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# essential understanding

Fashion design is influenced by cultural and social latitudes, and has varied over time and place. Fashion designers work in a number of ways in designing clothing and accessories. Some work alone or as part of a team. They attempt to satisfy consumer desire for aesthetically designed clothing; and, because of the time required to bring a garment onto the market, must at times anticipate changing consumer tastes. Some designers in fact have a reputation which enables them to set fashion trends.



“Everyday is a fashion show and the world is the runway” ~COCO CHANEL

**Overview**

This course introduces students to the creative process of fashion design. Students will begin with color theory and will move to fabric research, and clothing construction. They will develop a self portrait and students will work with shapes, lines, colors, and patters to create a fun and interesting self portrait. A variety clothing styles will be designed, including but not limited to: men’s, women’s, and teenage designs and accessories. Students will use a variety of art materials including pencils, markers, and acrylic paint, sketchbook. Students may be expected to purchase fabrics or other materials at a minimal cost.

**Guiding question 1:**

What difficulties arose when making the embroidered self portrait?

What could you have done differently?

**lessons**

1. \_\_\_\_Color wheel
2. \_\_\_\_Fabric and materials
3. \_\_\_\_Textile design
4. \_\_\_\_ Fashion jewelry

**individual work**

\_\_\_\_\_ 1. Create a “clothing color wheel” using magazine pictures, create an accurate color wheel made with pieces of clothing. Be creative! Your color wheel must be your own creation, in the shape of a wheel and must include at least the primary and secondary colors. ***Due 11/2***

\_\_\_\_\_\_2. Mixing Color Experiment front side of page (use primary and neutral colors first) Then, write down each step you took to achieve the final color. ***Due 11/9***

\_\_\_\_\_\_3. Create an embroidered self portrait using had stitching (see handout for complete instructions) ***due 12/7***

**group work**

\_\_\_\_\_\_1. In a group of 4 people design a clothing line (male or female) and design 5 outfits for a fashion show. Make sure include garments for Spring, Summer, and Fall. You must also write a 1 page summary as to how these outfits represent each season. Be sure to research current design trends to keep this fashion up today. ***Due 1/4***

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 2. In group of 4 people create a Fashion Retail store design that will be related to your clothing line. Please read the following guidelines to help you with the project. ***Due 1/18***

**individual work**

\_\_\_\_\_1. Design an Inspiration Board for trending accesories using magazine pictures. ***Due 2/8***

\_\_\_\_\_ 2. Make your own stylish fashion jewelry using a range of beads, wire and chain and guided by jewelry expert Ms. Ramirez. ***2/15***

Assessment- due 2/22

1. Recycle Fashion Project (Instructions to be announce)