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Subject: SEC 44 and SEAC 09 Fashion and Textiles Syllabi Update

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The 2022, 2023, and 2024, SEC 44 and SEAC 09 Fashion and Textiles syllabi have been updated as follows:

SEC:

- Unit 3 – A3 – MQF2 (page 38): “Pin fabric flat correctly” has been removed from the content. As a result, the 3 marks for this criterion shall be allocated to the three remaining items; 1 mark for each.

SEAC:

- Unit 1 – A4 – MQF 3 (page 16): The content has been restructured so that candidates now need to prepare only two samples; one using a hand stitching technique and another one using a machine stitching technique. 2 marks should be awarded for each correctly prepared sample.
- Unit 1 – A5 (page 17): The ‘**N.B.**’ linked to all levels has been modified to indicate that only one, from the given five creative textile techniques, should be used in the creation of the physical mood board, the design, the production and the embellishment of the item. A list of five original items that candidates can be asked to produce has also been included.
- Unit 1 – A5 – MQF 2 (page 21): The criterion has been reworded to read: “Design an original item using a creative textile technique”.
- Unit 1 – A5 – MQF 3 (page 21): The criterion has been reworded to read: “Produce an original item embellishing it using a creative textile technique whilst following Health and Safety procedures”.
- Unit 1 – Learning Outcome 5: The outcome descriptor has been reworded to read: “Use a creative textile technique to create an original item”.
- Unit 2 (pages 31-32): The selection of criteria to be assessed in the Controlled Assignment has been changed to: K4, K5, C2, and A3.
- Unit 3 – A4 – MQF 2 (page 38): “Pin fabric flat correctly” has been removed from the content. As a result, the 3 marks for this criterion shall be allocated to the three remaining items; 1 mark for each.
- Unit 3 (pages 42-43): The selection of criteria to be assessed in the Controlled Assignment has been changed to: K5, K6, C2, and A3.

Please ensure that these changes are brought to the attention of teachers and internal verifiers, and reflected in assessment accordingly.