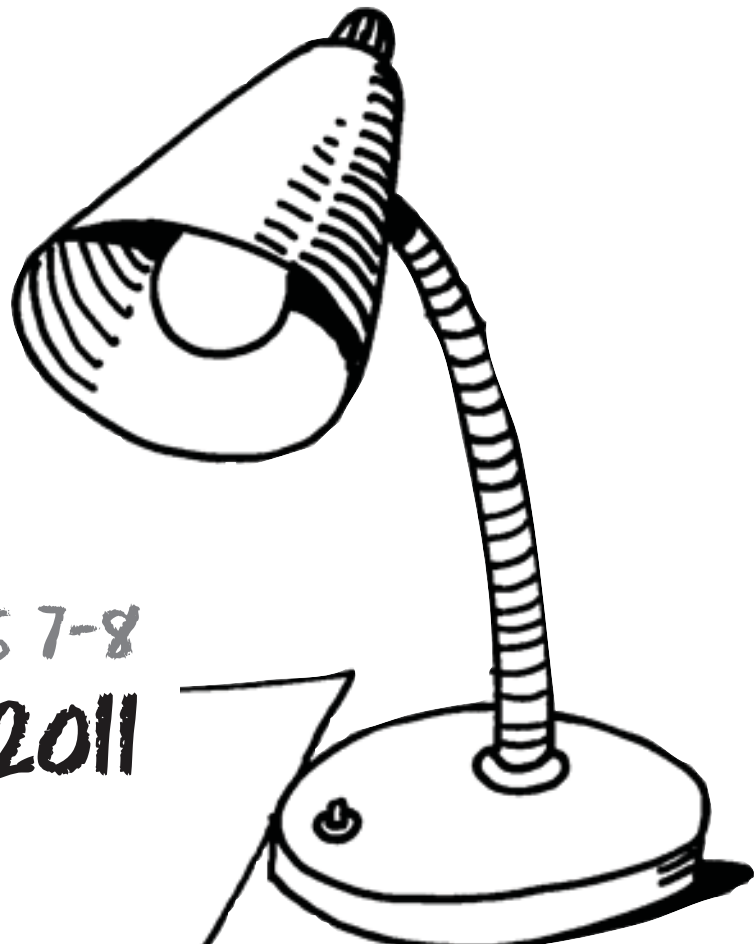


# JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT SYLLABI / COURSE HANDBOOK

*Van Wyck Junior High School  
Wappingers Junior High School*



GRADES 7-8  
2010-2011

HICKS

## CLOTHING MANAGEMENT – GRADE 7

Code H100 Ten Weeks

Prerequisite: None

### Areas of Study Include:

- Clothing communication
- Styles and functions of clothing through history
- Merchandizing in clothing
- Fashion, fads and trends
- Advertising and marketing
- Care and handling of clothing
- Use of sewing equipment (hand and sewing machine)
- Following directions
- Cooperation skills

NOTE: This course is one of the 3 quarters mandated by the State in the area of Family and Consumer Sciences.

The Home and Career Skills courses are based on the understanding that the ability to reason, to think critically and creatively, and to reflect on one's actions, will empower students to act responsibly toward themselves, their families, their peers and the community at large. This skills-based course offers an opportunity for students to apply decision-making, problem-solving and management processes to the area of clothing. The goal is for the students to develop the knowledge and skills needed to use process skills in practical, real-life situations.

Assessment: Based on laboratory experiences, projects, group work, research, homework, tests and quizzes.

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<http://emsc33.nysed.gov/ciai/pe/pub/hpefcle.pdf>

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<http://www.emsc.nysed.gov/cte/facse/>

## NUTRITION MANAGEMENT (FOODS) – GRADE 7

Code H196 Ten Weeks

Prerequisite: None

### Areas of Study Include:

- Nutrition education
- Safe food handling techniques
- Kitchen safety
- Study of food customs in many different cultures
- Advertising
- Small kitchen appliances
- Food guide pyramid

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creatively, and to reflect on one's actions, will empower students to act responsibly toward themselves, their families, their peers and the community at large. This skills-based course offers all students opportunities to read, write and compute in the context of real life situations that are relevant to their age groups. While working in this setting, students can acquire and demonstrate communication, leadership, critical and creative thinking, as well as management skills that can be applied universally now and in the future.

Assessment: Based on laboratory experiences, projects, group work, research, homework, tests and quizzes.

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## RESOURCE MANAGEMENT (CAREER SKILLS) – GRADE 8

Code H175 Ten Weeks

Prerequisite: None

### Areas of Study Include:

- Decision making
- Problem solving
- Work ethics
- Career planning
- Entrepreneurship
- Personal and family resource management

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The Home and Career Skills courses are based on the understanding that the ability to reason, to think critically and creatively, and to reflect on one's actions, will empower students to act responsibly toward themselves, their families, their peers and the community at large. This course offers an opportunity for students to understand their role as family members, consumers, as well as understand their future roles as home managers and wage earners. The students practice managing resources such as time, talent, energy and money in order to achieve goals for themselves, family, work and community.

Assessment: Based on laboratory experiences, projects, group work, research, homework, tests and quizzes.

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