# **Unit 4: Sewing Skills**

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# **Unit Overview**

Students will be able to understand and perform basic sewing skills.

# Transfer

Students will be able to independently use their learning to ...

- -Demonstrate basic hand sewing techniques.
- -Identify various types of fasteners and how to apply them.
- -Mark, finish and secure a hem.
- -Lay out a pattern and properly pin it to fabric.
- -Operate a sewing machione properly.
- -Construct a plain seam and apply a a zigzag seam finish.
- -Construct a casing.

# Understandings

Students will understand ...

- -A variety of hand stitiches.
- -A variety of fasteners and how they are applied.
- -How to mark, finish and secure a hem.
- -The importance of properly laying out and pinning a pattern to fabric.
- -Operating a sewing machine.
- -The construction of a plain seam and how to finish it.
- -The construction of a casing.

## **Essential Questions**

Students will keep considering ...

How basic sewing skills can improve your lifestyle and save you money.

Application of Knowledge and Skill

Students will know ...

-A variety of hand sewing techniques.

-A variety of fasteners and how they are applied.

-How to hem a garment.

-How to properly layout and pin a pattern to a piece of fabric.

-How to operate a sewing machine.

-How to construct a plain seam and finish it.

-How to construct a casing.

# Students will be skilled at...

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- -Sewing a variety of hand stitches.
- -Sewing on a variety of fasteners.
- -Hemming.
- -Layingout and pinning a pattern to fabric.
- -Operating a sewing machine.

-Sewing a plain seam with a seam finish.

-Sewing a casing.

Academic Vocabulary	
backstitching	off-grain
basting	preshrunk
casing	seam
grain	seam allowance
hem	selvages

# Learning Goal 1

**Learning Goal 1** To demonstrate basic sewing skills such hand stitches, fasteners, hems, and laying out patterns.

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FCSE.9-12.16.4	Demonstrate skills needed to produce, alter, or repair textiles, fashion, and apparel.	
FCSE.9-12.16.4.1	Demonstrate professional skills in using traditional and technologically innovative equipment, tools, and supplies in textiles, fashion, and apparel construction, alteration, repair, and recycling.	
FCSE.9-12.16.4.3	Use appropriate industry products and materials for cleaning, pressing, and finishing textiles, fashion, and apparel.	
FCSE.9-12.16.4.5	Demonstrate basic skills for production, alteration, repair and recycling of textiles, fashion, and apparel.	

#### Target 1

**Target 1** Students will be able to thread a needle.

• Students will be able to thread a needle.

#### Target 2

Students will be able to stitch by hand.

• Students will be able to stitch by hand.

# Target 3

Students will be able to identify and sew a variety of fasteners.

• Students will be able to identify and sew a variety of fasteners.

#### Target 4

**Target 4** Students will be able to mark a hem and sew a variety of hems.

• Students will be able to mark a hem and sew a variety of hems.

### Target 5

Students will be able to layout the pattern and pin it to the fabric.

• Students will be able to layout the pattern and pin it to the fabric.

**Learning Goal 2** To complete construction techniques on the sewing machine.

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FCSE.9-12.5.5.3	Demonstrate safe procedures in the use, care, and storage of equipment.
FCSE.9-12.10.4.5	Manage use, care, storage, maintenance, and safe operations of equipment, tools, and supplies.
FCSE.9-12.10.4.7	Apply time and work management skills to facility service tasks.
FCSE.9-12.11.3.3	Demonstrate measuring, estimating, ordering, purchasing, pricing, and repurposing skills.
FCSE.9-12.16.2.4	Analyze characteristics of textile components in the design, construction, care, use, maintenance, and disposal or recycling of products.
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FCSE.9-12.16.4.5	Demonstrate basic skills for production, alteration, repair and recycling of textiles, fashion and apparel.
	Integrate knowledge, skills, and practices required for careers in textiles and apparels.

#### Target 1

Student will be able to construct a plain seam with a zigzag finish.

• Student will be able to construct a plain seam with a zigzag finish.

#### Target 2

Student will be able to construct a casing.

• Student will be able to construct a casing.

# **Summative Assessment**

Unit test

#### Portfolios

Projects

## **Formative Assessment and Performance Opportunities**

Class discussion

Class participation

Self assessment

Teacher observation of hand sewing

Teacher observation of machine use

Worksheets

# **Accommodations/Modifications**

- Provide additional video tutorials of sewqing skills
- Provide extended one on one time
- Provide time for sewing practice with student experts

### **Unit Resources**

Text Book: Clothes and Your Appearance

Sewing machine

Fabric and sewing supplies.

www.google.com