



COURSE DESCRIPTIONS
CONSUMER/HOME ECONOMICS
 “Skills for Living and Earning a Living”

All courses in this department meet the career related graduation requirement

Teen Living **CE710** **Grades 9-10** **Year**
 Life is an adventure! This class will help you enjoy, understand and value life’s adventure. It will help you learn skills that can make a difference in your life and the lives of others. It is about understanding yourself, forming good friendships, being a responsible member of your family and community: the foods you eat, the clothes you wear, the place you live, the children you know and the career you may choose in the future.

Foods **CE701** **Grades 10-12** **Year**
 This class is for students who seek to learn more about the foods we eat. They will learn food preparation, demonstration techniques and about proper nutrition and its value to our bodies.

Advanced Foods **CE704** **Grades 11-12** **Year**
 Prerequisite: Successful completion of Foods.
 This class is for continuing foods students only. Advance skills & techniques will be practiced, along with jobs & careers exploration in the fast growing food industry.

Child Development **CE711** **Grades 10-12** **Year**
 Students will participate in activities that will enhance their understanding of careers related to children growth and development from birth through six years.

**Creative Fashion/
 Historical Fashion & Design I** **CE708** **Grades 9-12** **Year**
 This class introduces students to the world of fashions, incorporating the many elements, principles, skills and career opportunities that make up this multi-billion dollar industry. Students will discover what fashion is and who/what sets the standard of fashion, fads and styles. They will learn the correct and proper use of color and principles in design. Students will be able to analyze and evaluate what is most flattering to their own figure, as well as someone else’s and to creatively design and construct a fashion garment. This course is one element of a planned sequence of classes leading to a Career Path of Fashion design, Manufacturing and Merchandising. This class counts toward the ten-unit Fine Arts graduation requirement for Azusa Unified School District.

**Advanced Creative Fashion/
 Historical Fashion & Design II** **CE709** **Grades 10-12** **Year**
 Prerequisite: Successful completion of Historical Fashion & Design I or Creative Fashion.
 This class will expose the students further to the World of Fashion. This course goes into great detail as it explores the role that history and culture play in design. Watch how history and fashion go hand in hand. Students will apply and refine the skills previously learned in Historical Fashion I, as well as learn new and innovative techniques for a more professional “finished product” in creating garments. Through the use of mechanical and computerized technology, students will expand their knowledge of current tools and machinery. Students will research a career in the field of clothing and textiles and develop a professional career portfolio. This course is one element of a planned sequence of classes leading to a Career Path of Fashion Design, Manufacturing and Merchandising. This class counts towards the ten-unit Fine Arts graduation requirement for Azusa Unified School District.

Apparel Manufacturing and Design **VE804** **Grades 10-12** **Year**



(ROP Class held on AHS campus)

Students will apply and refine previously learned sewing and designing skills, as well as acquire innovative techniques for a more professional “finished” product. Through the use of mechanical and computerized technology, they will expand their knowledge of current tools and machinery, while constructing an originally-designed garment. Instruction will include the art and techniques of illustration, draping and pattern making/drafting. Students will research a career in the field of Clothing & Textiles, develop a professional career portfolio, and look into the glamorous world of fashion design, manufacturing, and merchandising. This class counts towards the ten-unit Fine Arts graduation requirement for Azusa Unified School District.

Interior Design

CE714

Grades 9-12

Year

This class introduces students to the universal need for shelter; a variety of ancient, classical, middle age and renaissance architectural styles; the elements and principles of design and color usage; as well as the creative use of available resources to design and furnish a first home. The principles of visual display and formatting are also practiced in a variety of interior design projects. This course is one element of a planned sequence of classes leading to the Career Path: Interior Design, Furnishings and Maintenance. This class counts towards the ten-unit Fine Arts graduation requirement for Azusa Unified School District.

Advanced Interior Design

CE715

Grades 10-12

Year

Prerequisite: Successful completion of Interior Design.

This class continues the study of interior design with a more complex application of the elements and principles of design and color usage to more advanced problems of visual display. It includes the study and analysis of American architecture and furniture design, housing and home furnishings. The course is one element of a planned sequence of classes leading to the Career Path: Interior Design, Furnishings and Maintenance. This class counts towards the ten-unit Fine Arts graduation requirement for Azusa Unified School District.

Consumer Economics

CE716

Grade 12

Semester

Principles and facts of economics theory are the basis for understanding issues facing consumers in an economic society: finding a job and earning your own money; stretching money from one payday to the next, getting and using credit, your rights and responsibilities as a consumer, solving the problems of living independently, saving and investing for the future. A study of career opportunities in the fields of economics and consumer service is also included. The class fulfills the Economics graduation requirement.