

# BLUE VALLEY DISTRICT CURRICULUM & INSTRUCTION

# Family and Consumer Sciences (Grade 6) My Style



### **ORGANIZING THEME/TOPIC**

#### **FOCUS STANDARDS & SKILLS**

<ul> <li>Unit Topic: What is My Style?</li> <li>Style preferences for clothing and accessories</li> <li>Clothing care</li> <li>Consumer skills</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>FCS 7.3 Analyze social and cultural influences that affect fashion and clothing choices.</li> <li>Discuss relationship between clothing choice and image</li> <li>Recognize wise consumer choices and behaviors related to clothing selection and care.</li> </ul>
Time Frame: 1 week and integrated throughout projects	
<ul> <li>Unit Topic: Introduction to Sewing</li> <li>Introductory project</li> <li>Hand and machine sewing</li> <li>Sewing tools</li> <li>Simple seams</li> <li>Safety</li> </ul>	FCS 7.1 Demonstrate how to safely use sewing machines, equipment, and technology related to sewing project construction.  Appropriately use sewing tools  Hand sewing tools  Machine sewing tools  Demonstrate simple sewing techniques in a project  Simple seams  Variety of stitches  Finishing techniques/stitching
Time Frame: 1 week and integrated throughout projects	Machine safety
Unit Topic: Machine Made Projects  Sewing Construction using tools and technologies such as:	FCS 7.1 Demonstrate how to safely use sewing machines, equipment, and technology related to sewing project construction.
Sewing machine Embroidery machine Serger	Sewing project construction.  • Practice sewing safety guidelines.
Cricut electronic cutter  Time Frame: 3 weeks	<ul> <li>Demonstrate proper use of sewing tools, and equipment.</li> <li>Use hand and machine sewing skills to create projects.</li> <li>Select and embellish projects to represent personal style.</li> </ul>

Unit Topic Creative Design and Community Service	FCS 7.0 Integrate knowledge, skills, and practices required for careers in fashion,
Design process Creating designs to meet a challenge or purpose Prototype creation Presentation and display	textiles, or interior design.  FCS 3.0 Solve problems using creativity, innovation and critical thinking skills (analyze, synthesize, and evaluate) independently and in teams.
1 resertation and display	<ul><li>Utilize design thinking to solve a challenge or meet a need/purpose</li><li>Identify a challenge or need</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Design a solution to meet the challenge or need</li> <li>Develop a prototype utilizing skills learned</li> </ul>
Time Frame: 4 weeks	Present or display prototype created

# **Instructional approach**

- Immerse students in content so they see it, experience it, and use the vocabulary and skills of professionals in the field.
- Provide hands-on experiences
- Engage students through design thinking, problem-based or service learning related to the content