

1. nylon	a synthetic fibre with a protein-like structure and tough, lightweight and elastic properties	21. rhythm	the repetition of various elements in a design to create a feeling of organised movement, such as colour, shape, texture and line
2. OHS	occupational health and safety	22. ruff	a neckpiece or collar of lace gathered into deep, full, regular folds
3. orthogonal drawing	a type of technical drawing	23. safety standards	minimum safety requirements products must meet before they are supplied in regard to performance, composition, contents, methods of manufacture, design, construction, finish or packaging
4. panniers	a structural framework worn as an under garment with the specific purpose of changing the silhouette of a garment at the hips	24. seam	a line formed when two pieces of cloth are stitched together; the basic structural element of all textile items
5. Pellon	a fusible textile material made from polyester that is used as a fabric layer to add bulk to a textile item	25. seam finish	a technique used to make a seam neater or to stop the raw edges from fraying
6. perceived value	the value that a buyer subjectively attaches to a textile item		
7. pictorial drawing	a type of freehand drawing		
8. pleat	a fold in the fabric		
9. pleating	the art of producing folds in fabric at predetermined intervals		
10. pollution	the contamination of the natural environment (including air, water and land) by harmful substances		
11. polyester	a synthetic fibre that is light, strong and weather resistant		
12. printing	the textile art of imparting a surface decoration design via a pigment-based paint and a devised tool (such as a carved stamp) to the surface of a garment, fabric, yarn or fibre		
13. product lifecycle	the four distinct stages in the life of a product: introduction, growth, maturity and decline		
14. proportion	the relationship between two parts of a design or between one part and the entire design; can be a comparison of sizes, shapes or amounts of specified design elements		
15. quality assurance	checking to maintain the standards from the beginning of the production process, and to ensure the product will be suitable for end-use application		
16. quality control	the inspection of products and processes; measures are used to assess the quality of a product at various stages of the manufacturing process		
17. ramie	a plant from the same family as the nettle		
18. rayon	an artificial fibre made from wood pulp		
19. regenerated fibre	a fibre made from a combination of natural and manufactured resources		
20. rendering	colouring or shading a design		