NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

FACULTY OF INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY

DEPARTMENT OF TECHNICAL TEACHER EDUCATION

GENERAL EXAMINATION

COURSE: LIFESTYLES AND FASHION DESIGN CODE: TBE 2190

MAY 2011 TIME: 3 HOURS

Instructions to candidate:

1. Answer All questions in **SECTION A**

SECTION A

QUESTION 1

Solve the following fitting problems:

- a) a blouse with horizontal fold of fabric below the waistline.
- b) a skirt that rides upwards
- c) a dress that reveals folds of flesh
- d) side seams that do not fall straight towards the ankle from the hip
- e) trousers with diagonal wringles (10 marks)

QUESTION 2

Explain these principles of fitting:

- a) comfort
- b) grain
- c) ease
- d) seams
- e) hang (10 marks)

QUESTION 3

'Recognition is a product of fashion......' Support this statement. (15 marks)

QUESTION4

'Colour means emotion'. Briefly describe this psychological impact on dress in Zimbabwe or internationally. (15 marks)

SECTION B

Answer two questions only. Each question carries 25 marks.

QUESTION 5

Discuss the influence of a public figure as a trendsetter in fashion and give examples. (25 marks)

QUESTION 6

Analyse the influence of sports in fashion trends.

(25 marks)

QUESTION 7

7. Present the influence of lifestyles in clothing choices.

(25 marks)

QUESTION 8

8. Support reasons for producing comfortable and fitting garments for customers.

(25 marks)

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