

PALOMAR COLLEGE
COURSE OUTLINE OF RECORD FOR
DEGREE CREDIT COURSE

_____ Transfer Course X A.A. Degree applicable course
 (check all that apply)

COURSE NUMBER AND TITLE: FASH 80 Serger Sewing I

UNIT VALUE: .5

MINIMUM NUMBER OF SEMESTER HOURS: 16

BASIC SKILLS REQUIREMENTS:

Appropriate Language and Computational Skills

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

PREREQUISITE: None.

COREQUISITE: None.

RECOMMENDED PREPARATION: FASH 135

SCOPE OF COURSE:

Basic serger (overlock) sewing machine operation for construction and embellishment.

SPECIFIC COURSE OBJECTIVES:

Successful students will:

1. thread "3" and "4", and "5-6 thread" serger machines;
2. correct tension adjustments;
3. apply stitch variations to select fabrics;
4. safely utilize industrial application;
5. create decorative stitching with various threads;
6. construct a garment completed on serger.

CONTENT IN TERMS OF SPECIFIC BODY OF KNOWLEDGE:

- I. Introduction to Serger Machines
 - A. Uses for serger
 - B. Accessories
 - C. Buying machines and thread
 - D. Maintenance
- II. Basic Serger Techniques
 - A. Threading
 - B. Basic techniques
 1. Seams
 2. Corners and curves, slits
 3. Removing stitches
 4. Troubleshooting

III. Stitches

- A. 2 – thread overedge
- B. 3 – thread overlock stitch
- C. 2 – thread chainstitch
- D. 4 – thread safety stitch
- E. 4 – thread mock safety stitch
- F. Wrapped overedge stitch
- G. 5 – thread safety stitch
- H. Flatlock stitch
- I. Rolled hem stitch

IV. Adjusting the Stitches

- A. Stitch length and width
- B. Adjusting tension
- C. Seams and seam finishes
- D. Hems

V. Garment Construction, Basic Level

- A. Knit and woven tops with ribbing, collars and cuffs
- B. Skirts and pants assembly: inside pockets, elastic waistbands, loops
- C. Dress assembly
- D. Variations in fabrics

REQUIRED READING:

None.

SUGGESTED READING:

Singer. Sewing With an Overlock, Singer Sewing Reference Library . Cy DeCosse Incorporated, Minnesota. 1989.

REQUIRED WRITING:

Skills demonstration is more appropriate.

Prepare a one-page information sheet on resources for machines, thread and fabric.

OUTSIDE ASSIGNMENTS:

Students are expected to spend a minimum of three hours per unit per week in class and on outside assignments, prorated for short-term classes.

Source new serger machines, thread and fabrics for construction. Do observational study of industrially produced garments by serger construction.

INSTRUCTIONAL METHODOLOGY:

Check all that apply:

- lecture
- laboratory
- lecture-laboratory combination
- directed study

DISTANCE LEARNING:

This course may be offered as a distance learning course and meets Title 5 regulations 55370, 55372, 55374, 55376, 55378, and 55380.

Yes No

If yes, check all that apply:

- Television Course (Video one-way, e.g. ITV, video cassette, etc.)
- Online Course (Text one-way, e.g. newspaper, correspondence, electronic file, etc.)
- Two-Way Video Conferencing (Two-way interactive video and audio)
- One-Way Video Conferencing (One-way interactive video and two-way interactive audio)
- Computer Assisted Instruction (A specialized form of mediated instruction relying primarily on student access to information and prepared lessons or teaching materials through a computer terminal, but not under immediate supervision of a qualified instructor.)

GRADING POLICY AND STANDARDS (include methods of determining whether the stated objectives have been met by students):

PROJECTS:	50%
PARTICIPATION:	50%
TOTAL:	100%

IS COURSE REPEATABLE FOR REASON(S) OTHER THAN DEFICIENT GRADE?

Yes No Number of times course may be taken for credit: 2

If yes, identify specific provision of Title 5 Division 2 section(s), 55761-55763 and 58161 which qualifies course as repeatable: 58161c2AB

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SIGNATURES:

By signing this form, I certify that this course outline of record meets all the minimum requirements for associate degree credit courses as specified in Title 5 Section 55002.

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