column is as follows:

Column 1 – Units: The units in Column 1 are divisions of the major topics of the section. You are expected to follow the unit topics according to the linear order in which they have been presented. However, if you find at some point that teaching and learning in your class will be more effective if you switch to another specific objective in the unit or to another unit completely before coming back to the next specific objective or unit in the appropriate sequence, you are encouraged to do so.

Column 2 – Specific Objectives: Column 2 shows the Specific Objectives for each unit. The specific objectives begin with numbers such as 1.3.5 or 2.2.1. These numbers are referred to as "Syllabus Reference Numbers". The first digit in the syllabus reference number refers to the section; the second digit refers to the unit, while the third digit refers to the rank order of the specific objective. For instance, 1.3.5 means Section 1, Unit 3 (of Section 1) and Specific Objective 5. In other words, 1.3.5 refers to Specific Objective 5 of Unit 3 of Section 1.

Similarly, the syllabus reference number 2.1.1 simply means Specific Objective number 1 of Unit 1 of Section 2. Using syllabus reference numbers provides an easy way for communication among educators. It further provides an easy way for selecting objectives for test construction. For instance, Unit 4 of Section 3 of year two has four specific objectives: 3.4.1 - 3.4.4. A teacher may want to base his/her test items/questions on objectives 3.4.3 and 3.4.4 and not use the other two objectives. In this way, the teacher would sample the objectives within units and within sections to be able to develop a test that accurately reflects the importance of the various skills taught in class.

You will note also that specific objectives have been stated in terms of the student i.e., what the student will be able to do after instruction and learning in the unit. Each specific objective hence starts with the following, "The student will be able to..." This in effect, means that you have to address the learning problems of each individual student. It means individualizing your instruction as much as possible such that the majority of students will be able to master the objectives of each unit of the syllabus.

<u>Column 3 – Content</u>: The "content" in the third column of the syllabus presents a selected body of information that you will need to use in teaching the particular unit. In some cases, the content presented is quite exhaustive. In other cases, you could add more information to the content presented, In a few cases the content space has been left blank for you to develop.

Column 4 – Teaching and Learning Activities (T/LA): T/L activities that will ensure maximum student participation in the lessons are presented in column 4. Avoid rote learning and drill-oriented methods and rather emphasize participatory teaching and learning, and also emphasize the cognitive, affective and psychomotor domains of knowledge in your instructional system wherever appropriate. You are encouraged to re-order the suggested teaching and learning activities and also add to them where necessary in order to achieve optimum student learning. As we have implied already, the major purpose of teaching and learning is to make students able to apply their knowledge in dealing with issues both in and out of school.

A suggestion that will help your students acquire the habit of analytical thinking and the capacity for applying their knowledge to problems is to begin each lesson with a practical problem. Select a practical problem for each lesson. The selection must be made such that students can use knowledge gained in the previous lesson and other types of information not specifically taught in class. At the beginning of a lesson, state the problem, or write the problem on the board. Let students analyse the problem, suggest solutions, etc., criticize solutions offered, justify solutions and evaluate the worth of possible solutions. There may be a number of units where you need to re-order specific objectives to achieve required learning effects.

<u>Column 5 – Evaluation</u>: Suggestions and exercises for evaluating the lessons of each unit are indicated in Column 5. Evaluation exercises can be in the form of oral questions, quizzes, class assignments, essays, structured questions, project work, etc. Try to ask questions and set tasks and assignments that will challenge your students to apply their knowledge to issues and problems as we have already said above and that will engage them in developing solutions and developing positive attitudes towards the subject as a result of having undergone instruction in this subject. The suggested evaluation tasks are not exhaustive. You are encouraged to develop other creative evaluation tasks to ensure that students have mastered the instruction and behaviour implied in the specific objectives of each unit.

Lastly, bear in mind that the syllabus cannot be taken as a substitute for lesson plans. It is, therefore, necessary that you develop a scheme of work and lesson plans for teaching the units of this syllabus.

PROFILE DIMENSIONS

A 'dimension' is a psychological unit for describing a particular learning behaviour. More than one dimension constitutes a profile of dimensions. A specific objective such as, "The student will be able to describe..." etc., contains an action verb "describe", that indicates what the student will be able to do after teaching has taken place. Being able to "describe" something after the instruction has been completed means that the student has acquired "knowledge". Being able to explain, summarize, give examples, etc. means that the student has understood the lesson taught. Similarly, being able to develop, plan, construct, etc. means that the student has learnt to create, innovate or synthesize knowledge. Each of the specific objectives in this syllabus contains an "action verb" that describes the behaviour the student will be able to demonstrate after the instruction. "Knowledge", "Application", etc. are dimensions that should be the prime focus of teaching and learning in schools. Instruction in most cases has tended to stress knowledge acquisition to the detriment of other higher level behaviours such as application, analysis, etc. We are interested most of all, to produce problem-solving persons and practically oriented persons through the educational system. Each action verb indicates the underlying profile dimension of each particular specific objective. Read each objective carefully to know the profile dimension toward which you have to teach.

In Clothing and Textiles, the three profile dimensions that have been specified for teaching, learning and testing are:

Knowledge and Understanding 15% Application of Knowledge 25% Practical Skills 60%

Each of the dimensions has been given a percentage weight that should be reflected in teaching, learning and testing. The weights, indicated on the right of the dimensions, show the relative emphasis that the teacher should give in the teaching, learning and testing processes. The focus of this syllabus is to get students not only to acquire knowledge but also to understand what they have learnt and apply them practically.

The explanation and key words involved in each of the dimensions are as follows:

Knowledge and Understanding (KU)

knowledge The ability to:

remember, recall, identify, define, describe, list, name, match, state principles, facts and concepts. Knowledge is simply the ability to

remember or recall material already learned and constitutes the lowest level of learning.

understanding The ability to

explain, summarize, translate, rewrite, paraphrase, give examples, generalize, estimate or predict consequences based upon a trend.

Understanding is generally the ability to grasp the meaning of some material that may be verbal, pictorial, or symbolic.

Application of Knowledge (AK)

The ability to use knowledge or apply knowledge, as implied in this syllabus, has a number of learning/behaviour levels. These levels include application, analysis, creativity, innovation or synthesis, and evaluation. These may be considered and taught separately, paying attention to reflect each of them equally in your teaching. The dimension "Application of Knowledge" is a summary dimension for all four learning levels. Details of each of the four sub-levels are as follows:

application The ability to

apply rules, methods, principles, theories, etc. to concrete situations that are new and unfamiliar. It also involves the ability to produce,

solve, operate, demonstrate, discover, etc.

analysis The ability to

break down a piece of material into its component parts; to differentiate, compare, distinguish, outline, separate, identify significant points, etc., recognize unstated assumptions and logical fallacies, recognize inferences from facts, etc. Analytical ability underlies discriminant

thinking.

Innovation/Creativity The ability to

put parts together to form a new whole. It involves the ability to synthesize, combine, compile, compose, devise, suggest a new idea or possible ways, plan, revise, design, organize, create, and generate new solutions. The ability to create or innovate is the highest form of learning. The world becomes more comfortable because some people, based on their learning, generate new ideas and solutions, design

and create new things.

Evaluation The ability to

appraise, compare features of different things and make comments or judgments, contrast, criticize, justify, support, discuss, conclude, make recommendations etc. Evaluation refers to the ability to judge the worth or value of some materials, ideas etc., based on some criteria. Evaluation is a constant decision making activity. We generally compare, appraise and select throughout the day. Every decision we make involves evaluation. Evaluation is a high level ability just as application, analysis and innovation or creativity since it goes beyond

simple knowledge acquisition and understanding.

The action verbs provided under the various profile dimensions and in the specific objectives of the syllabus should help you to structure your teaching such as to achieve the effects needed. Select from the action verbs provided for your teaching, in evaluating learning before, during and after the instruction. Use the action verbs also in writing your test questions.

Practical Skills (PS)

Practical skills involve the use of tools /equipment, skills and knowledge acquired in practical situations which involve pre-imaging to solve practical problems and produce items. For example, knowledge acquired about nutrients in food should be applied when the student is planning meals for different people and for meal preparation in general.

Many of the equipment needed for teaching the practical skills component of the subject may not be available in schools. For this reason, the teacher is advised to improvise or request students to bring them along where possible. You are encouraged to engage your students in practical work to help build their skills. When students undertake practicals they also develop the confidence to exhibit what they learn in similar situations.

Skills required for effective practical work are the following:

- 1. Handling Tools/Equipment
- 2. Observation
- 3. Originality
- 4. Perception
- 5. Creativity
- 6. Communication.

FORM OF ASSESSMENT

In developing assessment procedures, select specific objectives in such a way that you will be able to assess a representative sample of the syllabus objectives. Each specific objective in the syllabus is considered a criterion to be achieved by the student. When you develop a test that consists of items or questions that are based on a representative sample of the specific objectives taught, the test is referred to as a "Criterion-Referenced Test". In many cases, a teacher cannot test all the objectives taught in a term, in a year, etc. The assessment procedure you use i.e. class tests, home work, projects, etc. must be developed in such a way that it will consist of a sample of the important objectives taught over a period.

WAEC's examination structure at the WASSCE consists of two papers, Paper 1 and Paper 2 and the SBA. Paper 1 is a Practical Test and Paper 2 is a test of theory, consisting of two sections (A & B). Section A is composed of 60 objective questions and Section B consists of 6 essay questions out of which students answer 4 questions. Further details of the examination structure are provided below.

Paper 1: This is the Practical Test and carries 100 marks. The Practical Preparation or Assignment Planning carries 40 marks of the total marks while the Finished Dishes carry the remaining 60 marks.

Paper 2: Is a test of theory consisting of two sections A and B. Section A is the objective section and is composed of 60 objective items carrying 60 marks. Section B consists of 4 essay questions each of which carries 25 marks, making a total of 100 marks. About half of the essay questions will test knowledge of practical skills while the rest will test knowledge and understanding and use of knowledge. The structure of the examination papers, the mark distribution and the profile weights are indicated in the table below.

DISTRIBUTION OF EXAMINATION PAPER WEIGHTS AND MARKS

		Pap	er 2			
Dimensions	Paper 1					% Weight
	(Drooticals)	Section A	Section B	SBA	Total	of Profile
	(Practicals)	(Objective Questions)	(Essay Questions)		Marks	Dimension s
Knowledge and Understanding	-	30	25	-	55	15
Use of Knowledge	40	30	20	-	90	25
Practical Skills	60	-	55	110	225	60
Total	100	60	100	110	370	100
% Contribution of Exam Papers and SBA	27	16	27	30		

The numbers in the cells indicate the marks to be allocated to the items/questions that test each of the dimensions within the respective papers.

The last but one column shows the total marks allocated to each of the dimensions. The numbers in this column are additions of the numbers in the cells and they agree with the profile dimension weights indicated in the last column. The last row shows the weight of each of the papers and the SBA in the total marks of 370. Paper 1 has a weight of 27%, Section A of Paper 2 has a weight of 16%; Section B of Paper 2 has a weight of 27% and the SBA has a weight of 30%. The examination structure shows that the SBA should focus entirely on practical skills.

Item Bank: Obviously the structure of assessment recommended in this syllabus will need a lot of work on the part of the teacher. In preparation for setting examination papers, try to develop an item bank. The term "item bank" is a general term for a pool of objective items, a pool of essay questions or a pool of practical test questions. As you teach the subject, begin to write objective test items, essay questions, structured essay questions and practical test questions to fit selected specific objectives which you consider important to be tested. If you proceed diligently, you will realize you have written more than 100 objective test items, and more than 30 essay questions in a space of one year. Randomly select from the item bank to compose the test papers. Select with replacement. This means, as items/questions are selected for testing, new ones have to be written to replace those items/questions already used in examinations. Items and questions that have been used in examinations may also be modified and stored in the item bank.

An important issue in the preparation for a major examination such as the WASSCE, is the issue of "test wiseness". To be "test wise" means that the student knows the mechanics for taking a test. These mechanics include writing the index number and other particulars accurately and quickly on the answer paper; reading all questions before selecting the best questions to answer; apportioning equal time to each question or spending more time on questions that carry more marks; making notes on each question attempted before writing the answer; leaving extra time to read over one's work; finally checking to see that the personal particulars supplied on the answer sheet are accurate. Some good students sometimes fail to do well in major examinations because of weakness in the mechanics of test taking; because they are not test wise.

Take your final year students through these necessary mechanics so that their performance in major examinations may not be flawed by the slightest weakness in test taking.

GUIDELINES FOR SCHOOL-BASED ASSESSMENT (SBA)

A new School Based Assessment system (SBA) will be introduced into the school system in 2011. The new SBA system is designed to provide schools with an internal assessment system that will help schools to achieve the following purposes:

- Standardize the practice of internal school-based assessment in all Senior High Schools in the country
- Provide reduced assessment tasks for subjects studied at SHS
- o Provide teachers with guidelines for constructing assessment items/questions and other assessment tasks
- Introduce standards of achievement in each subject and in each SHS class
- o Provide guidance in marking and grading of test items/guestions and other assessment tasks
- o Introduce a system of moderation that will ensure accuracy and reliability of teachers' marks
- Provide teachers with advice on how to conduct remedial instruction on difficult areas of the syllabus to improve class performance.

SBA may be conducted in schools using the following: Mid-term test, Group Exercise, End-of-Term Test and Project

- 1. <u>Project:</u> This will consist of a selected topic to be carried out by groups of students for a year. Segments of the project will be carried out each term toward the final project completion at the end of the year. The projects may include the following:
 - i) experiment
 - ii) investigative study (including case study)\
 - iii) practical work assignment

A report must be written for each project undertaken.

Suggested Project Work

Year 1

Stitch sampler Specimens A simple Nightie or Pyjamas/Child's Dress, Shirt and Shorts.

Year 2

Self garment (for selected occasions)/simple dress, shirt and short slit and kaba.

Year 3

Articles of fabric crafts/customized (remodelled/renovated) articles.

- 2. Mid-Term Test: The mid-term test following a prescribed SBA format
- 3. Group Exercise: This will consist of written assignments or practical work on a topic(s) considered important or complicated in the term's syllabus
- 4. <u>End-of-Tem Test</u>: The end –of-term test is a summative assessment system and should consist of the knowledge and skills students have acquired in the term. The end-of-term test for Term 3 for example, should be composed of items/questions based on the specific objectives studied over the three terms, using a different weighting system such as to reflect the importance of the work done in each term in appropriate proportions. For example, a teacher may build an End-of-Term 3 test in such a way that it would consist of the 20% of the objectives studied in Term 1, 20% of objectives studied in Term 2 and 60% of the objectives studied in Term 3.

GRADING PROCEDURE

To improve assessment and grading and also introduce uniformity in schools, it is recommended that schools adopt the following WASSCE grade structure for assigning grades on students' test results. The WASSCE structure is as follows:

Grade A1:	80 - 100%	-	Excellent
Grade B2:	70 - 79%	-	Very Good
Grade B3:	60 - 69%	-	Good
Grade C4:	55 - 59%	-	Credit
Grade C5:	50 - 54%	-	Credit
Grade C6:	45 - 49%	-	Credit
Grade D7:	40 - 44%	-	Pass
Grade D8:	35 - 39%	-	Pass
Grade F9:	34% and belo	w -	Fail

In assigning grades to students' test results, you are encouraged to apply the above grade boundaries and the descriptors which indicate the meaning of each grade. The grade boundaries i.e., 60-69%, 50-54% etc., are the grade cut-off scores. For instance, the grade cut-off score for B2 grade is 70-79% in the example. When you adopt a fixed cut-off score grading system as in this example, you are using the criterion-referenced grading system. By this system a student must make a specified score to be awarded the requisite grade. This system of grading challenges students to study harder to earn better grades. It is hence a very useful system for grading achievement tests.

Always remember to develop and use a marking scheme for marking your class examination scripts. A marking scheme consists of the points for the best answer you expect for each question, and the marks allocated for each point raised by the student as well as the total marks for the question. For instance, if a question carries 20 marks and you expect 6 points in the best answer, you could allocate 3 marks or part of it (depending upon the quality of the points raised by the student) to each point, hence totaling 18 marks, and then give the remaining 2 marks or part of it for organization of answer. For objective test papers you may develop an answer key to speed up the marking.

SECTION 1

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

General Objectives: The student will:

- 1. be aware of available textiles and clothing careers.
- 2. appreciate the importance of work ethics.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1 CAREER TYPES	The student will be able to: 1.1.1 explain why Clothing and Textiles should be studied.	Reasons for studying Clothing and Textiles: - To acquire scientific knowledge in textiles. - Become aware of opportunities in textiles and clothing, etc.	Students to discuss in groups why Clothing/Textiles should be studied and report. Teacher to discuss reports to help them appreciate the need to study Clothing/Textile. Discuss the general objectives for Clothing and Textiles	
	1.1.2 identify different careers in Textiles and Clothing.	Some careers in Textiles and Clothing: - Interior decoration/designer - Dressmaking and tailoring - Teaching/lecturing - Wardrobe engineering (wardrobe planner) - Fashion designing - Pattern developing - Research market researcher tester - Fashion merchandizing (sales and retail) - Laundry operations or attendant - Factory work- Computer Aided Design (CAD) programming - Alterationist	Guide students to: - brainstorm on the different types of careers in Textiles and Clothing. - discuss most of the careers identified. stress that all the listed careers require further training.	Class exercise: Students should list 10 Clothing/Textiles careers and explain their benefits.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1 (CONT'D) CAREER TYPES	The student will be able to:	Equipment engineering/technology, - Pattern making and grading, - Cutter, - Machinist, - Finishing, - Quality control, - Production management, - Sales promotion/marketing specialist Upholstery making - Millinery - Clothing accessory designing and making, etc.		Home Work Students to visit the internet and other sources for more careers in clothing and textiles and report.
UNIT 2	1.1.3 analyse the basic requirements for Textiles and Clothing careers.	Basic Requirements For Careers: - Knowledge - Academic qualification - Skills - Professional background	Assist students to discuss the basic requirements of various careers in Textiles and Clothing with students. Organize field trips to Textiles and Clothing industries for students to observe industrial operations and interact with industrialists.	Home Work: Students should: 1. write reports on their field trips for discussion in class. 2. state their preferred Textiles and Clothing careers and give reasons for their preferences.
WORK ETHICS	1.2.1 explain work ethics.	Work Ethics: They are the demands and expectations of workers in a specific employment. They generally consist of rules and regulations, attitudes, behaviours which promote efficiency, job satisfaction and success.	Guide students to brainstorm and bring out the meaning of work ethics. Discuss the components of work ethics with students. Stress on the importance of work ethics to occupational success during the discussion sessions.	

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 2 (CONT'D)	The student will be able to:			
WORK ETHICS	1.2.2 analyse the benefits of work ethics.	Benefits Of Work Ethics: Increase in productivity Promote work efficiency Gives self satisfaction Increase earnings Promote good interpersonal Relationship between colleagues, Employees and between entrepreneurs and clients.	Students should role play scenarios to depict work ethics in selected Textiles and Clothing occupations. Guide class discussion on the benefits of work ethics.	Home Work: Students should find out the work ethics of any Textiles and Clothing occupation and report in class for discussions. The sources of information should include the internet.

SECTION 2

FIBRES AND FABRICS

General Objectives: The student will:

1. understand basic scientific concepts in textiles.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1 CLASSIFICATION AND IDENTIFICATION OF FIBRES	The student will be able to: 2.1.1 explain fibre.	Fibre: A fibre is a flexible tiny hair-like structure used to produce yarns for fabrics.	Guide students to explain fibre. Students to untwist a yarn and observe a fibre and brainstorm to explain what it is.	Oral Exercise: Students should make use of their observation to define fibre in their own words.
	2.1.2 identify the sources and classification of fibres.	Sources and classification of fibres: - Principal origin i.e. natural and man-made - Chemical type i.e. Cellulosic, Protein, Mineral, Synthetic, (Petroleum) Regenerated	Discuss the classification of fibres according to Principal Origin, Chemical Type, Family Name and Specific Name with students. Students to select two fibres and classify them following the classification steps under Content. Example (1) Principal Origin – Natural Fibre	

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
LINIT 1 (CONT'D)	The student will be able to:	CONTENT		
UNIT 1 (CONT'D) CLASSIFICATION AND IDENTIFICATION OF FIBRES	The student will be able to:	- Family name or type i.e. Seed, hair, stem, leaf, root, husk, animal skin, animal hair, animal secretion, rock, metallic, plant pulp, petroleum product, byproducts of natural fibres and chemicals combined. - Specific Name i.e. cotton, linen, silk, wool, silver, rayon, polyester, nylon, acetate, acrylic, glass, etc. Example (1) Principal origin: Natural Chemical Type: Cellulosic Family Name: Seed hair Specific Name: Cotton or silk Cotton. Example (2) Principal Origin Man-made. Chemical Type: By-Product of Petroleum or purely chemical Family Name: Synthetic Specific Name: Nylon, Polyester, Acrylic, spandex, etc.		Class Exercise: Students should be given one fibre to trace through the classification.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1 (CONT'D)	The student will be able to:			
CLASSIFICATION AND IDENTIFICATION OF FIBRES	2.1.3 identify fibres.	Identification of Fibres: Fibres may be identified by -Visual inspection - Microscopic examination - Burning Test - Absorbency Test, - Feel/Hand/Touch	Discuss the different methods used in fibre identification. Demonstrate and assist students to use the underlisted methods to identify different fibres. Identification methods to be practiced: - burning, absorbency, visual inspection, touch. Emphasize on the need to test for fibre and not yarn or fabric since yarns and fabrics may be mixtures or blends. Ensure that students test fibres in both directions of the weave as well as colours. NB: Seek the assistance of the Chemistry Teacher if it becomes necessary.	Assignment: Assign students to test for specific types of fibres in their fabrics e.g. wax print, grey baft, toweling.
UNIT 2				
CHARACTERISTICS/ PROPERTIES OF FIBRES	2.2.1 describe the characteristics of natural and man-made fibres and their performance.	Characteristics/Properties of Fibres: Characteristics of fibres result from their chemical composition.	Discuss the general characteristics of fibres with students.	

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 2 (CONT'D) CHARACTERISTICS/ PROPERTIES OF FIBRES	The student will be able to:	Fibres of the same chemical type have similar characteristics. Characteristics of cellulosic fibres: - They are very absorbent so they dye very well and are able to absorb sweat very well to make them cool and comfortable to use in hot or warm weathers.	NB: Point out characteristics that are peculiar with specific fibres to students e.g. silk is lighter, finer and stronger than wool; cotton is softer than linen or flax and jute. Assist students to identify the characteristics of cellulosic fibres and relate fibre characteristics with fabric performance or behaviour. E.g. Cellulosic fibres have low resiliency and therefore their fabrics wrinkle badly.	
		 They have low resiliency and therefore wrinkle or crease badly. They are non-thermoplastic therefore they can withstand high temperatures without melting, etc. 	Students to form smaller groups and discuss how the properties of cellulosic fibres affect the performance or behaviour of fabrics in use. They are to report findings in class for assessment.	Home work:
		Properties of protein fibres: - High resiliency so hang out well and does not crease easily Weaker when wet so they relax or shrink if not well washed. They are however very strong in their dry state, etc.	Guide students in a discussion to identify the characteristics/properties of protein fibres and relate them to their fabric performance e.g. Protein fibres are eaten by insects to destroy them.	Students to find out four more properties of protein fibres and their resultant performances and submit in class.
		 Wool is a non-conductor of heat: Warm to wear. Very absorbent and is comfortable to wear in cold weather. Scaly therefore felts and can irritate the skin in hot or dry weather Feels dry on the surface in its wet state therefore prevents chill. 		

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 2 (CONT'D) CHARACTERISTICS/ PROPERTIES OF FIBRES	The student will be able to:	Synthetic fibres: - Are thermoplastic therefore melt on exposure to high temperature - Low absorbency so absorbs very little moisture - High resiliency so they do not wrinkle badly Regenerated cellulosics e.g. Rayon, acetate - Characteristics are similar to cellulosic fibres. Regenerated Protein e.g. casein - Characteristics are similar to protein fibres: Natural mineral fibres: - High density eg. steel, asbestos, aluminium, gold, glass. - Heavy in weight. - Flame proof so do not burn		Class Exercise: Give class exercise to test students' knowledge and understanding of the characteristics of four specific fibres from four different chemical groups.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 3	The student will be able to:			
CONSTRUCTION OF TEXTILE FABRICS	2.3.1 explain common terms in textiles.	Common Textiles Terms: Fibre Yarn Filament Fabric Staple Selvedge Warp/weft A yarn: is composed of several fibres, grouped and often spun or twisted together. Fabric: is a large film produced from general fibres/filaments.	Using real objects, charts or pictures, guide students to explain the terms in content. Students in groups to differentiate between the following terms: Fibre and Fabrics Fibre and Yarn Warp, Weft and Selvedge Yarns or Threads Staple and Filament fibres	Class Exercise: Students to make folders of fibres, yarns and fabrics and their methods of construction.
	2.3.2 identify the different methods of constructing fabrics.	Methods of Fabric Production: - Weaving - Knitting - Quilting - Crocheting - Lacing - Bonding - Netting	Assist students to examine pieces of fabric to identify differences in their construction. Using diagram/pictures, discuss how each is made.	Project work: Students to make folders of fabrics with different methods of fabric construction.

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what a Class Test: Students to be tested on finishes and their effects. students. Class Exercise: Examine six finishes and	ACTIVITIES Students to brainstorm to explain what a finish is and discuss its purpose. Discuss the different finishes with students. Name the finish, the effect it produces on	Fabric Finishes: A finish is treatment given to a fibre, yarn or fabric either before or after constructing the fabric to improve the appearance, hand (feel) and performance. Types of Finishes:	The student will be able to: 2.4.1 explain the purposes of fabric finishes. 2.4.2 describe types of finishes.	UNIT 4 FABRIC FINISHES
ey are indicate the fabric on which each is applied.	fibres, yarns or fabrics to which they are applied. Discuss finishes for other fabrics.	Beetling is a mechanical finish applied to cotton and linen to flatten the yarns to increase luster or sheen. Calendaring – applied to all fabrics to smoothen their surfaces. Mercerization – a chemical finish applied to cellulose fibres. Add luster, improves absorbency, increases strength. Other Types of Finishes: Singeing, sizing, weighting,		
	fibres, yarns or fabrics to which they ar applied.	Beetling is a mechanical finish applied to cotton and linen to flatten the yarns to increase luster or sheen. Calendaring – applied to all fabrics to smoothen their surfaces. Mercerization – a chemical finish applied to cellulose fibres. Add luster, improves absorbency, increases strength. Other Types of Finishes:		

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UNIT 5	The student will be able to:			
TYPES OF FABRIC	2.5.1 identify the different types of fabric for each fibre.	Types of Fabric: Several types of fabric may be produced from the same type of fibre. Examples of cotton fabrics: Grey Baft, Calico/Poplin, Wax Prints (Dumas), Plaid, Lawn, Muslin, Lace, Jersey, Seer- Sucker, Plisse', Crinkle, Gingham, Madras, Cheese Cloth, Cotton, Toweling, Drill, Corduroy, Cotton Velvet, Damask, Denim, Brushed Cotton, Flannelette, Winceyette, etc. Examples of Linen fabrics: Damask, Embroidery Linen, Suiting Linen, Handkerchief Linen, Lace, Gingham, Printed Linen, Dress Linen, Sheeting, Crash, Canvas. Examples of Silk fabrics: Taffeta, Chiffon, Organza, Washed Silk, Silk Satin, Habutai, Dupion, Shuntung, Tussore, etc. Examples of Woollen fabrics: Tweed, Jersey, Mohair, Flannel, Worsted, Gabardine, Cashmere, etc. Examples of Synthetic fabrics: Acrylic-Pile, Jersey, Fur, Fleece, etc. Polyamide/Nylon, Organza, Chiffon, Satin, Brocade, Jersey, etc. Polyester- Crimplene, Terylene, Dacron, Net, Lace, etc.	Assist students to identify different types of fabrics for the different fibres.	Project work: Students should collect pieces of fabric from garment manufacturers and make folders of fabric samples for assessment.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 5 TYPES OF FABRIC	The student will be able to: 2.5.2 identify fabric related health issues.	Fabric related health issues Natural fabrics: 1. Cellulosic fabrics (cotton, linen, jute, ramie, etc) are cool to wear so they are not suitable for cold and chilly weathers. People who are not to be exposed to cold weather should avoid the use of such fabrics e.g. (babies, asthmatic and sickle cell patients, etc). Such fabrics should be used only in hot weather. Cold air can easily pass through the fabrics to make the wearer feel chilly and cause health crises. 2. Protein fabrics (wool, silk, etc) are warm to wear. They are therefore not suitable to wear in warm weather. In dry weather they emit electrical charges and make the wearer feel uncomfortable. • wool especially has scaly outer wall which pricks the skin and make the wearer feel uncomfortable. To forestall this problem, smooth lining fabrics should be used inside woolen garments. • Make wearers feel uncomfortable in dry weather. Such fabrics should not be worn in dry and hot weather.	Discussion of health issues relating to fabric use. It could be done in groups and reports presented in class.	Students will be assigned to identify and list fabric related health issues of their friends and family members.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 5 (Cont'd)	The student will be able to:	 Sweat resulting from the use of these fabrics remain on the surface of the body and with the grime/sweat and the air around, bacteria, thrives and causes skin infections. Synthetic fabrics are especially not good to be used for undergarments, such as panties, boxer shorts, girdles, brassiers in the tropics where the weather is hot and people sweat a lot. 		
FABRICS COMBINATIONS	2.6.1 explain the reasons for combinations in textile production.	Reasons for combinations: Combinations are made in fabrics to improve performance, care and aesthetic properties. Combinations in textile production may be at the spinning or fabric production stage.	Guide students to discuss the differences between the appearances of unironed calico and cotton-polyester fabrics. Discuss reasons for combinations in textiles production. Stress that combinations are usually influenced by the properties desired in the final fabric. E.g. Combinations of cotton and polyester imparts coolness from the cotton and wrinkle resistance from the polyester.	
	2.6.2 differentiate between blends and mixtures.	Blends: Different fibres are spun to make yarns to produce a fabric. Mixtures: Yarns of different fibres are used to produce the fabric.	Discuss the two main types of combinations with students. Give examples in each case. Point out that blends are inseparable and their fibres are not easily identified but mixtures can be separated and their fibres can easily be identified.	Home work: Students should visit a market and notice what kind of fabrics people are wearing and answer the following questions. What is the most popular fabric. Find out: - what fibres they are made of, - If any of them is a blend or a mixture.

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UNIT 7	The student will be able to:			
USES AND CARE OF FABRICS	2.7.1 identify the uses of different fabrics.	Uses of Fabrics Cotton Fabrics: - Underwear - Outerwear, - Accessories, etc. - Household linen - Industrial materials Linen Fabrics: - Outerwear - Accessories - Household linen, - Industrial materials, etc. Silk Fabrics: - Outer garments - Accessories Woolen Fabrics: - Outwear - Accessories - Household articles Nylon Fabrics: - undergarments - outer garments - industrial materials	Students work in groups to identify the uses of different fabrics from natural and manmade sources. Discuss the uses of fabrics from different fibre sources based on students reports.	Class Exercise: Assign smaller groups of students to list the uses of specific fabrics and report.
	2.7.2 describe the care of different fabrics.	Polyester Fabrics: As for nylon Acrylic Fabrics: As for nylon. Care of fabrics: - According to their chemical types (cellulose, protein, synthetic, regenerated) According to finishes given to them.	Guide students to describe how to care for different fabrics bearing in mind the chemical types of fibres and finishes.	Class work: Students should explain why they need to press washed linen blouses or shirts and not their washed nylon night gowns.

SECTION 3

CLOTHING

General Objectives: The student will:

- 1. recognise the significance of clothing.
- 2. acquire skills in selecting appropriate clothing for family members for specific occasions.
- 3. appreciate the importance of choosing designs and styles suitable for the different body types.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1 CONCEPT OF CLOTHING	The student will be able to: 3.1.1 explain the concept of clothing.		Students to brainstorm and come out with the meaning of clothing.	
UNIT 2 FUNCTIONS OF CLOTHING	3.1.2 identify the different functions of clothing.	Clothing: Clothing is anything worn or carried on the body to modify personal appearance.	Students in groups to discuss the functions of clothes, accessories and cosmetics. Students to debate in class on decent dressing OR the pros and cons of fashion adoption among SHS students.	Oral Quiz: Students to answer oral questions on functions of clothing.
		Functions of Clothing: - Adornment - Protection - Modesty or Decency - Status Identity - Group Identity - Mood Expression - Sexual Lure - Impression Creation - Attraction	Teacher to stress the need for decency and sensible adoption and adherence to fashion dictates.	

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 3	The student will be able to:			
CLASSIFICATION OF CLOTHING	3.3.1 classify clothing according to uses.	Classification of Clothing: Clothes: - underwear - innerwear - outerwear, etc. Accessories: - headdress, - jewellery - foot wear - carried objects - belts - hosiery - eye glasses, etc. Cosmetics: - pomade - powder - perfume	Assist students to classify clothing according to use. Discuss the different types under each category of clothes. Point out how clothes are grouped locally as against the classification given.	Oral Quiz: Students to answer oral questions on functions of clothing.
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UNIT 4 WARDROBE PLANNING	3.4.1 explain the term wardrobe.	Wardrobe: a collection of clothes, accessories and cosmetics (make-up). Wardrobe of family members cover: - babies - children - adolescents - the physically challenged - men - women - pregnant women - the aged	Students to brainstorm to explain the term wardrobe. Class discussion on the wardrobes of members of the family. Students to list items in their personal wardrobes.	Group Project: Put students in smaller groups to plan a decent wardrobe for boys and girls in SHS and report to class for peer evaluation.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 2 (CONT'D) WARDROBE PLANNING	The student will be able to: 3.4.2 analyse the factors that influence clothing	Factors to consider in Selecting family clothing:	Class discussion on points to consider in selecting family clothing.	Class Test: On the factors that affect
	selection of the family.	- Family Life Cycle - Family budget -Community standards - Occupation - Age and sex of family members	Stress on the importance of prioritizing the needs of all members in selecting/clothing.	clothing needs of a family.
	3.4.3 plan a wardrobe.	Planning the wardrobe. Factors to consider when planning a wardrobe: - Take clothing inventory - Climate - Age - Money - Status - Activities, etc.	Assist students to discuss the factors to consider in wardrobe planning.	Assignment: Students to develop a personal wardrobe plan for assessment. Make a chart on wardrobe planning.
	3.4.4 discuss the benefits of wardrobe planning.	Benefits of planning a wardrobe: To save money Have clothing for a variety of activities Avoid repeating items To avoid buying unnecessary items	Put students into smaller groups to discuss the benefits of planning a wardrobe and report for discussion.	Oral Quiz: On the importance of wardrobe planning.

SECTION 4

GOOD GROOMING

General Objectives: The student will:

- 1.
- appreciate the importance of good appearance and manners. demonstrate knowledge and skills needed to maintain dress sense. 2.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1	The student will be able to:			
CONCEPT OF GOOD GROOMING	4.1.1 explain good grooming.	Good Grooming: Good grooming is the total appealing appearance of a person. OR Having a pleasing appearance and conduct. It covers physical appearance and behaviour.	Brainstorm on the meaning of good grooming.	Class work: Students to write down the meaning of good grooming in their notebooks.
	4.1.2 explain the importance of good grooming.	Importance of good grooming: - builds self confidence - gives vitality	Students work in groups to come out with the importance of good grooming. Groups to report for class discussions.	Quiz: Written quiz on the importance of good grooming.
UNIT 2				
FACTORS THAT PROMOTE GOOD GROOMING	4.2.1 examine factors that promote good grooming.	Factors: - posture - diet - exercise - rest and relaxation - personal cleanliness (hygiene) care of hair, teeth, hands, feet, clothing, etc environmental hygiene	Class discussion on the factors that promote good grooming. Emphasis should be placed on manners and decency in dressing.	Oral quiz: Oral quiz on the factors that promote good grooming.

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UNIT	SI	PECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 2 (CONT'D)	The st	udent will be able to:			
FACTORS THAT PROMOTE GOOD GROOMING	4.2.2	describe personal and environmental hygiene practices.	Personal Hygiene: - regular bath – use of natural deodorants - keeping clean teeth and fresh breathe - cleanliness of clothes, etc.	Class discussion on various personal/environmental hygiene practices to keep the body healthy. Guide students to identify ways to improve personal and environmental hygiene. Emphasis should be on clothing workshop, storage area, organization of equipment and clothing for the prevention of frustration and stress.	Homework: Students to compile a list of local materials for cleaning the body, teeth, etc.
	4.2.3	relate the effect of personal and environmental hygiene to health.	Effects of personal and environmental hygiene to health poor infestation - Ill-health - body odour and good or insanitary environment - promote sound body	Using the Future's Wheel. Let students trace the effects of personal and environmental hygiene on health.	
	4.2.4	explain the importance of good health.	- healthy people enhance productivity Good Health: Importance of Good Health in	Assist students to discuss the importance of good health to individuals in terms of good grooming.	
	4.2.5	identify appropriate healthy habits.	Relation to Good Grooming. Healthy Habits:	Students to discuss the impact of exercise, rest, relaxation and sleep, healthy eating, etiquette and regular bowel movement as essential components of healthy living.	Quiz on importance of rest and relaxation to health.
			regular exercisesadequate rest and relaxationhealthy eating habits	Emphasise the importance of rest in the routine life styles of everyone.	
	4.2.6	demonstrate correct postures for different activities.	- etiquette - regular bowel movement, etc. Correct Posture:	Teacher demonstrates the correct ways of standing, walking, sitting, lifting, particularly ways for sitting for boys and girls.	Assignment: Class to create a Bulletin
			Sitting – sit straight with back of chair supporting your back e.g. driving, working.	Students to practise the different correct postures.	Board on good posture.
			Sleeping – keep the back straight, lying on your side with knees slightly bent. Walking – chest out, straight without wobbling buttocks, etc.	Teacher to stress on the effect of posture on the body.	

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 3	The student will be able to:			
CLOTHES ACCESSORIES AND COSMETICS	4.3.1 select appropriate clothes and accessories for different occasions.	Selection of Appropriate clothes and Accessories: Dress Sense: - dangers linked with clothing and accessories (tight or loose clothing) - high heel shoes/tight shoes - certain types of panties (G-strings)	Students to discuss appropriate selection of clothes and accessories to suit various figure types, complexions, occasion, etc.	Class Exercise: Students dress and use make-ups for different occasions. Assess students' appearance and suitability of dressing.
	4.3.2 demonstrate the proper use of cosmetics.	Note: Combining fabrics from different sources to make garments may not be healthy. PROPER USE OF COSMETICS:	Organize a visit to a Beautician/ Cosmetologist for students to observe the following: i the set up ii cosmetics iii. available services iv. application of products, etc. Discuss student's observations in class.	Students to sketch appropriate clothes for different occasions for assessment.
	4.3.3 analyse the effects of cosmetics on health.	 face powder eye brow pencil eye liner mascara eye shadow lip-stick lip-gloss hair products, etc. 	Discussion must cover hair care and hair products, eg. Shampoo, conditioners, hair dyes, relaxers, pomade. Students to present reports in class on findings on the assignment. • Discuss their reports to draw conclusions	Homework: Assign students to find out chemicals in cosmetics and their effects on the body (group protect)
		Effects of chemicals on: - skin - scalp - hair - eyes, nail, etc.	on the effects of identified chemicals on the parts of the body in content. Note: Emphasise skin bleaching cosmetics and their damaging effects on the body, stressing the need to avoid them.	

SECTION 5

EQUIPMENT AND TOOLS FOR CLOTHING CONSTRUCTION

General Objectives: The student will:

1. appreciate the need for proper selection, use and maintenance of equipment and tools for sewing.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1 CLASSIFICATION OF EQUIPMENT AND TOOLS BY THEIR FUNCTIONS	The student will be able to: 5.1.1 classify sewing equipment and tools by their functions.	Classification of Sewing Equipment and Tools: Small Equipment e.g. scissors, needle, thimble Large Equipment e.g. table, mirror Classification by Function: Pressing Stitching Fitting Measuring Storing Cutting Marking	Class to review the classification of sewing equipment and tools treated in JHS. Guide students to brainstorm to come up with the classification of sewing equipment and tools according to their functions. Students to discuss examples of tools under each of the functions discussed.	Class Test: Conduct a short test based on topic.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 2 SELECTION, USE AND CARE OF SEWING EQUIPMENT AND TOOLS	The student will be able to: 5.2.1 explain the factors that affect choice of sewing equipment/tools.	Factors that affect the choice of sewing equipment and tools.	Students to brainstorm to come out with factors that affect the choice of sewing tools and equipment.	
	5.2.2 describe the uses of various tools and equipment.	- available money - expertise	Class discussion on the uses of various tools and equipment.	Questions and Answers on the uses of sewing equipment and tools.
	5.2.3 demonstrate the correct handling of various tools and equipment.	- space, etc.	Teacher to demonstrate the correct handling of tools and equipment. Students to practice the correct way of handling the tools and equipment.	Class Exercise: Teacher assesses students' practical handling of various tools and equipment.
	5.2.4 give reasons for the care of tools and equipment.	Uses of tools and equipment for sewing, e.g. iron for pressing to smoothen fabrics and sewn articles.	Group students to discuss the reasons for taking good care of tools and equipment and report for class discussion.	
	5.2.5 describe the different ways of caring for various tools and equipment when in use and when not in use.	Correct handling of tools and equipment, e.g. handling of scissors.	Put students into smaller groups to discuss and present in class how to care for various tools and equipment.	Tabulate the choice, use and care of equipment for assessment.
		Reasons for caring for tools and equipment, e.g for the equipment to last long for efficiency, etc.		
		Care of tools and equipment: e.g. Pins: keep in pin box and sprinkle with powder to prevent rusting.		

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 3 TYPES OF SEWING MACHINE	The student will be able to: 5.3.1 identify the types of sewing machines (treated in JHS).	Types of Sewing Machines: - Hand - Treadle	Students in groups to come up with a list and description of the different types of the sewing machine.	
	5.3.2 explain the advantages and disadvantages of each type.	- Electric Advantages and disadvantages of the types of sewing machines.	Review type of sewing machine treated in (JHS). Class discussion on the advantages and	
UNIT 4			disadvantages of each type of sewing machine.	
PARTS OF THE SEWING MACHINE	5.4.1 identify the different parts of a sewing machine.	Parts of the sewing machine: - Handle - Balanced wheel - Feed dog, etc.	Assist students to identify and describe the different parts of the sewing machine.	Class Exercise:
	5.4.2 describe the functions of each part.	Functions of the parts of the sewing machine.	Class discussion on the functions of the various parts of the sewing machine.	- Students to give two advantages and two disadvantages of each of the types of sewing Machine.
UNIT 5 USING THE SEWING MACHINE	5.5.1 use a sewing machine correctly.	Setting and threading the sewing machine: - Wind the bobbin - Set stitch length regulator - Set needle - Thread and test the machine	Teacher to provide template for students to draw and label a sewing machine. Teacher demonstrates how to set and thread the sewing machine.	Oral quiz on the parts of a sewing machine.
			Students to practise setting and threading of a sewing machine.	Class Test: Students to state the functions of the parts of the sewing machine.
				Practical Test on the threading of a sewing machine.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 6	The student will be able to:			
CARE OF THE SEWING MACHINE	5.6.1 explain why sewing machines are cared for.	Care of the Sewing Machine: Reasons: - to make it last long - for efficiency	Class discussion on reasons for caring for a sewing machine.	Class Exercise: Students to write down reasons for caring for the sewing machine in their note books.
	5.6.2 describe the various ways to care for the sewing machine.	Care of the Sewing Machine: - when in use - when not in use, etc.	Students to brainstorm on the various ways of caring for the sewing machine. Teacher leads discussion on the salient points.	
			Demonstrate how to oil the sewing machine. Students to practise how to oil the sewing machine.	
	5.6.3 use the sewing machine to stitch straight, curves and corners.	How to use the Sewing Machine: - For straight stitching - Curves, etc.	Teacher demonstrates straight stitching and pivoting in a corner. Students to practise straight stitching and pivoting in a corner.	Assess students' practical work.
UNIT 7			Encourage them to practice these many times to develop their skills.	
COMMON FAULTS AND REMEDIES OF THE SEWING MACHINE	5.7.1 analyse common faults on the sewing machine.	Common Faults in Sewing and their causes.	Guide students to discuss common faults in sewing and their causes.	
	5.7.2 suggest ways of correcting common faults in sewing.	Remedies of Common Faults in Sewing.	Put students into smaller groups to suggest remedies to the faults discussed above and present in class. Let them effect their remedies in practical activities to ensure they are realistic.	Class Exercise: Students to tabulate faults, their causes and remedies in their note books.

SECTION 6

SEWING PROCESSES I

General Objectives: The student will:

- 1. acquire knowledge and develop basic skills in the construction of clothing.
- 2. understand methods and procedures for working processes in clothing construction.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1	The student will be able to:			
STITCHES	6.1.1 recall the two main types of stitches.	Types of stitches: Temporary Stitches or stitches for preliminary fixing e.g. tacking stitches. Permanent Stitches – Stitches for: Joining, Neatening and embroidery.	Ask students questions to recall previous knowledge on temporary and permanent stitches.	Oral exercise on the different groups of stitches and their uses.
	6.1.2 classify stitches according to functions.	Functional Classification of Stitches: 1. Temporary stitches long and short tacking - even tacking	Review classification of stitches according to functions through questions and answers.	
		 diagonal tacking tailor's tacking, etc. 	Teacher to display stitch sampler for students to observe.	
		Permanent stitches joining stitches e.g. back, running neatening stitches e.g. blanket hemming decorative stitches, e.g. sating, herringbone [stitches for holding finished edges]	Teacher to draw students' attention to the fact that some stitches are multi-functional and may therefore be used to join, neaten and decorate e.g. blanket and herringbone.	
	6.1.3 explain the general rules for working stitches.	General rules for working stitches - thread must be suitable in texture and colour - use correct needle type/size for stitches being made - fasten on and off securely, etc.	Students to discuss the general rules for working stitches. Stress the rules for both hand and machine stitches.	

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1(CONT'D)	The student will be able to:			
SIIICHES	6.1.4 make specimens of selected stitches.	Working of temporary stitches: - diagonal tacking - tailor's tacking, tailor's tacks. Working of permanent stitches: - joining stitches e.g. herringbone etc - neatening stitches e.g. blanket etc decorative stitches eg. satin etc.	Teacher to demonstrate how to work different temporary and permanent stitches (stress on fastening on and off for both hand and machine stitching. Students to make samples of the stitches for their specimen book.	Project:
UNIT 2 CLASSIFICATION AND CHOICE OF SEAMS	6.2.1 explain the general use of seams.	General Use of Seams: - For joining layers of fabrics together neatly and securely For decoration, etc.	Students to brainstorm on the general use of seams.	Students to prepare a sampler on temporary and permanent stitches. Students should update their specimen books with the
	6.2.2 describe two groups of seams.	Groups of Seams: - Conspicuous seams e.g. Overlaid Seam - Inconspicuous Seam e.g. French Seam	Show samples to students and assist them to differentiate between conspicuous and in conspicuous seams. Explain that, the classification changes with fashion.	specimens made for assessment. Class Exercise on types of seams.
	6.2.3 outline the factors to consider in choosing a seam.	Factors affecting choice of seams: - The wearer - Style - Position, etc.	Guide students to discuss factors to consider when choosing seams.	
	6.2.4 examine the general rules for making seams.	General rules for making seams: Thread for making seams must be suitable to that fabric in Width of seam should suit the texture of fabaric.	Discuss with students the general rules for making seams. Stress on the need to adhere to the rules to ensure quality.	Quiz on factors to consider before choosing a seam.
	6.2.5 make specimens of the commonly used seams.	Working of seams: - French Plain (Open or closed) Overlaid - Top stitched - Machine fell • All seams of same type on an article must be of same width etc.	Teacher to demonstrate how to make the suggested seams to students in groups. Students to make specimens of the seams listed under content.	Home Work: Students to mount specimens in a folder and label them.

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UNIT 3	The student will	be able to:			
ARRANGEMENT OF FULLNESS	6.3.1 identify the arranging	ne methods of g fullness.	Methods of arranging fullness: - Gathering - Smocking - Darts, etc.	Display samples to help students describe the methods of arranging fullness.	Homework: Students to prepare folders of each method using pictures
	when cho	actors to consider posing methods of g fullness.	Factors to Consider in choosing: - Fabric - Figure Type - Purpose for which articles will be used, etc	Guide class discussion on the factors to consider when choosing methods of arranging fullness.	from magazines and catalogues. They should write brief notes on uses of each method.
		pecimens on d methods.	Preparing different fullness: - Darts - Pleats - Gathers - Shirring	Teacher to demonstrate the working of the specified types of fullness. Students to make specimens of the specified methods.	Homework: Students to mount their specimen and label them for
UNIT 4			Edga Finishaa	A soist students to differentiate between	assessment.
EDGE FINISHES	6.4.1 explain t finishes'	he term 'edge	Edge Finishes: - Processes worked on raw edges of articles.	Assist students to differentiate between finished and unfinished edges of articles and explain the term edge finishes.	
	6.4.2 outline reedges.	easons for finishing	Reasons for finishing edges: - To prevent fraying - To neaten	Students in groups make presentations in class.	
	euges.		- To reater - To strengthen - To decorate - For style, etc.	Discuss reasons for finishing edges.	
	6.4.3 identify of require f	edges that inishing.	Edges that require finishing: necklines, armholes, hems, table cloths, chair backs, etc.	Class discussion on edges of articles that require finishing.	
	6.4.4 describe of edge	the different types finishes.	Types of edge finishes: - Facing - Binding - Hems – single layer and double layer finishing - Attaching lace	Students to observe articles with edges of some of the specified finishes and describe each. NOTE: Hems are not always turned.	

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
	The student will be able to: 6.4.5 outline the points to consider when choosing edge finishes.	Points to consider when choosing edge finishes: - Fabric being used The type of article - Position of the edge, etc.	Students to discuss the points to consider when choosing edges.	
	6.4.6 neaten raw edges using appropriate edge finishes.	Finishing edges by: - Facing - Binding - Hemming - Attaching lace	Teacher to demonstrate how to face, bind, hem and attach lace. Students to make specimens of the treated edge finishes.	Project Work: Students to mount their specimens for assessment.

SECTION 1

SEWING PROCESSES II

General Objectives: The student will:

1. acquire knowledge and develop basic skills in the construction of clothing.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1 OPENINGS AND FASTENINGS	The student will be able to: 1.1.1 describe the different types of openings.	Different types of Openings: Continuous Wrap, Bound, Faced Slit, Box-Pleat, Fly-Front, Hem.	Display samples of the listed openings for observation and discussion with students.	
	1.1.2 classify openings.	Classification of Openings: - Overlapping - Openings with meeting edges.	Assist students to classify the openings mentioned under content. Encourage them to examine their clothes for openings utilized.	
	1.1.3 discuss the factors that affect the selection of openings.	Factors that influence the selection of Openings: - Position on the article - Age of wearer - Style of article, etc.	Students to brainstorm on the factors that influence the selection of openings. Guide them to discuss the factors that dictate the selection of openings	Class Test: On types, classification and factors that affect selection of openings.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
	The student will be able to: 1.1.4 work specimens on the different openings.	Practical work on openings: Directions for working: - Faced slit opening - Bound opening - Continuous wrap opening.	Teacher to demonstrate with detailed instructions, how to work the specified openings. Students to make specimens of Wrap, Faced Slit and Continuous Wrap openings.	Home Work: Students to mount specimens in folders for assessment.
	1.1.5 explain the term fastenings.	Fastenings: - Devices used to close openings.	Students brainstorm to explain fastenings and give examples.	
	1.1.6 select appropriate fastenings for different openings.	Choice of Fastenings: Points to consider: - Type of opening - Age of wearer - Style of article, etc.	Guide students to discuss the points to consider when selecting fastenings for different openings.	
	1.1.7 fix fastenings correctly on openings.	Fixing of fastenings: Directions to follow in fixing: Press studs Hook and eye Buttons and button-holes Zipper	Demonstrate how to fix fastenings with detailed instructions. Students to work specimens of the specified fastenings and mount them in a folder.	Class Exercise: List number of fastenings and openings on the chalkboard and let students match them according to suitability for assessment
				Students to mount specimens in their folders for assessment.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 2	The student will be able to:			
POCKETS	1.2.1 describe the different types of pockets.	Types of Pockets: Patch Pocket, Bound Pocket, Welt Pocket, In-Seam pocket.	Guide students to discuss the different types of pockets under: Features and where they can be made on a garment.	Class Exercise: Students to sketch the different types of pockets in their notebooks and clearly label them.
	1.2.2 prepare and fix pockets to garments.	Fixing Pockets: Directions for preparing and fixing the Patch Pocket.	Teacher to demonstrate how to prepare and fix the patch pocket for students to make specimens:	Students to mount specimens in their specimen books.

SECTION 2

OTHER TECHNIQUES IN SEWING

General Objectives: The student will:

1. develop skills in advanced work in sewing.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1	The student will be able to:			
LINING AND INTERFACING	2.1.1 describe lining and interfacing.	Lining: - A second layer cut to the size of an article and attached to the wrong side.	Display lined and interfaced articles for students to examine and describe them.	
		Interfacing: - A third layer cut to the size of the facing for a section and sewn between the section and its facing.		
	2.1.2 outline the importance of lining and interfacing.	Importance of lining: - Enables garments to slip on and off easily - Provides body and shape to articles - Makes articles look neat on the wrong side, etc.	Guide students to: Discuss the importance of lining and interfacing. Provide samples to clarify explanations.	
		Importance of Interfacing: - It provides body and strength and brings out the shape of the section it is used on, etc.		
	2.1.3 suggest fabrics for lining and interfacing.	Fabrics for lining and interfacing: Lining – Soft, smooth fabric with matching or contrasting fabric colour e.g. Rayon taffeta.	Discuss the qualities of fabrics for lining and interfacing. Give examples of each.	Homework:
		Interfacing- Varies in weights but are firm and crisp. They may be woven, e.g. canvas or unwoven, e.g. Vilene.	Note: Teacher should stress on the use of the correct terms in day to day communication.	Students to make a list of fabrics suitable for: Lining and Interfacing.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1 (CONT'D) LINING AND INTERFACING	The student will be able to: 2.1.4 differentiate between the types of lining. 2.1.5 make specimen of the types	Types of Lining: - Close-ended joined to all edges Or edge-t-edge - Free-hanging-left to hang loose in the garment.	Discuss the characteristics of close-ended or edge-to edge and free hanging lining. Show examples of each in a specific garment. Demonstrate to students how to make both types and assist them to make specimens.	Assignment: Students to make the specimen of the two types of lining and mount them up in their books.
FASHION FEATURES	2.2.1 identify fashion features on garments.	Fashion features on garments: - Collars - Necklines - Sleeves - Waistlines - Hem-widths and shapes - Trimmings - Belts - Frills	Guide students to discuss features of garments that change with fashion changes and list them on the chalkboard.	Oral quiz on fashion features.
	2.2.2 make sleeves, collars and frills on articles.	Practical work: Preparation of specimens on fashion features - Collars - Sleeves - Frills	Teacher to provide patterns of features in content and demonstrate the making of the specified features. Students to make specimens following teacher's demonstration. NOTE: Students work could be aided by the use of a stage sample.	Assess students' practical work.

SECTION 3

CLOTHING DESIGN

General Objectives: The student will:

- understand the application of the elements and principles of design in clothing design and construction. appreciate the importance of choosing designs for the different body types. 1.
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UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1	The student will be able to:			
ELEMENTS OF DESIGN	3.1.1 explain the importance of designing in clothing.3.1.2 identify the elements of design.	Importance of designing: Designing is the process of making plans to guide the attainment of desired goals in clothing production. It is the transformation of ideas/ perceptions/concepts into concrete plans. It provides a preview of the intended or expected product. Elements of design include - colour - lines	Students brainstorm for the importance of design in clothing. Assist students to brainstorm and discuss the importance of designing in clothing/textiles. Students to identify the various elements of design and explain how they are used in designing clothing.	Class Exercise: Students to explain the elements of design and
	3.1.3 describe the forms in which the elements	 dots form/shape texture space Forms in which the elements appear in a design:	Guide students to make sketches of garments with different elements and	how they are used in clothing. Home Work: Assign students to use
	appear in a design.	 as motifs in the fabric in sections of the article incorporated in the seams in the main outline/ Silhouette in the body of the article 	Display pictures/catalogues and guide students to discuss the effects of the elements used in the garments on the wearers.	some specific elements to design garments.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 2	The student will be able to:			
PRINCIPLES OF DESIGN	3.2.1 explain principles of design.	Principles of design are ideas or rules which help to organize elements into design.	Students brainstorm on the meaning of principles of design. Students to write the meaning of principles of design in their notebooks.	
	3.2.2 identify the principles of design.	Principles of design include: - emphasis - unity/harmony - rhythm - balance - proportion, etc.	Assist students to identify and explain the principles of design as they occur in fabrics and garments.	Oral Quiz: Students to mention the principles which guide designing. They should describe how any two of them could be utilized.
	3.2.3 organize elements of design according to the design principles.	Organizing Elements of Design: In designing different elements are combined according to some basic principles.	Display fabrics, pictures and garments in which the elements and principles have been applied for discussions. Guide students to use the different design elements and principles to pre-image designs and sketch them.	Class Exercise: Students design and sketch day dresses for themselves using elements and principles of design for assessment.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 3 FIGURE TYPES	The student will be able to: 3.3.1 identify the various figure types.	Figure types are size categories determined by weight and body proportions. Figure types - tall and thin - tall and plump - short and thin - short and plump - tall with large hip - tall with large bust - short with large bust - short with large bust	Students brainstorm to come out with the different figure types. In groups, students discuss and tabulate peculiarities of the different figure types and report for class discussion.	Class exercise: Students to list the different figure types in their exercise books for assessment.
	3.3.2 identify the criteria for determining figure types.	Criteria for determining figure type: - Height - Width/Size	Through discussions relate body measurements to figure types. Students to compare their body measurement and determine their figure types.	
	3.3.3 discuss how figure types affect clothing design.	Effect of figure types on design: Clothing must be designed to suit the figure, either to emphasize or play down figure details in order to enhance appearance of the client. Figure variations include: - facial shapes e.g. oval - short neck - square or drooping shoulders - large upper arm - hunch (front/back), etc.	Discuss how the human figure affects the designing of clothing. Students to work in groups and come up with clothing that will enhance the following figure types: - short, plump figure - very tall and thin - heavy bust and hips.	Project: Students to design clothes for the various figure types.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 4	The student will be able to:			
SOURCES OF IDEAS FOR DESIGNING	3.4.1 identify the sources of ideas for designing.	Sources of Ideas: - Historical inspiration - Ethnic costume - Cultural environment - Museums - Library records - Shows, e.g. exhibitions, films, musical, television, fashion. Personal observations: e.g.	Teacher to discuss the sources of ideas for clothing and textiles design with students. Emphasize the effects of the print and electronic media on clothing/textiles designing.	Class Exercise: Students to give examples of how the media (print and electronic) have influenced Clothing and Textiles design.
UNIT 5		watching people in the street, at functions or during various activities - Photographs - Fashion publications - Catalogues and patterns Computer Aided Design (CAD) software		
INDIVIDUAL CREATIVITY IN FASHION.	3.5.1 identify factors that influence individual creativity.	Individual Creativity: - one's ability to come up with new and unique ideas of products.	Guide students to explain creativity.	Class Exercise: Students to explain factors which influence creativity
		Factors that influence creativity: - environmental conditions - mentorship inspiration - self motivation sensitivity to relevant fashion signals - ability to translate fashion signals to - useful and attractive clothing designs.	Discuss factors which influence individual creativity with students.	in their exercise books for assessment.
	3.5.2 create unique clothing products.	Designing of individual clothing items.	Students to practise the designing of different clothing. Look out for Originality, Creativity, Craftsmanship and Suitability. Assist students to critique their designs.	Home Work: Students to source for ideas from the internet, magazines, pictures, catalogues, etc., to come out with their own unique designs of clothing items.

SECTION 4

PATTERNS

General Objectives: The student will:

1. acquire skills in pattern-making.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1	The student will be able to:			
TYPES OF PATTERNS	4.1.1 explain the importance of patterns.	The importance of patterns: They are a guide to accuracy and precision in cutting articles from fabrics and sewing.	Students brainstorm to explain the importance of patterns.	Class Exercise: Students to explain why patterns should be used in cutting articles in their exercise books for assessment.
	4.1.2 describe the different types of patterns.	Types of patterns: Patterns are of two main groups: Commercial Home-made	Discuss the two main groups of patterns with students. Teacher to show samples of each to students.	
		Types of Commercial patterns: - Printed - Perforated	Emphasize the advantages of the printed over the perforated.	Oral Quiz: On types of patterns.
	4.1.3 describe methods of making patterns.	Methods of making patterns: - Drafting - Draping - Copying (Flat patterns)	Discuss the methods of making patterns. Discuss the advantages of each method and demonstrate how to use the specified methods to make patterns to students.	Class Exercise: Students should describe how to use the three methods to obtain patterns.
	4.1.4 explain pattern symbols.	Pattern symbols: Markings on pattern which guide cutting and assembling of articles.	Using illustrations and diagrams, discuss pattern symbols with students.	Home Work: Illustrate and write meanings of pattern symbols in a tabular form into their notebooks.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 2	The student will be able to:			
PATTERN MAKING AND ADAPTATION	4.2.1 demonstrate how body measurements are taken.	Taking Body Measurements: Body measurements should be very well taken to ensure good fit. - Body measurements should be taken over outer clothes Clarify client's preferences for fit in width and length and incorporate their desires while taking the measurements.	Assist students to identify parts of the body to be measured. Demonstrate how to take body measurements for both men and women's clothes with class. Students to practise taking body measurements. Stress that it's not all the body measurements that are needed for free hand-cutting.	Class Exercise: Students to pair up and take their body measurements three times, find the average and use as their true measurement.
	4.2.2 draft some basic block patterns.	Drafting of basic block patterns: blouse, skirt, torso and shirt using standard measurements. Part of Std. Ease Total body Bust x a 13 Waist y b 14 Hips z c 15 Your + Ease Diff. own d 16 3 e 14 - f 12 3	Discuss the basic blocks under content and demonstrate how to draft them. Students should draft the basic blocks for blouse, skirt and shirts using standard measurements. Encourage students to alter the standard block to their own measurement. Let students of the same size compare their patterns.	Home Work: Students to complete work on drafting for evaluation.
	4.2.3 adapt basic block patterns for different styles.	Adaptation of basic block patterns: - Princess lines - Horizontal Yokes - Dress blocks - Simple shirt collar	Guide students to design self garments and demonstrate how to adapt the basic block patterns for the designed garments. Students to practise adapting specified patterns in class. NOTE: One basic block pattern can be adapted for different styles.	Project: Students to design different garments and use their block patterns to develop patterns, for blouse/shirts/skirt/straight dress, etc.

SECTION 5

FREEHAND CUTTING

General Objectives: The student will:

1. acquire skills in freehand cutting.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1	The student will be able to:			
FREEHAND CUTTING	5.1.1 explain freehand cutting.	Freehand Cutting: - is a technique of using individual's body measurements to cut garments/articles directly on fabric. This cutting process is usually used by people with experience in garment cutting.	Guide students to discuss their observations of freehand cutting in local garment production workshops to bring out an explanation of the term.	Oral Exercise: Students should explain the term freehand cutting.
	5.1.2 compare the advantages and disadvantages of freehand cutting with patterns.	Advantages of freehand cutting: - It is convenient - It is fast - It is easier to learn - No cost is involved, etc. Disadvantages of freehand cutting: The fabric can easily be spoilt if one is not skillful. It is difficult to cut complicated styles with the method. No record of used designs.	Assist students in a discussion to explain advantages and disadvantages of freehand cutting.	Class Exercise: Oral questions on the advantages and disadvantages of freehand cutting.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 2	The student will be able to:			
MEASUREMENT TAKING AND CUTTING PROCEDURE	5.2.1 apply the freehand cutting process in cutting out.	Practical work on freehand cutting using the principles of drafting.	Let students review their measurements to ensure they are true or exact representation. - they must make a sketch of garment to be cut out or made. - students to transfer their sketches unto plain paper (brown) using their own measurements. Demonstrate how to cut a sleeveless top to students. Stress the need to add allowances for seams, fullness, hems, openings, shawl collars, etc. to body measurements when cutting. Supervise students to cut a similar top with the method, first using paper and do same on fabric.	Class Exercise: Students to complete work on freehand cutting for assessment.

SECTION 6

SEWING SUPPLIES, CUTTING OUT AND FITTING

General Objectives: The student will:

- 1. acquire skills in the use of patterns.
- 2. understand the different methods of assembling garments.
- 3. appreciate the need to ensure correct fit in garment construction.
- appreciate the effective use of sewing supplies

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1	The student will be able to:			
SEWING SUPPLIES	6.1.1 identify the different types of sewing supplies.	Types of sewing supplies: - Tools and equipment - Patterns - Fabric - Sewing Notions	Recap lessons on tools and equipment and patterns.	Oral questions on cutting tools, measuring tools, making tools, etc.
	6.1.2 explain difficult-to-handle or special fabrics.	Difficult-to-handle fabrics or special fabrics: - Are fabrics that require special skills in cutting and sewing in order to produce good quality products?	Students brainstorm to explain difficult-to-handle fabrics.	
	6.1.3 identify difficult-to-handle fabrics.	Examples of difficult-to-handle or special fabrics: - Plaids and checks - Stripes - Napped fabrics eg. Velvet, corduroy, sued - Slippery fabrics eg. Satin, chiffon - Stretch fabrics eg. lycra and some synthetic velvet - Sheer fabrics - Stony and sequin fabrics - Sprayed sticky fabrics eg. Moiré - One-way designed fabrics	Teacher to lead class to identify and list different types of fabrics that are difficult to handle.	Class Exercise Students to list five different types of difficult to handle fabrics and give one example of fabric in each case.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1 (CONT'D)	The student will be able to:			
SEWING SUPPLIES	6.1.4 explain why they are difficult to handle.	Reasons why they are difficult-to-handle: Plaids, checks, stripes need to be matched at the joints in order to have a flow of the design/motifs in the articles Napped fabrics: the nap should flow in one direction towards the bottom in order not to disturb the sheen. Slippery fabrics need to be held in a stable position with drawing pins to stabilize fabric and pattern when cutting. Stoned and sequin fabrics Stones and hard sequin in the way of stitching should be removed before they can be stitched. One-way design The natural flow of the motifs in the fabric should be in the natural direction, etc.	Teacher to lead discussions on why some fabrics are difficult-to-handle. Display samples of some of the fabrics to enhance understanding.	Assignment Students to find out about other types of difficult-to-handle fabric and submit report for assessment.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1 (CONT'D)	The student will be able to: 6.1.5 explain sewing notions.	Sewing notions: Items other than tools and fabrics which are required to complete articles.	Brainstorm to explain what notions are Teacher to explain the general function of notions. Teacher to explain that notions, trimmings and embellishment are synonymous.	
	6.1.6 identify the types of sewing notions.	Types of sewing notions: Threads: used for hand and machine stitching for both temporary and permanent stitches e.g. Basting (tacking) thread, stranded cotton, etc. Fasteners e.g. Zippers, buttons, clasps, tapes, buckles, press studs, Velcro, Chinese buttons and frogs, etc. Edge finishers – e.g. bindings, sequins, beads, laces, braids, feathers, ruffles, commercial collars, iron-on embroidery, etc. For shaping – pads and bones Underlyings – underlying fabrics e.g. Lining, interlining, interfacing, etc.	Group discussions on the different types of notions. Teacher to add onto student's report.	Group reports in class.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 2	The student will be able to:			
ESTIMATING QUANTITIES OF FABRIC FOR ARTICLES	6.2.1 outline factors that determine quantities of fabric for articles.	Factors to consider: - width of fabric - motifs/designs in fabric - size of wearer - style of article	Assist lead students to discuss factors that determine the amount of fabric required for articles.	Class Work Students to list the factors that determine quantities of fabric.
	6.2.2 explain how the different widths affect amount of fabric required.	Width of fabric: - 56cm (28 inch) - 70 cm (30 inch) - 90 cm (36 inch) - 112 cm (45 inch) - 135 cm (54 inch) - 152 cm (60 inch) - 228 cm (90 inch) - 304 cm (120 inch)	Discuss the different widths of fabric available on the market with students. Show samples of the different widths to students. NOTE: For narrow widths more fabric would be required and less required for wider widths.	
	6.2.3 explain how motifs/design in fabric affect amount of fabric required.	Fabric motifs and designs: - For one-ways designs, plaids, checks, strips, napped fabrics more fabric would be required to achieve desired effect - For plain and all over designs less fabric is required.	Demonstrate using fabrics where possible to make things clearer.	
	6.2.4 explain how the size of the wearer and style of article affect fabric quantity.	Size of wearer: A bigger sized, person will require more fabric and a small sized figure will require less fabric to make the same style.	Students to brainstorm to explain the effect of size and style on the amount of fabric required for an article.	
		Style of article: - Simple and plain styles require less fabric - More sophisticated styles require more fabric - Styles cut on the bias require more fabric	Teacher to demonstrate how these factors determine amount of fabric required.	

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 3	The student will be able to:			
PATTERN LAYING AND CUTTING	6.3.1 prepare and lay patterns correctly.	Preparation for pattern laying: - Separation of pattern pieces - Straightening of fabric by graining or cutting off irregular edges Pressing	Discuss preparations for pattern laying with students. Teacher to demonstrate how to lay patterns on one-way as well as all over design fabrics to students.	
		Rules for laying patterns: - Lay large patterns first - Lay in such a way that pieces will be in one whole if possible	Stress that motifs in the fabric are considered in order to have them well aligned in the finished product. Guide students to practise how to lay different patterns first on paper and then on fabrics for their project work.	
	6.3.2 pin patterns to fabrics correctly.	Correct Pinning of Patterns: - Pin patterns at right angles to the edges Have enough pins in the work to lie flat.	Demonstrate how to pin on edges and at corners. Emphasize the need to pin firmly but not on cutting and stitching lines.	Project Work: Using patterns and fabric of choice, students to lay out and cut their project garments.
	6.3.3 cut patterns out smoothly.	Cutting out patterns: Cutting out must be done with: - a sharp pair of shears or scissors - long even strokes at the straight edges - short even strokes on curves.	Demonstrate how to cut on straight edges and curves to students. Stress the need to move round instead of shifting the fabric and the need to hold the fabric down instead of lifting it up.	
	6.3.4 transfer pattern markings.	Transfer of pattern markings: Methods - Tailors chalk, - Tailor's tacking, - Tailor's tacks, - Sewing with unthreaded sewing	Demonstrate how to transfer pattern markings from patterns to the cut fabric pieces. Students to transfer pattern markings to their cut out pieces using one of the methods demonstrated.	Class Test: On pattern laying and cutting.
		machine, - Dressmaker's carbon and tracing wheel, etc.		

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 4	The student will be able to:			
ASSEMBLING GARMENT	6.4.1 use both flat and round methods to assemble garments.	Assembling Garments: Garments may be assembled with either the round or flat method. - Flat methods are used for articles that are worn loose. - Round methods are used for articles that are close fitting.	Demonstrate the round and flat methods of assembling garments. Guide students to use the methods to assemble their project garments.	Class Exercise: Assess students' assembled garments.
	6.4.2 describe the order of assembling garments.	Order of Assembling Garments: - Arrange fullness i.e. making of darts, tucks, etc Openings in seams should be completely made before seams are joined Make seams, etc.	Teacher discusses the order of assembling garments with students and assists them to assemble their project work.	Oral Quiz: On order of assembling garments.
UNIT 5 FITTING GARMENTS AND MAKING ADJUSTMENTS	6.5.1 explain the importance of fitting in garment construction.	Importance of Fitting: - it prevents mistakes it ensures a good fit, - it ensures customer satisfaction, etc.	Teacher facilitates class discussion on the importance of fitting in garment construction.	Students to prepare fit and adjust their project garments to fit their figure types.
	6.5.2 correct mistakes on their garments as they sew.	Fitting Process: - Try each section after it has been tacked Alter when necessary	Discuss the fitting process in garment making with class.	

SECTION 7

CARE OF CLOTHING

General Objectives: The student will:

1. appreciate the need to maintain clothing to extend their life span.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1	The student will be able to:			
CARE LABELS	7.1.1 explain the importance of caring for clothes.	Importance of Clothing Care: Keep clothes fresh, clean and comfortable. Extend wear, etc.	Small group discussions on the importance of caring for clothes.	Class Exercise: Students write the importance of caring for clothes in their notebooks.
	7.1.2 analyse the importance of care Labels in the care of articles.	Care labels: Care notes on pieces of fabric sewn onto the wrong side of articles.	Students brainstorm to explain care labels and analyse the importance of care labels in groups.	
	7.1.3 identify the information on care labels.	Information on care labels: Fibre content Laundering instructions Brand name Country of origin Ironing temperatures	Students to be put in smaller groups to examine care labels on articles and make a list of information found.	Class Exercise: Students should list a number of care instructions on care labels and indicate their symbols in their exercise books for assessment.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1 (CONT'D)	The student will be able to:			
CARE LABELS	7.1.4 discuss the importance of good care habit.	Care habit: Keeping clothing clean, fresh and healthy to use.	Brainstorm to explain care habits.	
		Importance of good care habits: - maintain cleanliness - prolong use - maintain freshness - prevent body odour - prevent infection, etc	Students in small groups discuss the need for adoption reasonable care habits.	
UNIT 2		Good care habits - changing undergarment after each use - frequent changing of handkerchiefs - washing undergarments, towels and handkerchiefs regularly and drying in the sun - airing of used outer clothes and footwear which are not dirty - keeping clothes free from wrinkles - proper storage, etc	Students brainstorm to list good care habits. Teacher to emphasize the need to practise good care habits.	Students present group reports in class for evaluation.
STAINS AND STAIN REMOVAL	7.2.1 describe a stain.	A Stain: Is a fixed dirt or discolouration in an article.	Students to brainstorm on the meaning of stain.	
	7.2.2 state with examples the different types of stains.	Types of Stain: - Vegetable stains e.g. fruit juices, tea, coffee, cocoa, grass and mould.	Students to discuss different types of stains and explain how they usually occur.	Class exercise:
		- Animal stains – these contain animal protein e.g. blood, egg, milk,		List five practices that
		perspiration, etc.		constitute good care habits.
		Grease stains: These can be of animal, vegetable or mineral origin e.g. engine oil, palm oil, animal fat, etc.		Class Exercise:
		Mineral stains e.g. paint, ink, medicine, rust, coal-tar, shoe polish, lipstick, nail varnish.		Students to write three types of stains and give one example in each case.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 2	The student will be able to:			
STAIN REMOVAL	7.2.3 identify different kinds of stain reagents.	Stain Reagents: Solvents: e.g. kerosene, turpentine, methylated spirit, carbon tetrachloride, acetone, glycerine Acids: e.g. lime and citric acid/lemon juice, vinegar (acetic acid), tomato juice, sour milk., oxalic acid solution, potassium oxalate (salt of lemon) Bleaches: reducing bleaches e.g. household bleaches like parazone, Javel, Oxidizing bleach: Hydrogen Peroxide, Milton, Sodium Perborate, Sodium Thiosulphite. Natural bleach e.g. sunlight. Alkali: washing soda, bicarbonate of soda, borax, ammonia. Biological reagents (enzyme or digester) e.g. powdered detergents. Others — cold water, blotting paper, French chalk, etc.	In groups, students discuss the various stain reagents and report for discussion.	Assignment: Students to find local stain removing agents in their community and report on them.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
	The student will be able to: 7.2. 4 outline the general rules for removing stains.	General Rules for Removing Stains: Stains should be removed as soon as possible. Consider the fabric and type of stain before choosing a stain-reagent and method. Always try less harmful methods first.	Guide class discussion on rules for removing stains.	
	7.2.5. remove stains using the different stain reagents.	Removal of stains: Stain Treatment Animal/ Rinse with cold Protein water. Soak for 30 eg. egg, minutes in cold salt water (2 teaspoon of common salt to 1 litre of water). Wash thoroughly. Blood For fresh stain, soak in cold water. If stain is old, soak in enzyme detergent in warm water.	Teacher/Students bring to class articles with different stains to assist discussion. Experiments on Stains: - Stain six pieces of white cotton fabric with the following: fruit, ink, tea, rust and blood stain. Soak each stained piece of fabric in the following solutions for five minutes: - Cold water - Boiling water - Borax solution (25gm To 500ml of hot water) - Salts of lemon solution (25gm To 500ml of boiling water) - Commercial bleach. Teacher demonstrates how to remove specific type of stains. Students to remove stains from their articles following procedures used.	Students to write out the result of the experiments for assessment. Assess student's work.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 3	The student will be able to:			
LAUNDERING COTTON AND LINEN	7.3.1 describe the correct procedure for laundering white cotton and linen.	Procedure for laundering white cotton and linen: - Sorting according to use and degree of dirt, e.g. table-linen, bed, personal clothes, etc Mending - Stain removal - Steeping - Washing and rinsing - Boiling - Rinsing and bluing/starching - Drying - Finishing- ironing/pressing and airing.	Teacher to explain and demonstrate the procedure for laundering white cotton and linen articles. Emphasize the importance of sorting, washing temperatures, boiling and other important details.	Home Work: Students should write out procedures for laundering cotton and linen for assessment.
UNIT 4	7.3.2 explain the correct procedure for laundering coloured cotton and linen.	Procedure for laundering coloured cotton and linen: - Sorting according to shades of colour and degree of dirt - Mending - Washing and rinsing - Bluing/starching where necessary - Drying - Ironing and airing - Storing	Teacher should explain each step while demonstrating processes to students. Stress on sorting, washing temperature, boiling white cottons. - the need to dry coloured articles in the shade to prevent sun bleaching and other important details.	
MAINTAINING WOOLLEN CLOTHES	7.4.1 launder woollen clothes.	Laundering Woollen Clothes: Procedure - sorting, mending, marking, washing, pulling to shape, drying and finishing. -Sort and mend where necessary Mark out the size on a flat surface Wash easy care or washable woollens in warm synthetic detergent solution very gently, by kneading and squeezing Rinse well in warm water of same temperature as washing water till free from detergent.	Teacher to demonstrate how to launder a woolen sweater to students and supervise them to do the same. Emphasize on steps to take to ensure dimensional stability.	Assess students work and comment. Class Exercise: Students to list procedures for washing woolen clothes in their note books. Oral Quiz on the laundering of woollen clothes.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 5	The student will be able to:	 Wrap item in a towel and press the water out. Pull the article to fit the outline made and dry flat or by the thickest parts in an airy, shady, warm and dry area. Ironing temperature should be warm and pressing cloth should be used to iron the article. (very little ironing is required) Iron woven wool while the item is slightly damp with a pressing cloth. Dry woven woollens should be moistened and pressed with a pressing cloth. 		Class Exercise: Students to explain why the woollen sweater should be wrapped in towel before pressing out water.
DRY-CLEANING AND HOME- SPONGING	7.5.1 explain the terms dry- cleaning and sponging.	Dry-Cleaning: It is a process of cleaning without using water, by using very little water, or by using solvent. The method is used to clean articles that cannot be washed e.g. woolen suits and other fabrics which shrink or whose colours bleed.	Teacher facilitates class discussion on the types of dry cleaning and discusses situations that demand dry cleaning.	
		Sponging: Is a type of dry cleaning done at home where a small hand vacuum cleaner is used on thick garments, or brush, sponge or small towel is used with warm detergent solution to clean the articles?		
	7.5.2 describe how dry cleaning is carried out.	How to Dry-clean: Dry cleaning can be done commercially or at home. Commercial dry cleaning entails the use of solvents, whereas at home dry cleaning involves brushing, dusting and sponging.	Guide students to dry clean selected articles. Stress that they should use detergent solution for the cleaning.	Class Exercise: Students to describe three different methods of dry cleaning for assessment. Students to display and assess their work.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 6 STORING AND PACKING CLOTHES	The student will be able to: 7.6.1 explain the importance of proper storage of clothing.	Importance of storage: for clothing to:	Students brainstorm to explain the importance of proper storage of clothing.	Oral Exercise: Students to recall the importance of proper storage.
	7.6.2 identify storage facilities for different items of clothing.	look clean/freshlast longhang wellbe easily accessible, etc.	Using pictures/diagrams or real objects; discuss storage facilities available for the various clothing items.	Oral Exercise: Students mention storage facilities in their homes and indicate items stored in those places.
	7.6.3 examine guidelines for storing different items of clothing.	Storage facilities for clothing: - Wardrobes or cardboards - Racks - Open shelves - Chest of drawers - Baskets - Trolley - Boxes - Garment bags, etc.	Students to brainstorm to discuss the guidelines for clothing storage. Stress on the need to store natural fabrics in airy places and occasional airing of clothing stored in enclosed places.	Class Exercise: Students should explain three guidelines for clothing storage.
		Guidelines for clothing storage: - Store clothing in clean places only Ensure that the item is in good condition before storage Select suitable method for storage Make maximum use of space, etc.		

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 6 (CONT'D) STORING AND PACKING CLOTHES	The student will be able to: 7.6.4 outline the objectives for packing when travelling. 7.6.5 pack for a trip.	CONTENT Objectives for Packing: - Make clothing easily accessible - Prevent wrinkling - Protect clothing, etc. Packing procedures: - Clean packing case - pack hosieries into shoes to maintain their shape and save space - Cover shoes with mittens to prevent scratching - Roll lingerie and put in polythene bags - Place belts along the sides of the packing case - Fold nighties /pyjamas and roll and tuck into the sides - Fold garments with tissue paper or manila card, and slip into pillow cases to keep them stable - Pack cosmetics into small plastic bags		Oral Exercise: Students to recall the objectives of packing. Class Exercise: Evaluate and assess students' packed clothing.
		- Pack jewelry into small containers		

SECTION 1

REPAIR AND CUSTOMIZING

General Objectives: The student will:

1. acquire knowledge and skills in mending, renovation and remodeling.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1	The student will be able to:			
MENDING	1.1.1 explain the term mending.	Mending:	Students brainstorm to explain mending.	
		- is the process of repairing/lighten		
	1.1.2 outline reasons for mending.	damages on articles.	Class discussion on reasons for mending. Stress that repairs should be done as soon as they are noticed to keep articles in	Class Exercise: Students should explain the importance of mending in their exercise
	1.1.3 describe the different ways of mending.	Reasons for mending: - To extend the life span of articles For decency To prevent accidents, etc.	wearable condition. Teacher to show samples of mended articles and discuss the various methods of mending with students.	books for assessment. Oral Exercise: Students should list the methods of mending.
	1.1.4 mend articles.	Methods of mending: - Patching - Darning or reweaving - Re-stitching - Replacing fastenings - Re-fixing - Use of iron-on fabrics/iron-on Appliqué - Use of fabric glue	Teacher demonstrates the making of calico patch and machine darning for students to practise.	Assess students' work.
		Practical Work on Mending: - Patching by machine - Darning by hand and machine.		

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 2	The student will be able to:			
CUSTOMIZING- RENOVATION AND REMODELLING	1.2.1 explain the term customizing.	Customizing: is renovating or remodeling clothing items to suit the individual. Renovation: Renewing the appearance of clothing. This is done for fit, to up-date wardrobe, for fashion and to prevent waste. Remodelling: - Making an article out of an existing one.	Teacher shows samples of renovated articles to students to observe and guide them to differentiate between renovation and remodeling.	Class Exercise: Students to explain renovation and remodelling with two examples each in their exercise books.
	1.2.2 explain reasons for renovation and remodelling.	Reasons for renovation and remodeling: - Exhibit creativity Update wardrobe Helps to be abreast with the Trends of fashion.	Guide students to explain the reasons for renovating and remodelling of articles.	Oral Exercise: On the reasons for renovating and remodelling.
	describe the different ways of renovating and remodelling of articles.	 Ways of Renovating: Reducing and increasing sizes or measurements. Re-dyeing Changing small sections such as sleeve, collar, hem, etc. 	Teacher to discuss the various ways of renovating articles with class.	Oral Exercises: On ways of renovating and remodelling.
		 Ways of Remodelling: Making articles for different uses from existing ones, eg. a boy's shirt from a man's shirt or cushions from curtains. Making articles of different designs from an existing one, eg. a blouse from a woman's covercloth, etc. 		
	1.2.4 make new articles out of existing ones.	Practical Work on Remodelling: Suggested Articles: - School bags, toys, chair backs, bath and toilet mats and rugs, etc.	Teacher to guide students to remodel articles.	Project Work: Students to appreciate and evaluate products.

SECTION 2

CREATIVE FABRIC CRAFTS

General Objectives: The student will:

1. appreciate the creative use of fabrics for craft work.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1	The student will be able to:			
CREATIVE USE OF FABRIC	explain the importance of using fabrics creatively. 2.1.2 differentiate between patchwork and applique.	Importance of Creative Use of Fabrics: - Prevent waste of fabric scraps - Develop creative skills - Marketable skills, etc. Differences between patchwork and appliqué: - Patch work- pieces of fabrics joined together to make an article Appliqué- pieces of fabric applied on a content fabrics for	Teacher to discuss with students the importance of fabric craft. Assist students to differentiate between patch work and appliqué.	Homework: Students to look for more information on the creative use of fabrics from various sources including the internet Class Exercise: Students to write out the differences between patchwork and appliqué.
	2.1.3 demonstrate skills in making patchwork and applique.	mending and or decoration Practical work: Making patch work and appliqué: - Place mat - Jewelry box - Tote bag, etc.	Teacher demonstrates the making of patchwork and applique.	Project: Students to make patch work and applique items for assessment and exhibition.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 2	The student will be able to:			
SOFT TOYS AND CUSHIONS	2.2.1 identify toys and cushions.	Soft Toys and Cushions: Examples of Soft Toys and Cushions are play articles made from fabric scraps/textile fibres. - Dolls - Animals, etc. Examples of Cushions: - Arm cushion - Neck cushion - Bolster cushion, etc.	Display samples of soft toys or pictures for students to identify and discuss their importance.	
UNIT 3	2.2.2 make soft toys.	Making of Soft Toys: - Materials required - Method: - Preparation of template - Cutting out - Assembling of parts - Stuffing	Discuss with students the materials needed to make soft toys and cushions. Demonstrate the making of selected soft toys and cushions. Students in groups, make different types of soft toys and cushions.	
HAND EMBROIDERY DESIGNING	2.3.1 describe hand embroidery.	Hand Embroidery: - Characteristics - Tools and materials required. Guidelines for making hand embroidery.	Display samples of hand embroidery designs to students. Discuss tools and materials required for hand embroidery. Explain guidelines for making hand embroidery.	Project: Students to complete the making of toys and present in class
	2.3.2 use hand embroidery to make simple articles.	Making of decorative pieces with hand embroidery.	Students to select articles and use skills acquired in JHS and SHS form Two to make fabric craft products.	together with a write up on the processes involved for assessment. Assignments: Students present project for assessment.

SECTION 3

CONSUMER EDUCATION

General Objectives: The student will:

1. become an efficient consumer of clothing and textile goods and services.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1 CONSUMER BASICS IN CLOTHING AND TEXTILES ACQUISITION	The student will be able to: 3.1.1 explain the term consumer.	The Consumer:- A person who buys and/or uses goods and services.	Students to brainstorm on the meaning of a consumer. Review lesson on Consumer Education in Management-in-living.	
	3.1.2 make wise purchases of clothing.	Wise purchasing entails the use of principles of shopping. Principles of shopping include: - Looking for sales that are real Avoiding impulse buying Examining critically what is to be purchased for good quality Comparing prices and services Studying labels and tags on merchandize Buying from sources that you trust, etc.	Assist students to discuss principles of shopping for clothing.	Class Exercise: Students to write out the principles of shopping in their notebooks.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1 (CONT'D)	The student will be able to:			
	3.1.3 identify sources of clothing and textiles products.	Sources of Clothing/Textiles items: 1. Markets: offer products of different qualities and wide variety of price ranges are available Bargaining also takes place. 2. Departmental Stores/Malls/Boutiques: - have good quality services and products Some offer services such as delivery, gift wrapping, bridal consulting, interior decorating, wardrobe planning and sales. 3. Factory Outlet Stores: Operated by manufacturers Prices are lower because you buy directly from the manufacturer Items for sale come directly from the factory. They sometimes offer discount. 4. Street/workplace hawkers: - Offer limited range of products May offer credit sales Bargaining takes place.	Students to discuss marketing centres in their communities and their merits and demerits.	Class Exercise: Students to write down three popular shopping centres where they can shop for clothes and othe textiles products and explain why they are popular.

		CONTENT		
UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES		TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1 (CONT'D)	The student will be able to:			
CONSUMER BASICS IN CLOTHING AND TEXTILES ACQUISITION	3.1.4 shop wisely for clothing and textiles products. 3.1.5 identify guidelines to follow when shopping for clothes.	How to shop: Practice comparison shopping Check and read tags and labels. Be sure care instructions are provided. Avoid impulse buying. Purchase in bulk where necessary to reduce cost. Shop during sales if possible, etc. Guidelines for shopping for clothes: Plan what to buy based on wardrobe inventory. Make a list of clothes/accessories required. Decide how much money you have to spend. Prioritize your list to know which Items are needed most. Buy only what you need. It is good to make choices of items you wear more often. Take your wardrobe plan/shopping list with you. Compare prices. Consider fit before buying. Buy the best you can afford, etc.	Class discussion on how to shop wisely. Students to make a list of items they purchased on impulse. They should put a check beside the items which turned out to be "good buys". Students to discuss why they were good buys. Discuss guidelines for shopping for clothes with students. Let them analyse each of the outlined guidelines, explaining why they are important.	Class Exercise Students to write down four guidelines on how to shop. Exercise to be assessed.

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SECTION 4 ENTERPRENEURSHIP

General Objectives: The student will:

1. develop skills in setting up and managing a clothing and Textiles enterprise.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1 SETTING UP AND MANAGING A CLOTHING AND TEXTILES ENTERPRISE	The student will be able to: 4.1.1 explain the terms entrepreneur, entrepreneurship and enterprise. 4.1.2 identify the advantages and disadvantages of being an entrepreneur.	Entrepreneur: A person who sets up and manages a business. Entrepreneurship: A process of establishing and managing a business. Enterprise: A business set up in a specific area of work which is run privately. Advantages: You are your own boss. You make your own decisions, rules and business policies. You can be as creative as you want in trying out new ideas You have flexible time use, etc. Disadvantages: You assume all risks and responsibilities. You bear the blame for wrong	Students to brainstorm to explain the terms. Teacher to emphasize that entrepreneurship can be a challenging and rewarding experience. Guide students to: - review lessons on entrepreneurship in Management-In-Living. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of being a clothing and textiles entrepreneur. Stress that well managed business really pays well.	Class Exercise: Students to write and explain the terms in their notebook. Class Exercise: Students to discuss two each of advantages and disadvantages of becoming an entrepreneur.
	4.1.3 describe the characteristics of an entrepreneur	management decisions alone, etc. Characteristics - hardworking - seeks information - possesses high level of confidence - independent minded - risk taker - seeks opportunities, etc.	Discuss the characteristics of an entrepreneur.	Students to interview a successful entrepreneur and report in class on what led to their successes.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1 (CONT'D)	The student will be able to:			
SETTING UP AND MANAGING A CLOTHING AND TEXTILES ENTERPRISE	4.1.4 set up and manage a Clothing and Textile enterprise.	Setting up an Enterprise - choose the right business idea - research the market - develop a business plan Requirements: - Knowledge and skills in clothing	Put students into groups and let them discuss and report on how to set up a sewing enterprise.	Project Students to make a business plan in groups and discuss in class.
	4.1.5 explain the requirements for a Clothing and Textiles entreprise. 4.1.6 describe factors that	and textiles. - Managerial and management skills. - Infrastructure and equipment. - sources of finance - need to contact institutions that offer assistance to prospective entrepreneurs, e.g. NBSSI, EMPRETEC, BAC, etc.	Students to brainstorm to come out with the requirements for a clothing and textiles entrepreneur.	Class Assignment: Students to explain requirements for clothing and textiles entrepreneur in their exercise books for assessment.
	promote the success of a clothing and textiles enterprise.	Factors contributing to success of an enterprise: - Hard work and commitment - Start-up capital (Ability to enhance capital) - Equipment and space. - effective costing/pricing of products - Marketability of the product - Observance of appropriate work ethics.	Students to brainstorm to identify the factors that can promote the success of a clothing enterprise. Discuss students' responses. Teacher points out that the opposite will lead to failure of an enterprise.	Oral Quiz: On factors contributing to success of a Clothing and Textiles enterprise.
	4.1.7 identify some clothing and textiles enterprises.	 Quality of workmanship Honesty and reliability Clothing and Textiles Enterprises: Tailoring/dressmaking Small scale fabric production (i.e. Tie Dye, Batik) Retailing garments Retailing haberdashery Itinerant sewing, etc. 	Assist students to discuss some clothing and textiles enterprises.	

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1 (CONT'D) SETTING UP AND MANAGING A CLOTHING AND TEXTILES ENTERPRISE	The student will be able to: 4.1.8 identify the characteristics required for careers in clothing and textiles.	Characteristics required in clothing and textiles careers. - accuracy and precision - ability to exhibit creativity in clothing design and offer technical advice. - ability to remain calm when under pressure - have the requisite skills - ability to show enthusiasm in the work - ability to exhibit good inter-personal relationship with staff and clients	Students brainstorm to come out with characteristics required for clothing and textile careers. NOTE: Emphasize that clients appreciate efficient and courteous services as well as respect for clients choice of designs. Discuss with students the local institutions that offer training and technical assistance towards careers in clothing and textiles. Invite a clothing and textile professional to talk out about the most interesting of his or her job, the training and experiences needed the major responsibilities, the least interesting aspect and opportunities for new entrants.	List four interest and skills useful for a career in clothing and textiles. Student to find out job openings in clothing and textiles in their locality.

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SECTION 5

EXHIBITION AND FASHION SHOW

General Objectives: The student will:

1. develop publicity techniques for clothing promotion.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1	The student will be able to:		Guide students to:	
ORGANIZING A CLOTHING AND TEXTILES EXHIBITION	5.1.1 explain exhibition and its purpose.	Exhibition: - is a public display of products and it makes consumers aware of available products.	Brainstorm on the meaning and purpose of an exhibition.	Students to answer oral questions on exhibition.
		Types of Exhibition: - Specialized Exhibition - General Exhibition	Discuss the different types of exhibition and the purposes for which each is held.	
		Specialized Exhibition: Concentrate on specific products e.g. bridal wear alone or batik shirts alone.		
		General Exhibition: Any clothing product such as slips, shorts and trousers, skirts, hats, etc. can be exhibited.		
		Purpose of Clothing and Textiles exhibition: - To publicize students work - Publicize students' skills and creative abilities - Attract more students to offer the subject - Assess instructors		

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 1 (CONT'D)	The student will be able to:			
ORGANIZING A CLOTHING AND TEXTILES EXHIBITION	5.1.2 plan a clothing and textiles exhibition.	Points to consider in planning: - Type of exhibition - What to exhibit - Where to exhibit - Cost involved - Publicity - Expected number of guests/visitors - Duration - General layout or space arrangements - Security - Theme for the exhibition	Assist students to discuss the stages involved in the planning of a clothing and textiles exhibition. Assist students to plan a mock exhibition in small groups. Note: Specific tasks should be assigned to each group.	Assess Students' work.
UNIT 2	5.1.3 mount an exhibition.	Mounting an Exhibition: Points to consider: - Colour scheme - Effective lighting and ventilation - Size, weight and height of exhibits, etc Decorations, e.g., ribbons, etc Centre of attraction - Background music.	Guide students to: Discuss various methods of mounting/displaying clothing and textiles exhibit, mount an exhibition of their course products.	Oral quiz on points to consider in mounting an exhibition.
MODELLING AND FASHION SHOW	5.2.1 explain modelling and fashion show.	Modelling and Fashion Show: - Modelling: live presentations of dress design and suggested use to prospective clients. - Fashion Show: a special event that communicates a clothing trend story, value and quality message to prospective customers. - It is a sales promotion activity which usually advertises the designer.	Students to brainstorm to explain the terms modelling and fashion show. Discuss the terms with students making them explain in their own ways.	Students write the meaning of modelling and fashion show in their notebooks.

UNIT	SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES	CONTENT	TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
UNIT 2 (CONT'D)	The student will be able to:			
MODELLING AND FASHION SHOW	5.2.2 explain the purposes of modelling and fashion show.	Purpose of Modelling/Fashion Show: - Enhance designer's image - Attract customers - Encourage multiple sales by showing apparel together with accessories - To attract specific customers	In small groups students discuss the purpose of modelling and fashion shows and report in class. Teacher to discuss reports with students and assist them to summarize.	Assess students' report.
	5.2.3 outline the basic requirements for modelling.	Requirements of a model: - Self confidence - Good posture - Basic modelling skills - Unique figure - Pleasant disposition, etc.	Guide students to brainstorm the requirements of a model. Assist students to discuss each requirement and its contributions to modelling.	Class Exercises: Students to discuss the qualities of a model in their notebooks.
	5.2.4 describe the types of fashion shows.	Types of Fashion shows: - Formal Fashion Show: more involving and expensive. Clothes are generally grouped according to style, colour and other visual criteria. Models and music are selected to complement the clothes and set the mood for the theme. It involves bookings for models arranging for a cat walk, scenery, lighting, microphones music, seating and assistants.	Class discussion on the different types of fashion shows Encourage students to discuss fashion shows that they have witnessed, (physically or in films). Show a clip on fashion show where possible.	Oral Quiz on types of fashion shows.

UNIT 2 (CONT'D) The			ACTIVITIES	EVALUATION
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MODELLING AND FASHION SHOW	2.5 explain the factors to consider when planning a fashion show.	 Designer Trunk Show This is done in co-operation with a single vendor and a popular way to sell expensive collections. Invitations are sent to the best customers and the designer travels from shop to shop with the collections. Department Fashion Show: This is on a much smaller scale. The items are produced in the shop to generate immediate sales. Usually a platform is set up in the shop that carries the clothes. Informal Fashion shows They are the easiest to produce. A few models walk through the shop showing the fashions that they are wearing to customers who are shopping. The models take their time and customers ask questions. Factors to consider: Selection of venue Relevance to the business Cost involved Publicity Expected number of guest Arrangement Background music Time of the show 	Class discussion on factors to consider in planning a fashion show.	

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SUGGESTIONS FOR EFFECTIVE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE HOME ECONOMICS SYLLABUS

- All Vocational and Technical programmes need resources for proper implementation otherwise it will be taught theoretically and will not benefit the students and the objectives would not be achieved. It is suggested that all schools should have a stock of minimum equipment to be able to implement the syllabus. Students should also be encouraged to own some small tools to help them.
- It may not be possible for the Ministry to provide each school with the minimum essential resources. It is therefore suggested that the Ministry should create some Home Economics centres well equipped with the minimum equipment where a Cluster of Schools can use for practical lessons and examination. This should be a "must have" especially for the rural and new schools.
- The practical course work which has not been assessed externally in the past should be assessed to form part of the school-based assessment. The examiner for the practical examination would also assess them. This is to ensure that teachers and students take the practicals seriously and prepare well for the practical examination.
- Prafting is not being well taught. To change the situation, it is suggested that candidates be given the sketch of the examination piece a week before to draft or cut free hand the patterns required. This is similar to the foods practicals.
- In the teaching of clothing and textiles teachers should be encouraged to use sketches to illustrate processes so that the students will also see the need to study and use sketches.

SUGGESTED MINIMUM EQUIPMENT FOR CLOTHING AND TEXTILES

1.	A clothing laboratory with store
2.	Sewing machines at least 1 to 4 students
3.	Large working tables 1 to 2 students
4.	Good cutting shears
5.	Metre rule
6.	Ironing board/Ironing table
7.	Pressing iron
8.	Good tape measure
9.	Brown papers for drafting
10.	Dressmaker's pins
11.	Grey baft/polyester cotton/calico for specimens
12.	Paper cutting scissors
13.	Tailor's chalk
14.	Tracing wheel
15.	Thimbles
16.	Full length mirror
17.	Stiletto
18.	Stitch ripper
19.	Dressmaker's carbon
20.	Hand sewing needles
21.	Machine needle
22.	Bobbins and bobbin cases
23.	Dress forms
24.	Cupboard
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1.	Paper cutting scissors
2.	Thimbles
3.	Tape measure
4.	Brown paper
5.	Grey baft/Polyester cotton
6.	Fashion fabrics for project works
7.	Needles
8.	Tracing wheel
9.	Tailor's chalk
10.	Dressmaker's pencils
11.	French curves
12.	Dressmaker's shears
13.	Scraps of fabrics
*	Clothing and Textiles for S.H.S.
*	Basic Needlework