The study of Textiles & Design provides students with the opportunity to develop confidence and proficiency in the design, production and evaluation of textile items. Students will actively engage in learning about the properties and performance of textiles, textile design and the role of textiles in society.

**COURSE OUTLINE**

Textiles & Design in Year 9 will allow pupils to develop individual interest, creativity, skills and knowledge.

**UNIT 1**

**Summer Senstations**

Design and produce a summer skirt and a hand dyed and decorated singlet to match. This unit will focus on using commercial patterns, inserting a zipper as well as using the sewing machine and overlocker. You will experiment with a variety of tie dye and decorative techniques to create a summer outfit.

**UNIT 2**

**Family Photos**

This project is all about being creative you will design a family tree using a range of techniques and photo transfer to turn it into a family tree. You will experiment with beads, buttons, sequins, hand embroidery, applique and photo transfer. This unit will focus on the design elements and how designers express themselves. You will complete a research task on a textiles artist.

**UNIT 3**

**Toy-Riffic**

You will be creating a yo yo animal with transfer dyed penne velvet. The transfer dyes will give you the opportunity to personalise your yo yo animal. The unit will focus on safety, labelling and fabrics for a specific end use.

**UNIT 4**

**25 Days of Christmas**

The count down to christmas is on, you will be designing and creating a advent calender to help you keep track of the days. You can use felt or cotton to create the base and use a variety of shapes to form the pockets.

**AREAS OF ASSESSMENT:**

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Homework 10%  Term 1 week 4 Term 3 week 6

Observation of demonstrated skills 10%  On going

Workbook and theory activities 10%  On going

Topic Tests 10%  Term 2

**Final grades will be allocated according to this assessment criteria.**

Students are also awarded grades on:

- ✓ Behaviour: Co-operative, safe, respectful towards others
- ✓ Participation: Involved in class activities, application to set tasks
- ✓ Attitude/ Effort: Conscientious, motivated and prepared for class
- ✓ Assigned work: Completes classwork, homework and assignments
- ✓ Equipment: Brings all required equipment for lessons
- ✓ Personal Best: Produces personal best

1st in course is determined by overall mark including formal and informal tasks. Students are assessed on their practical progress each lesson. These marks will contribute to their final grades.

**Homework** - Students will be issued with homework tasks by their teacher to be completed by the due date. Homework will include activities related to the development of literacy and numeracy skills, specific skills and internet research or completion of class work.

**Assignments and folios** - where possible assignments are to be word processed. Other forms of presentation can be negotiated with their teacher. Failure to submit assignments by the due date will incur a loss of marks 20% for the first day, 50% for the second day and zero thereafter for lateness and non submission.

No thumb drives will be accepted unless specifically asked for by teacher.

**NB:** Students must complete all practicals projects under the supervision of the class teacher. Projects completed at home are unable to be assessed. If students are absent from class they may arrange to catch up work with their teacher at lunchtime.

**NECESSARY EQUIPMENT:**

As practical work forms a large component of the course, the following equipment should be purchased for your own sewing kit:

- ✓ Fabric pins
- ✓ Janome/Bernina bobbin x 2
- ✓ Hand sewing needles
- ✓ Sewing thread (when necessary)
- ✓ Dressmaker’s scissors
- ✓ Fabric/Sewing thread for each unit of work will need to be purchased Details of this will be sent home prior to the start of each unit
- ✓ Pattern (when required)
- ✓ Display folder / A4 folder for class work
- ✓ Plastic sleeves and lined paper

Equipment should be carefully labelled with students name and kept all together in your kit/bag which will be made in term 1.

A contribution of $40.00 must be paid at the beginning of the year to cover costs of additional items used in class.