

DIPLOMA IN FASHION DESIGN

AMERICAN SYLLABUS



Modules

- Creative Thinking.
- Figure Drawing.
- CAD in Photoshop.
- Introduction to Textile.
- Basic Pattern Making.
- Introduction to Garment Construction
- Practicum I, II, III.

Duration 12 Months

Course fee Rs. 150,000/=

Entry Qualification:

- O/L (Local/London)

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FAQs

1. Give an overview of the Diploma in Fashion

The one-year Diploma in Fashion Design has been curated to meet the design requirements of potential or budding designers – from understanding about the major international brands like Prada, Dior, Burberry etc. the fashion houses across the world, the fashion capitals and also learning about the basic to advance pattern-making, various designs and techniques, calculating consumption of fabric, color combining, shape or silhouette, line, color, texture and drape. In fact, this program introduces you to many skills that you will need to succeed in the world of fashion

2. Who will benefit from this program?

This program will benefit those who desire to market their label at department stores, dress boutiques or work at clothing factories involved in mass production.

3. What is so special about this Diploma in Fashion?

This diploma trains you for both commercial design for retail fashion, as well as conceptual design for the runway.

4. After the Diploma in Fashion Design how will I progress to a higher qualification?

After the Diploma, students can engage in the Advanced Diploma in Fashion Design. The American College is currently working on providing a Bachelor's in Fashion Design

5. What type of career will I have and the opportunities in this field?

- Fashion Designer
- Costume Designer
- Fashion Advisor for Films
- Fashion Advisor for Ads.
- Fashion Buyer
- Fashion Marketer
- Fashion Journalist/Blogger

6. What is the cost of this diploma?

The course fee of this Diploma is offered at a special rate of Rs. 150,000 to coincide with the 26th anniversary of the American College.

The course fee must be paid in 6 instalments (Rs. 25,000) every month in the first 6 months. In addition, Rs. 10,000/= which covers application fees, registration fees, facility fees must be paid at the time of enrollment. This amount does not cover the cost of materials and supplies which the student must provide. A refundable fee of Rs. 15,000/= must be paid which will be refunded on the completion of your course.

7. Is it possible to enrol as a part time student? Yes it is.

8. What are the minimum educational requirements to enroll in these programs?

O/L passes are required as the minimum entry qualification for the Diploma and Advanced Diploma.

9. How many subjects are there for the Diploma?

There are 6 subjects plus 3 practicums. Students will do 2 subjects and a practicum each semester.

10. What is the pass mark for any subject? Over 50

11. If the student fails to pass any exam at ACHE, what is the position

Since the course is broken up into smaller modules it is possible to easily re-do the failed module. However, if students diligently does the prescribed work they will definitely succeed.

12. What sort of practical training will the student undergo during Diploma year?

We offer all practical training necessary for garment construction such as the making of toiles and pattern making, using straight stitching machines, and using overlock machines. We also teach computer aided design in Photoshop as well as techniques for hand illustration when drawing croquis silhouettes.

Since this is a Diploma and students are still 'finding' themselves to see if they have a talent in this field, the American College has kept the cost to a bare minimum to help students in this first introductory course.

Fee Structure

Application Fee, Registration Fee, Facility Fee	Rs 10,000.00	Paid at the registration
Refundable Fee	Rs 15,000.00	Paid at the registration

1 st Payment	Rs 25,000.00	Paid at the registration
2 nd Payment	Rs 25,000.00	Second month
3 rd Payment	Rs 25,000.00	Third Month
4 th Payment	Rs 25,000.00	Fourth Month
5 th Payment	Rs 25,000.00	Fifth Month
6 th Payment	Rs 25,000.00	Sixth Month
Total Course Fee	Rs 150,000.00	

Checklist of Documents

- Duly completed Student Registration Form
- Educational and Professional Certificates
- National Identity Card/ Passport
- Three passport-size photographs
- Copy of the Birth Certificate

Payment can be physically paid visiting the American College premises or made online via myfees.lk or deposited / transferred to any of the below accounts.

Name	- American College of Higher Education (Pvt) Ltd	
Account Number	- 101000101018	NDB Bank Wellawatte
Account Number	- 093010128943	HNB Bank Dehiwala
Account Number	- 100530000935	NTB Bank Nugegoda
Account Number	- 01607128702	Standard Chartered Bank Wellawatte



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