

N5 FASHION & TEXTILE TECHNOLOGY ESSENTIAL INFORMATION

Which topics are covered at N5? Practical Skills (Practical Activity) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> How to set up and use equipment safely. Developing hand sewing techniques. Developing machine sewing techniques. Garment & Accessory construction skills. Using paper patterns to create a variety of items. Design Skills (Written Assignment) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understanding a brief Carrying out research into key themes Producing a fashion/textile solution from research Evaluating the fashion/textile solution Knowledge (Exam) <i>Explaining and evaluating.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Properties & characteristics of textiles Application/use of textiles. Construction techniques. The use of paper patterns. Factors affecting consumer fashion/textile choices. Fashion trends. 		What apps & websites can I use to support my learning? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> SQA NATIONAL 5 FASHION & TEXTILES https://www.sqa.org.uk/sqa/56939.html N5 Fashion & Textiles – Practical Skills Videos https://www.understandingstandards.org.uk/Subjects/FashionandTextiles/National5/PracticalSkills/Introduction CLICKVIEW Search FASHION https://online.clickview.co.uk/search?query=fashion CLICKVIEW search TEXTILES https://online.clickview.co.uk/search?query=textiles CLICKVIEW Search SEWING BEE https://online.clickview.co.uk/search?query=sewing%20bee GOOGLE Search Sewing Tutorials & Techniques You TUBE Sewing Tutorials & Techniques 																
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