

# Fashion Design/Professional Sewing

## Fashion Designer Certificates Qualified Federal Financial Aid Program

Design Specialist I	Credits
PSP 101 Beginning Sewing I	3
PSP 104 Textiles	1.5
PSP 105 Serger Sewing	3
PSP 106 Fashion Overview	3
PSP 117 Pattern Drafting (Skirts)	3
PSP 175 Basic Sewing	1.5
<b>Design Specialist I Certificate</b>	<b>15 Credits</b>

Fashion Designer	Credits
PSP 109 Fundamentals of Design Principles	1.5
PSP 111 Fashion Sketching	1.5
PSP 125 Intermediate Sewing	3
PSP 132 Pattern Alterations and Fitting	3
PSP 133 Business of Fashion	1.5
PSP 175 Special Topics: Adobe Illustrator/Photoshop	3
PSP 175 Special Topics: Design of Draping	3
PSP xxx *Elective	3
PSP xxx *Elective	3
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>37.5</b>
<b>Estimated Cost</b>	<b>\$3,515.50</b>
<b>Estimated Time</b>	<b>12 months</b>

## Apparel Pattern Drafting Certificates Qualified Federal Financial Aid Program

Design Specialist I	Credits
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Apparel Pattern Drafting	Credits
PSP 109 Fundamentals of Design Principles	1.5
PSP 111 Fashion Sketching	1.5
PSP 119 Pattern Grading	3
PSP 133 Business of Fashion	1.5
PSP 175 Special Topics: Adobe Illustrator/Photoshop	3
PSP 175 Special Topics: Design of Draping	3
PSP xxx *Elective	3
PSP xxx *Elective	3
PSP xxx *Elective	3
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>37.5</b>
<b>Estimated Cost</b>	<b>\$3,515.50</b>
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## Apparel Alterations Certificates Qualified Federal Financial Aid Program

Design Specialist I	Credits
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Apparel Alterations	Credits
PSP 125 Intermediate Sewing	3
PSP 132 Pattern Alterations and Fitting	3
PSP 133 Business of Fashion	1.5
PSP 201 Alterations, Ready to Wear	3
PSP 202 Advanced Garment Construction	3
PSP 203 Couture & Bridal Wear	3
PSP xxx *Elective	3
PSP xxx *Elective	3
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>37.5</b>
<b>Estimated Cost</b>	<b>\$3,515.50</b>
<b>Estimated Time</b>	<b>12 months</b>

\*See Back for Elective Options



- Unique - the only curriculum of its kind in the nation
- Enjoy a career at the forefront of the fashion industry
- You provide talent, creativity and drive, we provide technical education, direction and support
- Financial assistance available
- Hands on training
- Flexible scheduling/day and evening classes offered



• Opportunities For All Who Wish To Learn •

## Register Today!

By Telephone 720-423-4702  
 In Person 2nd Floor Registration Desk  
 1250 Welton St., Denver  
 Online EmilyGriffith.edu

# Fashion Design/Professional Sewing Job Information

## **PROGRAM DESCRIPTION**

This program teaches skills for employment in a home-based business or industry as an alterationist, designer, seamstress, or retail salesperson. Students complete 10.5 credits for Sewing Development, 9 credits for Apparel Drafting, 9 credits Apparel Development and 9 credits for Apparel Designer to earn the Fashion Development/Professional Sewing certificate.

## **RELATED JOB TITLES**

Accessories  
Alterations/Tailors  
Children's wear  
Costuming  
Bridal/evening/formal  
Dolls and puppets  
Embroidery  
Home furnishings  
Leather  
Lingerie  
Pet wear/accessories  
Travel gear

## **ESTIMATED SALARIES**

(Based on Colorado Dept. of Labor Occupational Outlook Handbook)

<b><u>Job Title</u></b>	<b><u>Hourly Pay</u></b>	<b><u>Annual Salary</u></b>
<i>Professional Sewer/Designer</i>		
Entry level	\$9.48	\$19,710
Experienced	\$14.55	\$30,260

## **POTENTIAL EMPLOYERS**

Boutiques  
Department store chains  
Fabric stores/Sewing machine stores  
Manufacturers  
Fashion publications

## **ADVISING**

Contact Chris Millius at [Chris\\_Millius@dpsk12.org](mailto:Chris_Millius@dpsk12.org) or call Lydia Melvin at 720-423-4712 for an appointment.

## **FINANCIAL AID**

Available through the Financial Aid Office.  
Call 720-423-4744 for information regarding the types of aid available for this course/program.

## **START COLLEGE HERE**

Transfer up to 42 program credits to a Colorado community college, complete the five required academic courses, and earn an Associate's of Applied Sciences Degree.

## **ELECTIVE CLASSES**

### **\*Fashion Designer Electives**

PSP 112 Theatrical Costuming	PSP 114 Creative Sewing
PSP 119 Pattern Grading	PSP 122 Computer Embroidery
PSP 128 Machine Embellishment	PSP 131 Lingerie & Lycra
PSP 132 Pattern Alterations and Fitting	PSP 142 Millinery
PSP 175 Advanced Serger Sewing	PSP 175 Special Topics

### **\*Apparel Pattern Drafting Electives**

PSP 118 Pattern Drafting-Men's Wear	PSP 121 Pattern Alt.-Dress Forms
PSP 131 Lingerie & Lycra	PSP 132 Pattern Alt. and Fitting
PSP 142 Millinery	PSP 175 Adv. Serger Sewing
PSP 178 Special Topics: Pattern Drafting; Pants; Children's Wear; Caftans & Kimonos; Dresses & Suits; Knits	

### **\*Apparel Alterations Electives**

PSP 112 Theatrical Costuming	PSP 114 Creative Sewing
PSP 119 Pattern Grading	PSP 122 Computer Embroidery
PSP 121 Pattern Alterations-Dress Form	PSP 128 Machine Embellishment
PSP 131 Lingerie & Lycra	PSP 132 Pattern Alt. & Fitting
PSP 142 Millinery	PSP 175 Adv. Serger Sewing
PSP 175 Special Topics	