



Maldives National Skills Development Authority



National Competency Standard for Fashion Design and Tailoring

Standard Code: SOC12S16V2

Qualification Name: National Certificate III in Fashion Design and Tailoring
Qualification Code: SOC12SQ1L316

PREFACE

Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) Authority was established with the vision to develop a TVET system in the Maldives that is demand driven, accessible, beneficiary financed and quality assured, to meet the needs of society for stability and economic growth, the needs of Enterprise for a skilled and reliable workforce, the need of young people for decent jobs and the needs of workers for continuous mastery of new technology.

TVET system in the Maldives flourished with the Employment Skills Training Project (ESTP) funded by ADB with the objective of increasing the number of Maldivians, actively participating in the labor force, employed and self-employed. The Project supported expansion of demand driven employment-oriented skills training in priority occupations and to improve the capacity to develop and deliver Competency Based Skill Training (CBST). The project supported delivery of CBST programs to satisfy employer demand-driven needs. The National Competency Standards (NCS) provide the base for this training. Currently CBST is offered for five key sectors in the Maldives: Tourism, Fisheries and Agriculture, Transport, Construction and the Social sectors. These sectors are included as priority sectors that play a vital role in the continued economic growth of the country.

The NCS are developed in consultation with Employment Sector Councils representing employers. They are designed using a consensus format endorsed by the Maldives Qualifications Authority (MQA) to maintain uniformity of approach and the consistency of content amongst occupations. This single format also simplifies benchmarking the NCS against relevant regional and international standards. NCS specify the standards of performance of a competent worker and the various contexts in which the work may take place. NCS also describes the knowledge, skills and attitudes required in a particular occupation. They provide explicit advice to assessors and employers regarding the knowledge, skills and attitudes to be demonstrated by the candidates seeking formal recognition for the competency acquired following training or through work experience. By sharing this information, all participants in the training process have the same understanding of the training required and the standard to be reached for certification. Certification also becomes portable and can be recognized by other employers and in other countries with similar standards. NCS are the foundation for the implementation of the TVET system in Maldives. They ensure that all skills, regardless of where or how they were developed can be assessed and recognized. They also form the foundation for certifying skills in the Maldives National Qualification Framework (MNQF).

1. Endorsement Application for Qualification 01

Key for coding

Competency Standards and Related Materials

DESCRIPTION	REPRESENTED BY
Industry Sector as per ESC (Three letters)	Construction Sector (CON) Fisheries and Agriculture Sector (FNA) Transport sector (TRN) Tourism Sector (TOU) Social Sector (SOC) Foundation (FOU)
Competency Standard	S
Occupation with in a industry Sector	Two digits 01-99
Unit	U
Common Competency	1
Core Competency	2
Optional/ Elective Competency	3
Assessment Resources Materials	A
Learning Resources Materials	L
Curricula	C
Qualification	Q1, Q2 etc
MNQF level of Qualification	L1, L2 etc
Version Number	V1, V2 etc
Year of endorsement of standard, qualification	By two digits Example- 07

2. NATIONAL CERTIFICATE III IN FASHION DESIGN AND TAILORING		
3. Qualification code: SOC12SQ1L316		Total Number of Credits: 48
4. Purpose of the qualification The holders of this qualification are expected to work as a Tailor.		
5. Regulations for the qualification		National Certificate III in Fashion Design and Tailoring will be awarded to those who are competent in units 1+2+3+4+5+6+7+8+9+10+11+12
6. Schedule of Units		
Unit	Unit Title	Code
1.	Introduction to Sewing	SOC12S1U01V1
2.	Observe personal, work place hygiene safety and security practices	SOC12S1U02V1
3.	Communication skills & building positive work environment	SOC12S1U03V1
4.	Basic sewing and use of simple accessories	SOC12S1U04V1
5.	Basic drawing and designing concepts	SOC12S1U05V1
6.	Pattern drafting	SOC12S1U06V1
7.	Millinery and craftwork	SOC12S1U07V1
8.	Science and calculation	SOC12S1U08V1
9.	Advanced drawing and design	SOC12S1U09V1
10.	Producing garments	SOC12S1U10V1
11.	Staying organized and packaging the finished product	SOC12S1U11V1
12.	Marketing and customer care	SOC12S1U12V1
7. Accreditation requirements		The training provider should have the required training facility to provide the trainees the hands-on experience related to this qualification
8. Recommended sequencing of units		As appearing under the section 06

1. Endorsement Application for Qualification 02**2. NATIONAL CERTIFICATE IV IN FASHION DESIGN AND TAILORING****3. Qualification code:** SOC12SQ2L418**Total Number of Credits:** 168**4. Purpose of the qualification** The holders of this qualification are expected to work as a Fashion designer.**5. Regulations for the qualification**

National Certificate IV in Fashion Design and Tailoring will be awarded to those who are competent in units

1+2+3+4+5+6+7+8+9+10+11+12+13+14+15+16+17+18+19+20+21

6. Schedule of Units

Unit	Unit Title	Code
1	Introduction to Sewing	SOC12S1U01V1
2	Observe personal, work place hygiene safety and security practices	SOC12S1U02V1
3	Communication skills & building positive work environment	SOC12S1U03V1
4	Basic sewing and use of simple accessories	SOC12S1U04V1
5	Basic drawing and designing concepts	SOC12S1U05V1
6	Pattern drafting	SOC12S1U06V1
7	Millinery and craftwork	SOC12S1U07V1
8	Science and calculation	SOC12S1U08V1
9	Advanced drawing and design	SOC12S1U09V1
10	Producing garments	SOC12S1U10V1
11	Staying organized and packaging the finished product	SOC12S1U11V1
12	Marketing and customer care	SOC12S1U12V1
13	Identify fibers and fabrics	SOC12S2U13V1
14	Identify design process for fashion designs	SOC12S2U14V1
15	Create garment designs	SOC12S2U15V1
16	Use electronic fashion design tools	SOC12S2U16V1
17	Modify patterns to create basic styles	SOC12S2U17V1
18	Apply principles of color theory to fashion design development	SOC12S2U18V1
19	Draw and interpret basic sketch	SOC12S2U19V1
20	Drape fabric to make pattern	SOC12S2U20V1
21	Prepare a design concept for a simple garment	SOC12S2U21V1

7. Accreditation requirements

The training provider should have the required training facility to provide the trainees the hands-on experience related to this qualification

8. Recommended sequencing of units

As appearing under the section 06

FASHION DESIGN AND TAILORING

UNIT DETAILS

No.	modules/units		level	Credit
1	Introduction to Sewing	SOC12S1U01V1	3	3
2	Observe personal, work place hygiene safety and security practices	SOC12S1U02V1	3	3
3	Communication skills & building positive work environment	SOC12S1U03V1	3	3
4	Basic sewing and use of simple accessories	SOC12S1U04V1	3	3
5	Basic drawing and designing concepts	SOC12S1U05V1	3	6
6	Pattern drafting	SOC12S1U06V1	3	6
7	Millinery and craftwork	SOC12S1U07V1	3	3
8	Science and calculation	SOC12S1U08V1	3	3
9	Advanced drawing and design	SOC12S1U09V1	3	9
10	Producing garments	SOC12S1U10V1	3	3
11	Staying organized and packaging the finished product	SOC12S1U11V1	3	3
12	Marketing and customer care	SOC12S1U12V1	3	3
13	Identify fibers and fabrics	SOC12S2U13V1	4	12
14	Identify design process for fashion designs	SOC12S2U14V1	4	15
15	Create garment designs	SOC12S2U15V1	4	15
16	Use electronic fashion design tools	SOC12S2U16V1	4	15
17	Modify patterns to create basic styles	SOC12S2U17V1	4	12
18	Apply principles of color theory to fashion design development	SOC12S2U18V1	4	15
19	Draw and interpret basic sketch	SOC12S2U19V1	4	12
20	Drape fabric to make pattern	SOC12S2U20V1	4	12
21	Prepare a design concept for a simple garment	SOC12S2U21V1	4	12

Packaging of National Qualifications:

National Certificate III in Fashion Design and Tailoring will be awarded to those who are competent in units
1+2+3+4+5+6+7+8+9+10+11+12

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1+2+3+4+5+6+7+8+9+10+11+12+13+14+15+16+17+18+19+20+21

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Competency Standard for

FASHION DESIGN AND TAILORING

No.	modules/units
1	Introduction to Sewing
2	Observe personal, work place hygiene safety and security practices
3	Communication skills & building positive work environment
4	Basic sewing and use of simple accessories
5	Basic drawing and designing concepts
6	Pattern drafting
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8	Science and calculation
9	Advanced drawing and design
10	Producing garments
11	Staying organized and packaging the finished product
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13	Identify fibers and fabrics
14	Identify design process for fashion designs
15	Create garment designs
16	Use electronic fashion design tools
17	Modify patterns to create basic styles
18	Apply principles of colour theory to fashion design development
19	Draw and interpret basic sketch
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