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600/7619/7 – Level 2 Diploma in Fashion

OVERVIEW

Who is this qualification for?

This qualification is aimed at you if you are interested in a career as a fashion designer.

This qualification is suitable for anyone over the age of 16 years and no prior qualifications are needed.

What does this qualification cover?

This qualification covers a very wide range of skills and knowledge required for preparing to work in the fashion design Industry.

There are five compulsory areas:

- developing design ideas
- sampling fashion techniques
- understand how to work for a client to create a product
- create a website using web design application templates
- producing promotional publications.

Optional areas exploring making and designing different fashion items include:

- textile decoration
- design and make a range of different garments
- pattern cutting for a range of different garments
- product promotion using social media

Centres and providers work with local employers who will contribute to the knowledge and delivery of training. Employers will provide demonstrations and talks on the industry and where possible work placements will also be provided by the employers. This practically based training is ideal preparation for training on the job or specialist further study.

What could this qualification lead to?

This qualification could lead to a job as:

- sewing machine mechanic
- assistant in a fashion design house
- machinist
- garment alteration and repairer
- milliner
- theatre costume designer
- accessory maker.

You could work in one of the following establishments:

- fashion design house
- theatre company
- haberdashery departments.

Will this qualification lead to further learning?

You could progress onto an apprenticeship or other qualifications such as:

- Level 3 Certificate in Fashion
- Level 3 Diploma in Craft skills for Creative Industries.

Who supports this qualification?

This qualification is supported by The Clothworkers' Company

This is intended for use as a Substantial Vocational Qualification at Level 2.

For further information on this qualification please go to:

http://cdn.cityandguilds.com/ProductDocuments/Creative/Creative_Techniques/7160/7160_Level_2/Centre_documents/7160-02-12-22_L2_Award_Certificate_Diploma_Qualification_handbook_v3.pdf