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MSTML2009 Apply millinery sewing and adhesion techniques

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Modification History

Release 1. Supersedes and is equivalent to LMTML2009A Apply millinery sewing and adhesion techniques

Application

This unit of competency covers the skills and knowledge required to select and apply appropriate sewing and adhesion techniques to millinery construction and finishing processes.

The unit of competency applies to identifying and applying a variety of hand sewing techniques used in millinery for joining, attaching components, attaching trims and finishing processes, and the safe use of millinery adhesives where appropriate.

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

Nil

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

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| 1.1 | Follow standard operating procedures (SOPs) |
| 1.2 | Comply with work health and safety (WHS) requirements at all times |
| 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

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| 2 | Prepare to apply hand sewing and adhesion techniques | 2.1 | Identify hand sewing techniques and millinery adhesives, and their application processes to millinery design and construction |
| | | 2.2 | Select threads and needles for the millinery application |
| | | 2.3 | Apply sewing techniques to millinery materials and components |
| | | 2.4 | Select adhesives that are compatible to the millinery materials and millinery application |
| | | 2.5 | Follow manufacturer instructions for the use and application of adhesives |
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| 3 | Use sewing and adhesion techniques to finish millinery | 3.1 | Select sewing or adhesion techniques according to finishing requirements of millinery design |
| | | 3.2 | Prepare millinery components for finishing. |
| | | 3.3 | Finish millinery for presentation or despatch |

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

Hand sewing techniques include one or more of the following:

- buttonhole stitch
- backstitch
- tacking
- straight hemming
- slip stitch
- stab stitch
- darning
- diagonal basting
- lacing stitch
- glove-stitch
- catch stitch

Millinery application processes include one or more of the following:

- attaching wire
- brim edge-finishing
- applying linings
- applying head ribbons
- joining leather, felt and canvas
- attaching trims
- attaching labels
- adhesion techniques where hand sewing cannot be used effectively

Compatible includes one or more of the following:

- interpreting manufacturer advice on the chemical composition of the adhesive in order to determine the suitability of the adhesive to the millinery materials and the purpose for which it needs to be applied
- testing the adhesive on a sample of the millinery materials to which it is to be applied

Unit Mapping Information

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Performance Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence in this unit must be relevant to and satisfy the requirements of the elements and performance criteria, and include:

- reading and following work instructions, standard operating procedures (SOPs), safe work practices, manufacturer instructions
- selecting and applying appropriate millinery hand sewing techniques according to the needs of the design on at least two (2) occasions
- selecting and using millinery adhesives according to manufacturer instructions and workplace procedures on at least two (2) occasions
- testing compatibility and suitability of millinery adhesives to millinery materials
- following manufacturer instructions for the use and application of millinery adhesives
- finishing millinery using appropriate millinery hand sewing and adhesion for presentation or despatch.

Knowledge Evidence

Evidence must be provided that demonstrates knowledge of:

- safe work practices and procedures and use of personal protective equipment (PPE)
- millinery hand sewing techniques:
 - buttonhole stitch
 - backstitch
 - tacking
 - straight hemming
 - slip stitch
 - stab stitch
 - darning
 - diagonal basting
 - lacing stitch
 - glove-stitch
- millinery adhesives
- millinery application processes:
 - attaching wire
 - brim edge-finishing

- applying linings
- applying head ribbons
- joining leather, felt and canvas
- attaching trims
- attaching labels
- adhesion techniques where hand sewing cannot be used effectively
- threads and needles used in hand sewing for millinery
- hazard identification and control measures associated with using and storing millinery adhesives
- finish procedures:
 - attaching labels and tags
 - adjusting the positioning of trims
 - attaching trims
- workplace procedures.

Assessment Conditions

- Assessors must:
 - satisfy the assessor competency requirements that are in place at the time of the assessment, as set by the VET regulator
 - have vocational competency in applying millinery sewing and adhesion techniques, at least to the level being assessed, with relevant industry knowledge and experience.
- Assessment should occur in operational workplace situations. Where this is not possible, or where personal safety or environmental damage are limiting factors, assessment must occur in a sufficiently rigorous simulated environment reflecting realistic operational workplace conditions. This must cover all aspects of workplace performance, including environment, task skills, task management skills, contingency management skills and job role environment skills.
- Assessment processes and techniques must be appropriate to the language, literacy and numeracy requirements of the work being performed and the needs of the candidate.
- Conditions for assessment must include access to all tools, equipment, materials and documentation required, including relevant workplace procedures, product and manufacturing specifications associated with this unit.

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