



MST40519 Certificate IV in Applied Fashion Design and Merchandising

National ID: MST40519 | State ID: BEP8

About this course

Do you want to work in the creative and energetic world of fashion?

The **Certificate IV in Applied Fashion Design and Merchandising** course immerses students in the ever-dynamic fashion industry.

Some of the skills you will learn are:

- Fashion design and colour principles
- Fashion forecasting
- Technical fashion drawing
- Fibre and textile investigation and sourcing
- Sustainability and ethical production
- Digital technologies for fashion design
- Patternmaking and grading
- Specialist garment construction such as tailored shirts and a denim jacket

When you complete the **Certificate IV in Applied Fashion Design and Merchandising** course at Bentley, some of the roles you'll be ready to take on include:

- Design workroom assistant

- Trade drawing technician
- Junior CAD operator
- Fabric and supply sourcer
- Assistant patternmaker/grader
- Garment finisher/presser
- Alterations technician
- Production machinist
- Specification technician
- Dispatcher
- Quality controller

See more on our award winning students and fashion facilities on [facebook](#) and [instagram](#)

Overview

This course will be offered with a blended, flexible delivery model to enable social distancing measures to be undertaken during the COVID-19 pandemic. This approach may include a mix of online and classroom based delivery, as well as practical and work experience placements. Lecturers will provide specific instructions to their student groups on how training will be undertaken.

Semester 1, 2020

Bentley - Full Time-Classroom



Duration: **2 Semesters**



When: **Semester 1, 2020**



How: **Full Time**

Units

Core

National ID	Unit Title
MSMENV272	Participate in environmentally sustainable work practices
MSMWHS200	Work safely
MSS402051	Apply quality standards
MSTFD4006	Interact and network with fashion industry participants
MSTFD4023	Calculate cost estimates for TCF products
MSTGN2013	Identify fibres, fabrics and textiles used in the TCF industry
MSTGN2014	Operate computing technology in a TCF workplace

Elective

National ID	Unit Title
MSTCL3001	Identify fabric performance and handling requirements
MSTCL3002	Prepare and produce a complex whole garment from specifications
MSTCL3009	Develop patterns from a block using basic patternmaking principles
MSTFD2005	Identify design process for fashion designs
MSTFD2006	Use a sewing machine for fashion design
MSTFD3004	Draw a trade drawing for fashion design
MSTFD4001	Apply design studio process
MSTFD4002	Apply principles of colour theory to fashion design development
MSTFD4003	Assist in preparation of preliminary design concepts
MSTFD4010	Create pattern to meet design specifications applying advanced patternmaking principles
MSTFD4012	Develop product specifications for fashion design

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MSTFD4013	Grade 2-D patterns
MSTFD4014	Identify influences on contemporary fashion designs and construction techniques
MSTFD4015	Create pattern from block to meet customer specifications
MSTFD4016	Sew design prototypes
MSTFD4020	Use electronic fashion design tools
MSTFD4022	Source materials and resources for production of TCF designs
MSTFD5024	Evaluate fashion designs against set criteria

Entrance requirements

School Leaver	Non-School Leaver	AQF
C Grades in Year 11 WACE General English, and OLNA or NAPLAN 9 Band 8	C Grades in Year 11 English and Maths or equivalent	Certificate II or Certificate III

Study pathway



[Certificate IV in Applied Fashion Design and Merchandising](#)



[Diploma of Applied Fashion Design and Merchandising \(Fashion Business\)](#)



[Diploma of Applied Fashion Design and Merchandising](#)



[Advanced Diploma of Applied Fashion Design and Merchandising](#)

Job opportunities



[Fashion Designer Retail Manager | Costume Designer](#)

Please note this list should be used as a guide only as job titles and qualification requirements may vary between organisations.

SM TAFE actively promotes the employment availability of course graduates to key industry partners and organisations. We also seek expressions of interest from organisations for the placement of our students into work experience. We endeavour to assist students into a career pathway, but please be aware that neither employment nor work experience placement is guaranteed by us.

To access free career planning and job search assistance, visit the [Jobs and Skills Centres](#) page.

Fees and charges

Indicative fees and charges

[2020 general admission fees list](#)

[2020 apprenticeship/traineeship fees list](#)

Fees and charges published on our website are indicative. Your fees will depend on your eligibility for government funding or a concession rate, and the units you choose to study or seek to be recognised under Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL). Our Indicative fees lists show fees that are:

- Based on the full possible study plan of units, including the recommended electives
- Based on full time study in 2020
- Charged at the government funded rate for over 18 years of age students
- Based on unit electives designed to meet localised industry demand for skills
- Made up of course fees and resource fees, or RPL fees. Course fees are the cost of your tuition, while resource fees pay for consumables provided to you to aid your study (such as printing and paper). You may also be required to purchase text books or equipment that are not part of our tuition or resource fees.

Fees may vary between students and between educational providers. Other charges may apply.

Visit our [Fees and payment options](#) page for more information.

Call 1800 001 001 to get a more accurate fee indication based on your eligibility and study plan before applying.

VET Student Loans

Selected courses are VET Student Loan eligible courses.

A VET Student Loan creates a debt that must be repaid to the Commonwealth and is only available to students who are eligible.

To find out if you are eligible or to see the list of eligible courses visit our [Student Loans](#) page.

International students

Selected courses are available to International students for full time study only.

Fees, charges, available locations, applications and enrolment procedures for International students are different to those for students who have Australian permanent residency.

For more information or to find a course visit the [TAFE International WA](#) website.

Apprenticeships and traineeships

Fees for apprenticeships and traineeships are charged at a rate per nominal hour of study.

This means that your fees will vary depending on the units you study as part of your training plan.

Apprentices and trainees are liable to pay for their own fees but some industrial agreements (awards) dictate that employers are required to reimburse their apprentice upon receipt of satisfactory progress. An employer may also opt to pay on behalf of the apprentice or trainee.

For more information visit our [Apprenticeships and traineeships](#) page.

Recognition of Prior Learning

Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) enrolments are charged at \$3.25 per nominal hour of study.

No concession fees apply to RPL enrolments. Refer to the institutional or apprenticeship/traineeship fee lists for an indicative RPL course fee.

Please note, fees are subject to change.