DESIGN TECHNOLOGY

NCFE Level 1 Award in Creative Craft

Curriculum Map: KS5

Wording taken from Pearson's Course Specification
https://www.ncfe.org.uk/media/vllmmqte/601-3360-0-qualification-specification.pdf
This map shows the units covered over the duration of three years. They may be completed in any order.

UNIT 1
Explore Craft Resources

LEARNING AIMS

- Enable learners to develop basic skills in craft
- Develop an understanding of health and safety considerations in the craft environment

LESSON ACTIVITIES

- Develop knowledge of materials and the techniques required to manipulate them
- Explore the properties and characteristics of different materials and develop their use of tools and equipment for working with selected materials and their suitability
- Learners will explore the properties of different materials and gain an understanding of their visual effect and suitability for craft ideas.
- Cover health and safety procedures relevant to the chosen tools and materials

UNIT 2
Explore Craft Ideas

LESSON ACTIVITIES

- Explore the work of others to inspire and develop own craft ideas
- Understand and identify the formal elements within craft ideas
- Record ideas and discuss them with others
- Respond to feedback and give reasons for final choice
- Learners will produce a record of health and safety factors relevant to the craft

LEARNING AIMS

- Provide learners with underpinning knowledge of the craft process
- Use materials, tools and equipment correctly and safely

UNIT 3
Create, Present and Review Final Craft Item

LEARNING AIMS

- Plan, produce and reflect upon craft work
- Plan and prepare tools, materials and equipment required to produce craft item
- Display final finished piece in an appropriate way or setting for others to see
- Identify and issues/challenges faces in the creative process
- Create and action plan to help with future developments

Provide learners with a basis for progression into further study in craft-related areas

Develop a portfolio of work in craft

NEXT STEPS

Find out if your college offers a design course at level 1 or 2

COLLEGE