

Class Title: ORANGE Intro to Fashion Design

Teacher Name: Jennifer Brodowska

Class Day: Friday

Class Size: 10

Class Cost: \$95 (Fall semester price ONLY)

There will be an additional class cost for the 2nd semester which will include patterns and fabrics to complete the 3-4 garments.

Ages or color group served: Orange/ Red (8th grade and up)

What level is this class: Level 4

Prerequisites: Sewing 101 (offered at HCU Spring 2024) OR students need to be enrolled in ORANGE Sewing II currently.

Students need to be able to read and follow directions. They need to be able to handle sharp objects maturely, they will be regularly using scissors, needles, pins, and their sewing machine(second semester). They will also need basic cutting, gluing, and drawing skills.

Students will need to purchase their OWN sewing machine for this class, if they do not already have one, in addition to the class supply fees.

Graduation Requirements: Complete a collection of 3-4 garments that work together, and create a cohesive theme. Garments will be to be worked from sketch through to a sewn garment. Students must also participate in the fashion show at the end of the Spring 2025 semester.

Homework Requirements: There will be homework, it will include, but not limited to research, sketching, making mock ups, and sewing.

Class Description: **This is a yearlong class**

During this year-long class we will be exploring what is fashion design? In this class students will be creating their own "look" for their designs. From figure sketches, clothes sketches, picking fabrics, and sewing up a small collection, they will work



towards creating a cohesive collection that reflects their OWN style and values. Students will learn basics of figure drawing, rendering clothes, sewing machine basics, various closures for garments, various seams, how to lay out a pattern, cut it, mash it to get the look and style they want. Each student will be sewing 3-4 garments over the course of the year. The garments will need to be completed correctly and participate in the fashion show at the end of the Spring 2025 semester. in order for the students to get their certificate for class. **You will need to provide your OWN working sewing machine in addition to class fees.

These are a couple machines that I recommend:

https://www.amazon.com/Brother-CS7000X-Computerized-Quilting-Stitches/dp/B08BH5GTNC/ref=sr_1_1_sspa?crid=CR4LMX1T04Bl&keywords=brother+cs/7000x+computerized+sewing+and+quilting+machine&qid=1698604661&sprefix=brother+cs7000%2Caps%2C165&sr=8-1-spons&sp_csd=d2lkZ2V0TmFtZT1_zcF9hdGY&psc=1_

https://www.amazon.com/Brother-XR3774-Full-Featured-Quilting-Instructional/dp/B00MNS60AQ/ref=sxin_14_recs_zoco_stores_brand_identity_bs?content-id=amz_n1.sym.7d2e00dd-9358-4f89-aca0-04685eb73811%3Aamzn1.sym.7d2e00dd-9358-4f89-aca0-04685eb73811&crid=37G4AVWYTFHQS&cv_ct_cx=brother+sewing+machine&keywords=brother+sewing+machine&pd_rd_i=B00MNS60AQ&pd_rd_r=f232b4e5-09f7-462c-8d4c-a3ad674d1498&pd_rd_w=Jgru9&pd_rd_wg=SRnJl&pf_rd_p=7d2e00dd-9358-4f89-aca0-04685eb73811&pf_rd_r=605J6DX4GQH8CSF0SN62&qid=1698604854&sbo=RZvfv%2F%2FHxDF%2BO5021pAnSA%3D%3D&sprefix=brother+sewing%2Caps%2C125&sr=1-4-5f457e4f-4cf5-45bd-948b-58563dcb013a



Please let me know if you have ANY questions about purchasing your sewing machine!!

Week 1:

What is fashion? Who is fashion for? Psychology/ Sociology of fashion.

Week 2:

What is the effect of fashion and the fashion industry on personal body image, cultural expectations of women, connection between attractiveness, fashion sense, and success?

Week 3:

Design Essentials

Week 4:

Design Essentials

Week 5:

Design Essentials

Week 6:

Drawing the figure.

Week 7:

Drawing the figure.

Week 8:

Create a CROQUIS a body that will be used to trace clothes over top of. This will be used throughout the year, and should reflect your style and values. Female and male croquis will be made.

Week 9:



Creating your "Brand" Style, color and mood board. Begin planning garments for the fashion show.

Review of Sewing basics
Planning garments for the fashion show.

Week 10:

Review of Sewing basics
Planning garments for the fashion show.

Week 11:

Review of Sewing basics
Planning garments for the fashion show.

Week 12:

Review of Sewing basics

Planning garments for the fashion show.