The minor in textiles and clothing offered by the Department of Consumer Sciences is designed to provide students with an understanding of the acquisition and use of clothing and household textiles in relation to the physical, aesthetic, social, and psychological needs of the individual. The minor consists of a minimum of 22 credit hours of course work in the department, including a 16 hour core. Selection of textiles and clothing courses may be related to fashion and interiors merchandising, or product development and evaluation. All course prerequisites must be met. After the academic program coordinator in the College of Education and Human Ecology has approved your Minor Program Form, you should file the form with your college or school counselor. For further information about the minor program, contact the college.

Core courses
Textiles and Clothing 270, 275, 371, 372

Choose two courses from:
Textiles and Clothing 200, 351.01 or 351.02, 370, 375, 425.01, 451, 571.01, 571.02, 576, 651, 672, 675, 685.01

Textiles and Clothing minor program guidelines

The following guidelines govern this minor.

Required for graduation  No

Credit hours required  A minimum of 22

Transfer credit hours allowed  A maximum of 10

Overlap with the GEC  Permitted

Overlap with the major  Not allowed and
• The minor must be in a different subject than the major.
• Courses specified on the major that are also a part of an established minor can be counted toward both the major and the minor when there are a minimum of 50 credit hours of courses toward the major that are not a part of the minor.

Overlap between minors  Each minor completed must contain 20 unique hours.

Grades required
• Minimum C- for a course to be listed on the minor.
• Minimum 2.00 cumulative point-hour ratio required for the minor.
• Course work graded Pass/Non-Pass cannot count on the minor.

Approval required  The minor program description sheet indicates if the minor course work must be approved by:
• The academic unit offering the minor

Filing the minor program form  The minor program form must be filed at least by the time the graduation application is submitted to a college or school counselor.

Changing the minor  Once the minor program is filed in the college office, any changes must be approved by:
• The academic unit offering the minor