Knitwear Construction/Fash 121
Course Syllabus

Course Description:
Students will learn industry techniques for sewing knitwear apparel including sportswear separates, lingerie, and activewear. Machine skills include use of specialized knit stitches on computer sewing machines, sergers, and cover-stitch machines.

Required Text: Sewing with Knits and Stretch Fabrics. Czachor, Sharon L. Fairchild Books. 2016

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Course Objectives
1. Identify different types of knit fabrics and their weights and stretch ratios.
2. Apply basic fitting and construction techniques for knits.
3. Select suitable patterns and fabrics for a variety of knit garments.
4. Employ machine skills for working with knits on computerized sewing machines, sergers, and cover-stitch machines.
5. Assemble beginning to advanced knit garments implementing techniques unique to knit garment construction.

Grading: *Grading Scale*

Lab Participation	20%	100-95% = A	76 - 74% = C
Quizzes	15%	94 - 90% = A-	73 – 70% = C-
Samples	20%	89 – 87% = B+	69 – 67% = D+
Three knit garments -15% each	<u>45%</u>	86 – 84% = B	66 – 64% = D
	100%	83 – 80% = B-	63 – 60% = D-
		79 – 77% = C+	59% = F

Student Responsibilities:
1. No food in the lab. Beverages must have lids and shall be placed in designated areas.
2. Silence cell phones during class. Texting and attending to personal email is not allowed during class. Do not use the overhead power to charge cell phones.
3. Assist with lab clean-up and disposal of recyclables.
4. You are expected to arrive on time. If you are tardy enter the classroom quietly so as not to disrupt your instructor or fellow students. If you are more than 20 minutes late without a reasonable excuse, you will be marked absent and not allowed to review the lecture notes for that class meeting.
5. More than one absence from this class is considered excessive. (see section 2.0 of the SRJC Attendance Policy below)

SRJC Attendance Policy

It shall be the policy of the Sonoma County Junior College District to maintain an attendance policy and procedures consistent with State and local requirements.

1.0 Attendance

1.1 Students are expected to attend all sessions of the course in which they are enrolled.

1.2 Any student with excessive absences may be dropped from the class.

2.0 Excessive Absence Defined

2.1 A student may be dropped from any class when that student's absences exceed ten percent (10%) of the total hours of class time.

2.2 Instructors shall state in each course syllabus what constitutes excessive absence for that course

3.0 Excused vs. Unexcused absences

3.1 Unless state or federal law requires that the absence be deemed excused, no instructor shall be required to make a distinction between excused and unexcused absences.

3.2 If individual Instructors wish to distinguish between excused and unexcused absences the instructor shall state in each course syllabus all criteria for any excused absences in addition those required by state or federal law.

4.0 Nonattendance

4.1 Students who fail to attend the first two class meetings of a full semester course may be dropped by the instructor.
https://admissions.santarosa.edu/sites/admissions.santarosa.edu/files/Catalog%202016-17%20Section%203.pdf

6. If you must miss class and intend to make-up work missed, you are required to email me regarding the reason for missing no later than the scheduled day of our class meeting.

7. Students are required to take exams at the scheduled times. If you miss an exam due to an emergency you are required to email me the reason no later than the day of the exam to be eligible to make of the exam.

8. Late assignments will be lowered 2% per working day (M – F).

9. As a registered student in this course you are expected to abide by the Santa Rosa Junior College Student Conduct Standards
https://studentlife.santarosa.edu/rights-and-responsibilities