

## Needle Arts

Needle Arts will introduce students to a variety of basic techniques in the arts of knitting, crocheting, cross stitch, and embroidery. During this course students will create samples and simple projects using these skills. This course is offered to students in nine through twelve.

### Explanation of Abbreviations:

#### State Content Standard Abbreviations

Benchmark Notations = A,B,C, etc.  
Descriptors = 1,2,3, etc.

#### National Standard Abbreviations

5.2.3  
5 = Area of Study  
2 = Content Standards  
3 = Competencies

### Reference Materials:

Ohio Department of Education Family and Consumer Sciences Content Standards.  
National Standards for Family and Consumer Sciences Education.

### History in the Arts

1. Examine the role of needlework in history.
2. Summarize the history and culture of needle arts.
3. Explain the ways to care for, clean, and preserve heirloom needlework items.

## Design

- 16.3.1 1. Explain the ways in which fiber, fabric, texture, pattern, and finish can affect visual appearance.
- 16.3.2 2. Apply basic and complex color schemes and color theory to develop and enhance visual effects.
- 16.3.5 3. Generate a design that takes into consideration ecological, environmental, sociological, psychological, technical, and economic trends and issues.

## Needle Arts Today

- 1. Explore needle arts and crafts industries to learn how products are marketed by local crafters and shops.
- 2. Demonstrate skills and techniques needed to produce knitting, crocheting, embroidery, cross-stitch or other types of needlework.
- 3. Create a portfolio of works of art.