

## Fashion and Textile Design

### Reading list for BTEC Tech Award Art and Design Practice – Fashion and Textiles

Please follow the below links to read around the subject before commencing the course in September – this will give a valuable insight into what areas we will cover throughout the course.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z2c4xnb/revision/1> Clear explanations of common textile processes such as batik, tie-dye, and machine stitching.

<https://www.commonobjective.co/article/what-is-sustainable-fashion> Explains sustainable textiles, ethical design, and eco-conscious materials.

<https://www.pinterest.co.uk/search/pins/?q=textile%20sketchbook> Visual inspiration for developing creative journals and presenting ideas.

<https://artfulhaven.com/how-to-start-an-art-journal> Tips on layout, colour, layering and reflecting ideas visually – useful for project development.

### TV Programmes for Textile Art & Design

-  1. *The Great British Sewing Bee* (BBC)
-  2. *Make It at Market* (BBC)
-  3. *Handmade in Britain* (BBC Four)
-  4. *All That Glitters: Britain's Next Jewellery Star* (BBC)
-  5. *The Secret Life of Fabric* (BBC iPlayer / Documentaries)
-  6. *Craftivism: The Art of Gentle Protest* (YouTube / Channel 4 short features)
-  7. *Inside the Factory – Clothes* (BBC)