

# GCSE Subject: Design and Technology Textiles

## What revision is expected and where can revision resources be located:

### Students in textiles must revise the following topics

- Design and technology and our world
- Smart materials, composites and technical textiles
- Materials relating to all design and technology areas (resistant materials, textiles, electronics, mechanical systems and graphics)
- Fibres and fabrics
- Ecological and social footprint
- Industrial practices in textiles
- Specialist technical principles to include, decorative, construction and finishing techniques.
- Fashion designers and companies – Vivienne Westwood, Coco Chanel, Gap and Primark.
- Designing and making principles

Revision schedule given out in class in April with suggested weekly tasks organised for sections A, B and C (colour coding matches the Clear Revise revision guide)

Past questions organised by topic on the class Teams page with class Power Points

Revision questions in class every fortnight from January to April

## Recommended revision sites:

BBC Bitesize

Senaca learning

## **Exam dates:**

- **NEA coursework deadline;** 28<sup>th</sup> March 2024
- **Written exam;** AQA Design and Technology 8522  
Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June AM – 2 hours

Equipment needed; Black pen, pencil, calculator, ruler, set square, protractor, compass, sharpener, rubber.

## Recommended revision guides:

- AQA GCSE Design and Technology, Clear Revise Revision guide
- Collect a letter from the textiles department to purchase from Parent Pay

## Help sessions available:

After school club for the NEA course work Monday and Wednesday 3.30-4.30 until April.

After the NEA deadline (28<sup>th</sup> March 2024) lessons in class will focus on revision.