

Innovation: The Fashion Industry

Lesson plan

Starter activity	Learning objectives
Students try to write down their own definition of innovation.	To define and identify innovation in the fashion industry.
Students swap work with their peers, then watch the video on Step 1.2 and peer-mark their definitions to match.	To summarise the innovations present in a single garment.
	To research different fashion innovations.
	To reflect on the future direction of fashion innovations.
Main activities	Resources required
Students create a table or mindmap that includes examples of each of the different types	Access to FutureLearn course.
and levels of innovation within the fashion industry.	2. 3 devices to watch videos on.
Class watches the video on Step 1.6 about the	Paper and materials as required for creating posters.
advertising of fashion innovations and describes	Assessment for Learning
the differences between what they saw in the video and what they might see today.	Table/mindmap of different innovations.
	Poster on garment innovations.
Each student researches the innovations in one	Differentiation
garment they own, borrowing what others have found out if they have the same innovation in	SEND: Videos have subtitles.
them. Each student creates a poster all about their garment. It must contain an image of the	Low ability: Peer-learning.
clothing, labelled with each innovation. Each innovation must be described and have further	Gifted and Talented: Peer-teaching.
detail about its history or importance.	Plenary
	In groups, students brainstorm what they think might be the next innovations in the fashion industry based on consumer wants and needs.