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Assessment Requirements for MSTGN2023

Identify and handle fabrics and textiles

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Modification History

Release 1. Unit code Title and Application changed. Unit completely reworked to reflect basic workplace skills and knowledge. All aspects of unit and Assessment Requirements simplified and streamlined. Supersedes and is not equivalent to MSTGN2013 Identify fibres, fabrics and textiles used in the TCF industry.

Performance Evidence

There must be evidence the candidate has completed the tasks outlined in the elements and performance criteria of this unit, and demonstrated the ability to:

- correctly interpret workplace information about three different types of fabrics or textiles
- for five types of fabrics or textiles:
 - correctly identify fabric or textile from its visual and physical properties
 - match fabric or textile to a suitable application or process
 - match fabric or textile to two suitable accessories
 - check fabric or textile and identify basic faults.
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Knowledge Evidence

There must be evidence the candidate has knowledge of:

- types of information about fabrics and textiles used in the workplace:
 - product information
 - labels
 - work instructions involving technical information
- basic aspects of woven, knitted and non-woven fabrics:
 - how to identify different fabric types
 - properties and how these impact appearance or process
 - performance of different fabrics & related care and handling considerations
 - how to spot flaws
- existence of Australian Standards for care labelling
- common end uses of woven, knitted and non-woven fabrics
- basic informal fabric performance tests commonly used in the workplace
- basic characteristics of textiles other than fabrics used in the workplace
- accessories used in textile products:
 - types, including threads, fastenings and trims
 - suitability for different applications and processes

- current and emerging trends in fabrics and their applications.
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Assessment Conditions

Skills must have been demonstrated in the workplace or in a simulated environment that reflects workplace conditions and contingencies. The following conditions must be met for this unit:

- use of suitable facilities, equipment and resources, including:
 - work information about fabrics and textiles
 - fabrics and textiles.

Assessors must satisfy the NVR/AQTF mandatory competency requirements for assessors.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -
<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=a203ec5c-de7d-406b-b3e1-8f1a9b76e92e>