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MSTML4010 Make couture trims

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Modification History

Release 1. Supersedes and is equivalent to LMTML4010A Make couture trims

Application

This unit of competency covers skills and knowledge required to make unique trims for model and couture millinery.

The unit of competency applies to analysing a trim design and making individual trims from traditional and non-traditional materials and components to complement the overall millinery design.

Work may be conducted in small to large scale enterprises and may involve individual and team activities.

No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this unit at the time of publication.

Pre-requisite Unit

MSTCL2016 Trim headwear

MSTML3004 Identify performance and handling requirements of millinery materials

Competency Field

Millinery

Unit Sector

Not applicable

Elements and Performance Criteria

Elements describe the essential outcomes.

Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.

1 Determine job requirements

1.1 Follow standard operating procedures (SOPs)

1.2 Comply with work health and safety (WHS) requirements at all times

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| | | 1.3 | Use appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) in accordance with SOPs |
| | | 1.4 | Identify job requirements from specifications, drawings, job sheets or work instructions |
| 2 | Prepare to make couture trims | 2.1 | Analyse millinery design to determine and confirm trim requirements |
| | | 2.2 | Apply workplace procedures |
| | | 2.3 | Select quality materials for trim |
| | | 2.4 | Test and confirm performance and handling characteristics of selected materials |
| | | 2.5 | Confirm material selection with design or designer |
| 3 | Prepare materials to make trim | 3.1 | Cut materials to required or manageable size |
| | | 3.2 | Dye or tint materials, as required |
| | | 3.3 | Embellish materials, as required |
| | | 3.4 | Shape or mould and stiffen materials, as required |
| 4 | Make couture trim | 4.1 | Plan construction of trim |
| | | 4.2 | Form and construct trim and check design proportions |
| | | 4.3 | Secure trim form and trim components |
| | | 4.4 | Finish couture trim according to design requirements and workplace procedures |

Foundation Skills

This section describes those required skills (language, literacy and numeracy) that are essential to performance.

Foundation skills essential to performance are explicit in the performance criteria of this unit of competency.

Range of Conditions

This field allows for different work environments and conditions that may affect performance. Essential operating conditions that may be present (depending on the work situation, needs of the candidate, accessibility of the item, and local industry and regional contexts) are included.

Workplace procedures include one or more of the following:

- requirements prescribed by legislation, awards, agreements and conditions of employment
- SOPs
- work instructions
- PPE
- oral, written and visual communication
- quality practices, including responsibility for maintenance of own work quality and contribution to quality improvement of team or section output
- housekeeping
- tasks related to environmental protection, waste disposal, pollution control and recycling
- WHS practices

Couture trims include one or more of the following:

- complex trims that require dexterity and intricate material manipulation skills
- hand and machine stitching
- intricate folded ribbon trims and bows
- tooled flowers
- folded fabric flowers
- manipulated lace motifs and braids
- manipulated beaded motifs and braids
- bias cut pleated or folded features
- intricate tassels
- sculpted feathers
- wired trims
- dyeing and colouring

Materials include one or more of the following:

- ribbons
- lace
- traditional and non-traditional millinery materials
- woven and non-woven textiles
- wire
- lace
- dyes
- threads
- beads and buttons

- feathers
- braid

Unit Mapping Information

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Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=a203ec5c-de7d-406b-b3e1-8f1a9b76e92e>