



KS4. Textiles Design: NCFE Level 1/2 Technical Award in Creative Design and Production (GCSE)

Exam Board: NCFE Level 1/2
Technical Award in (Textile)
Creative Design and Production
Specification:

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Topics Covered:

Content area 1: Design and production in context
Content area 2: Design materials and processes
Content area 3: Design brief and production processes
Content area 4: Presentation of a design solution
Content area 5: Review of processes and solution
Content area 6: Working in the design production industries

The Level 1/2 Technical Award in (Textiles) Creative Design and Production complements GCSE qualifications. It is aimed at 14 to 16 year olds studying key stage 4 (KS4) curriculum who are interested in the design and production sector. This qualification is designed to match the rigour and challenge of GCSE study. The qualification is graded at level 1 pass, merit, distinction and level 2 pass, merit, distinction and distinction* (equivalent to GCSE grades 8.5 to 1).

Assessment

The qualification has 2 assessments externally-set by NCFE:
one non-exam assessment and one written examined assessment.

Assessment breakdown

- 1 hour 30 minutes Examined assessment
- 16 hours Non-Exam assessment

Non-exam assessment (NEA) Externally-set, internally marked and externally moderated: Weighting (60%) • synoptic project

Examined assessment (EA) Externally-set and externally marked: Weighting (40%)

- written exam

Total 100% Overall qualification grades: L1P, L1M, L1D, L2P, L2M, L2D, L2D*

Suggested reading/ revision guides:

Links to helpful web-based resources:

- <https://www.designersnexus.com/>
- <https://creativejourneyuk.com/>
- www.vam.ac.uk/page/d/design-styles/
- www.designmuseum.org/design/

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