

TEXTILES, APPAREL, & MERCHANDISING

2025/2026

Apparel Design---Advising Sheet

Date _____

Student Name _____ ID# _____

SEMESTER 1

CRITICAL: "C" or better in ENGL 1001 and TAM 2045; MATH 1029

- ___ AGRI 1001 Introduction to Agriculture (1)
- ___ ENGL 1001 English Composition (3)
- ___ MATH 1029 Introduction to Contemporary Mathematics (3)
- ___ TAM 2032 Fashion Fundamentals (3)
- ___ TAM 2037 Introductory Apparel Design Studio (3)
- ___ TAM 2045 The Fashion Industry (3)

Total Semester Hours: 16

SEMESTER 3

CRITICAL: "C" or better in TAM 2040 and TAM 3037

- ___ ECON 2030 Economic Principles (3)
- ___ MATH 1100 The Nature of Mathematics (3)
- ___ TAM 2040 Textile Science (3)
- ___ TAM 2041 Textile Science Laboratory (1) [TAM 2040]
- ___ TAM 3037 Flat Pattern Design (3) [TAM 2038]
- ___ General Education course – Natural Sciences (3)

Total Semester Hours: 16

SEMESTER 5

- ___ TAM 3022 Apparel Quality Analysis (3) [TAM 2040]
- ___ TAM 3430 Emerging Technologies in Apparel Design (3) [TAM 3230]
- ___ TAM 4037 Apparel Design Through Draping (3) [TAM 3037]
- ___ MGT 3200 Principles of Management (3) **or**
- ___ MKT 3401 Principles of Marketing (3)
- ___ General Education course – Natural Sciences (3)

Total Semester Hours: 15

SEMESTER 7

- ___ TAM 4028 Advanced Apparel Design Studio (3) [TAM 3037]
- ___ TAM 4040 Collection and Portfolio Development (1)
[TAM 1232, TAM 3230]
- ___ TAM 4043 Advanced Textiles (3) [TAM 2041]
- ___ TAM 4044 Global Textile and Apparel Economics (3) [TAM 3032,
ECON 2030]
- ___ TAM 4071 History of Fashion: Ancient World to 1850 (3) [ENGL
2000]
- ___ General Education course – Humanities (3)

Total Semester Hours: 16

SEMESTER 2

CRITICAL: "C" or better in TAM 2038

- ___ CMST 2060 Public Speaking (3)
- ___ General Education course – Arts (3)
- ___ TAM 1100 Fashion and Society (3)
- ___ TAM 1232 CAD for the Apparel Industry (3)
- ___ TAM 2038 Intermediate Apparel Design Studio (3) [TAM 2037]

Total Semester Hours: 15

SEMESTER 4

CRITICAL: ENGL 2000

- ___ ENGL 2000 English Composition (3) [ENGL 1001, 39CR]
- ___ TAM 3045 Visual Merchandising and Promotion Strategies (3) [TAM
2045]
- ___ TAM 3230 Pattern Design with Computer Application (3) [TAM 3037]
- ___ PSYC 2000 Introduction to Psychology (3)
- ___ General Education course -- Natural Sciences (3)

Total Semester Hours: 15

SEMESTER 6

CRITICAL: TAM 3030, TAM 3040 and TAM 4047 only offered in the summer (all classes are 3 credits)

- ___ TAM 3030 Domestic Field Study in the Fashion Industry (3) **or**
- ___ TAM 3040 International Field Study in the Fashion Industry (3) **or**
- ___ TAM 4047 Internship in Textiles, Apparel and Merchandising (3)
[TAM 3032, TAM 3045]
- ___ TAM 3032 Textile and Apparel Product Development (3) [TAM
3022]
- ___ TAM 3050 Sustainability in Textiles and Apparel (3) [TAM 2040,
TAM 2045]
- ___ TAM 4027 Couture Embellishment Techniques (3) [TAM 3037]
- ___ General Education course- Humanities (3)

Total Semester Hours: 15

SEMESTER 8

- ___ TAM 4034 Textile and Apparel Product Evaluation (3) [TAM 2041]
- ___ TAM 4045 Senior Collection for Apparel Design (3) [TAM 4037]
- ___ TAM 2042 Trend Forecasting and Analysis **or**
- ___ TAM 4070 Fashion Entrepreneurship (3) [TAM 3032, MKT 3401]
- ___ TAM 4072 History of Modern Fashion (3) [ENGL 2000]

Total Semester Hours: 12

120 TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS