

## Course Description and Outline

<b>Course Title</b>	Creative Textiles for Fashion		
<b>Level of Course</b>	All Levels	<b>Course Code</b>	C3060
<b>Duration in Weeks</b>	10		
<b>Brief Description of Course</b>	<p>The aim of the course is to produce creative textiles for fashion. You will work from a chosen image or drawing from which you will then design and create into a textile piece. You will learn a range of basic techniques including hand and machine embroidery, appliqué, beading and fabric manipulation.</p> <p>Over the ten weeks you will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- learn about basic fabric properties</li> <li>- take and record accurate measurements</li> <li>- create samples of textiles techniques and methods</li> <li>- use professional methods and terminology</li> <li>- work safely with a range of tools and equipment</li> <li>- produce a creative textile for fashion</li> </ul>		
<b>Entry Requirements</b>	This course is suitable for beginners and those with some textile experience or knowledge.		
<b>Main Learning Outcomes for all Learners (Maximum of 5) By the end of the course you will be able to:</b>			
<b>1</b>	Use an image or drawing as inspiration to develop your own creative textile design.		
<b>2</b>	Use beading, machine/hand stitching, appliqué and fabric manipulation as a skill for textile design.		
<b>3</b>	Take accurate measurements for fabric design layouts and record them so that you can make adjustments if needed.		
<b>4</b>	Use professional terminology and apply problem solving skills to your practical work		
<b>5</b>	Produce a creative textile for fashion		
<b>Equipment Required What will I need to bring to class?</b>	We will provide all the basic materials but you may need to provide your own specialist materials. For the first lesson you will need to bring your chosen image or drawing, a note book and a pen. You will be given a list of equipment required at the first lesson. Haberdashery materials will be required throughout the course.		
<b>What courses can I go on to?</b>	<p>You may wish to enrol on other courses held at Idea Store Learning such as Pattern Cutting and Sewing or Introduction to Sewing using a Sewing Machine. Please see a course guide for further information or speak with your tutor.</p> <p>Your tutor will support you in researching these and other courses outside of Idea Store Learning.</p>		

### What examination or assessment will there be and what will it involve?

At the beginning of the course the tutor will carry out an initial assessment to help identify the level of experience, knowledge or skills in this area.

The tutor will also carry out informal assessments to check your understanding, **there is no exam.**

You will complete a self-assessment at the beginning, middle and end of the course.

Your tutor will let you know how you are getting on throughout the course to you will help you work to your full potential.

At the end of the course you will receive written feedback.

### How will I know I am making progress?

You will have an 'Individual Learning Plan' where the course learning outcomes are shown and where you can set your own learning goals and monitor your own progress.

You will need to evaluate your own progress and manage your time.

Your tutor will give ongoing feedback and will keep you informed of your progress.

### Is there anything else I need to know?

To maximise your chances of benefiting from the course fully we expect you to attend **all** scheduled sessions and that you do so **punctually** and are ready to start learning at the start of the class.

### What if I want extra support?

Come and see one of our experienced and friendly advisors. For further information, email **ideastore@towerhamlets.gov.uk** and a member of the team will get back to you.

This is a brief description of the course content and is not definitive or exhaustive. The course content may be subject to change without notice however the details above are intended to give a picture of the types of activities which may be included on the course.

Course outlines provide a general summary of the contents and material to be covered during lessons. They are subject to change at the discretion of teachers to meet the needs of learners and should not be regarded as prescriptive lists of activities to be covered.

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