



Contemporary Sewing Syllabus



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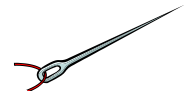
Contemporary Sewing is a class that will stretch your creativity through hands-on projects that will have you sewing non-garment projects in a variety of areas. Projects will incorporate academics through quilting, teach respect for the earth by recycling, experiment with entrepreneurship by creating and marketing products, and create awareness of community needs through service projects. Students will be introduced to careers in textiles and sewing.

Required Materials (to be brought daily or left in classroom):

- iPad
- Pen/Pencil
- Textbook
- Assignments
- Project Materials



- Provided Sewing Supplies:
 - Shears
 - Pins/Cushion
 - Seam Ripper
 - Seam Gauge
 - Flexible Tape Measure



Course Requirements:

The requirements for this course include daily work, quizzes, and projects. Class attendance and participation is an important element as much of our work will be done in class through hands-on activities.

Units of Study

- Sewing Basics (2 weeks)
- Sewing Green (2 weeks)
- Entrepreneurial Sewing (5 weeks)
- Sewing and Academics (4 weeks)
- Sewing for a Cause (4 weeks)
- Careers in Sewing and Textiles (2 weeks)



Learning Objectives: (based on North Dakota's FACS Standards)

- 1.3: Analyze the impact of individual and family participation in community activities.
- 2.1: Demonstrate management of individual and family resources.
- 2.2: Analyze the relationship of the environment to family and consumer resources.
- 7.5: Demonstrate teamwork and leadership skills.
- 10.2: Demonstrate skills needed to produce, alter, or repair textile products and apparel.
- 10.5: Examine historical, cultural, and social influences on textiles and apparel.



Classroom Expectations:

These expectations are in place to ensure that we will have a safe and orderly classroom to allow each and every person the opportunity to reach his/her maximum potential.

- **ELECTRONICS:**
 - Phones and headphones/earbuds are not allowed to be used in the classroom.
- **BE RESPECTFUL**
- **BE ON TIME**
 - In your SEAT when the bell rings.
- **BE PREPARED**
 - You must come prepared for class with required materials listed above.
 - Check the Schoology to see what is due!
- **BE RESPONSIBLE**
 - There is no food allowed unless it is part of the class activity. You can bring a drink with a lid that is able to close, and must be kept away from sewing machines/materials!

Accountability for Assignments:

Homework and Make-Up Work: Completing homework is a requirement for this class. It is your job to work hard and get your assignments in on time.

- You must turn in all work on time. Homework assignments are due at the beginning of the class period. Any work turned in later is considered “late.” Late work will receive 75% of the earned credit. I will not accept late work beyond 2 days of the due date.
- You are responsible for getting make-up work from the teacher and to hand it in on the required date.

Missed Work/Make-Up Work:

- Excused absences: If you are not present in class due to an excused absence (i.e. illness or family member emergency) on the day of a test or when an assignment is due, you need to be prepared to turn the work in on the day of the return to school.
 - If you know you will be gone in advance (i.e. sporting event, field trip, etc.) make arrangements with me prior to your absence.
- Unexcused absences: Missed work as a result of an unexcused absence will result in a ZERO (%).

Grading Procedures:

- Course grades are based on total points accumulated through daily work, homework, participation, labs, projects, and assessments.
- Quarter 1 equates to 50% of semester grade. Quarter 2 equates to 50% of semester grade.
- PowerSchool is the best place to find your current grade.

If at any time you need help, whether on an assignment, note taking, or just a general question, please come and talk to me. I'm also available through phone or e-mail contact.

Miss Brett Wuori