

FASHION DESIGNING

PAPER 1

(THEORY)

(Three hours)

Maximum Marks: 70

(Candidates are allowed additional 15 minutes for **only** reading the paper.
They must **NOT** start writing during this time.)

Answer **five** questions, choosing at least **two** from Section A and **two** from Section B.
Use illustrations/sketches/diagrams wherever necessary.

The intended marks for questions are given in brackets [].

SECTION A

Question 1

- (a) Explain the uses of textiles in our daily life with reference to apparel, household, industrial and medical fields. [7]
- (b) Write a short note on the secondary properties of textile fibres. [7]

Question 2

- (a) Explain the different types of yarns and their qualities. [7]
- (b) What are *blends*? Explain the advantages of blends. [7]

Question 3

Describe the following fabric construction methods:

- (a) Twill weave and its variations. [3½]
- (b) Process of weaving. [3½]
- (c) Knitting [3½]
- (d) Fused fabrics [3½]

Question 4

- (a) Explain the significance of colour in India. [7]
- (b) Write a short note on *Baluchari* – a traditional textile of India. [7]

SECTION B

Question 5

Discuss with the help of figures, the fashion of women during the Frugal period/ World War II period (1941 -50), with respect to their silhouettes, fabrics used, garments, head gear and hair-styles. [14]

Question 6

Discuss with the help of figures, the fashion of women during the Swinging Sixties / Hippies period (1961- 1970), with respect to their silhouettes, fabrics used, garments, head gear and hair-styles. [14]

Question 7

Explain with the help of sketching, the following traditional costumes of women in India in terms of the materials used, colours, pattern/styles and designs:

- (a) Kurti, Daaman and Chunder of Haryana. [7]
- (b) Sari and blouse of Andhra Pradesh. [7]

Question 8

Discuss with the help of sketching, the following traditional costumes of men in India in terms of materials used, colours, pattern/styles and designs:

- (a) Salwar of Aligarh/Kutch. [7]
- (b) Kurta with mandarin collar of North India. [7]