

# Unit10: Career choices in fashion

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## **Enduring Understandings**

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A career is a succession of related jobs a person has over a span of time that results in professional growth and personal satisfaction

Considering your interests, aptitudes, and abilities will make a career decision making easier

Researching career paths will help identify the education, training and skills need for a career

Career success depends on developing the skills and qualities that will make you an asset

Management skills such as planning, organizing, decision making and flexibility will help meet family and career responsibilities

## **Essential Questions**

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How can evaluating interests and skills help you choose a career path?

What are the steps in applying for a job?

How do personal qualities relate to on the job success?

How do aptitudes differ from abilities?

What is ethical workplace behavior?

Why is it an asset to leave a job under the best possible circumstances?

What practices can help people manage multiple roles

## **Content**

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Vocabulary:

Job

Career

Career cluster

Career pathways

Aptitudes

Abilities

Resume

Interview

Letter of application

Follow up letter

Letter of resignation

## **Skills**

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Investigate opportunities and requirements needed for fashion related careers

Summarize the difference between a job and a career

Make career related decisions based on interests, aptitudes and abilities

Summarize the process of searching for a job, preparing a resume, filling out an application, and interviewing

Summarize what it takes to succeed on the job

Describe the best way to leave a job

Identify examples of how to manages multiple roles

## **Resources**

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*Apparel*

Google search, docs & slides

Guest speaker-Mary Demont-Barbizon

Guest speaker-Audrey Weisberg-FIDM

## **Standards**

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FCSE.9-12.1.2.1	Analyze potential career choices to determine the knowledge, skills, attitudes, and opportunities associated with each career.
FCSE.9-12.1.2.2	Demonstrate job seeking and job keeping skills.
FCSE.9-12.1.2.6	Demonstrate leadership skills and abilities in school, workplace and community settings.
FCSE.9-12.16.1.1	Explain the roles and functions of individuals engaged in textiles, fashion, and apparel careers.
FCSE.9-12.16.1.2	Analyze opportunities for employment and entrepreneurial endeavors.