



**NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY**  
**SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES**  
**DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES**  
**CURRICULUM**  
**B.S. FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES**  
**CONCENTRATION IN FASHION MERCHANDISING AND DESIGN**

**FRESHMAN YEAR**

<b>Fall Semester</b>	<b>Credit</b>	<b>Spring Semester</b>	<b>Credit</b>
*ENGL 100 Ideas and Their Expression I <sup>1</sup>	3	ENGL 101 Ideas and Their Expression II <sup>1</sup>	3
FCS 181 Social Psychological Aspects of Dress	3	MATH 224 Intro to Probability & Statistics <sup>2</sup>	3
HIST 201 (or Equivalent) African-American History <sup>4</sup>	3	HPED 200 Personal Health	2
FCS 160 Introduction to Family & Consumer Sciences <sup>6</sup>	2	FCS 180 Introduction to Fashion Merchandising	3
MATH 111 College Algebra & Trigonometry <sup>2</sup>	4	*HIST 130 The World Since 1945 (or equivalent) <sup>4</sup>	3
<b>Total Hrs</b>	<b>15</b>	Elective	1
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**SOPHOMORE YEAR**

<b>Fall Semester</b>	<b>Credit</b>	<b>Spring Semester</b>	<b>Credit</b>
ART 226 Design I	3	*Humanities and Fine Arts (ENGL 201) <sup>5</sup>	3
*Humanities and Fine Arts (ENGL 200) <sup>5</sup>	3	ACCT 203 Fund of Accounting	3
FCS 281 Apparel Construction and Eval I	3	ART 227 Design II	3
FCS 280 Textiles	3	FCS 282 Apparel Construction & Eval II	3
*Scientific Reasoning (CHEM 100) <sup>3</sup>	3	*Scientific Reasoning (PHYS 110) <sup>3</sup>	2
*Scientific Reasoning (CHEM 101) <sup>3</sup>	1	*Scientific Reasoning (PHYS 111) <sup>3</sup>	1
<b>Total Hrs</b>	<b>16</b>	BUED 210 Microcomputer Usage in Business	3
		<b>Total Hrs</b>	<b>18</b>

**JUNIOR YEAR**

<b>Fall Semester</b>	<b>Credit</b>	<b>Spring Semester</b>	<b>Credit</b>
ART 300 Computer Graphics Design I	3	FCS 260 Intro to Human Development	3
FCS 384 Historic Dev of Western Costume and Tex	3	MKTG 430 Marketing Concepts	3
FCS 380 Visual Merchandising	3	FCS 486 Cooperative Train in Bus & Industry I	3
MGMT 422 Management Concepts	3	FCS 481 Merchandising Math (Elective)	3
FCS 382 Creative Apparel Design I (Flat Pattern)	3	FCS 385 Creative Apparel Design II (Draping)	3
<b>Total Hrs</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total Hrs</b>	<b>15</b>

**SENIOR YEAR**

<b>Fall Semester</b>	<b>Credit</b>	<b>Spring Semester</b>	<b>Credit</b>
FCS 460 Applied Research	3	FCS 482 Global Trends and Nat'l Perspec in C&T	3
FCS 485 Fashion Marketing and Merch	3	FCS 560 (capstone) Integrated. App. to FCS <sup>7</sup>	3
FCS 483 Prin of Apparel Evaluation	3	MGMT 425 Entrepreneurship	3
FCS 480 Comp. Assisted Design (CAD)	3	Elective	3
FCS 487 Cooperative Training II	3	Elective	3
<b>Total Hrs</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total Hrs</b>	<b>15</b>

**TOTAL HOURS**

**124**

<sup>1</sup>WRITTEN COMMUNICATION – 6 HOURS

<sup>2</sup>MATHEMATICAL, LOGICAL, ANALYTICAL REASONING– 6 HOURS

<sup>3</sup>SCIENTIFIC REASONING - 7 HOURS

<sup>5</sup>HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS – 6 HOURS (3 GLOBAL OR AFR-AM STUDIES)

<sup>4</sup>SOCIAL/BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (3 GLOBAL OR AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES) – 6 HOURS

<sup>6</sup>STUDENT SUCCESS – 2 HOURS

<sup>7</sup> Capstone Course (FCS 461): Each student is required to take a senior level course focused on interdisciplinary perspectives. This course requires 30 volunteer hours

\*Students, in consultation with their assigned advisor, may select approved general education courses to meet this curriculum requirement.