

Self-Reflection

Student Name:

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Did the introduction / outline for the workshop provide a clear idea of what to aim for?

Yes, I felt confident entering the new workshop

Was there enough direction / feedback provided?

Yes, I felt I had the most feedback from this workshop, from lecturers and others working on other workshops.

Was I aware that I could seek out and ask for advice if I required it?

Yes, I felt each lecturer and guest lecturer was kind and approaching, the advice I was given was very helpful and I am grateful.

Which part of the workshop did I enjoy the most? Which part of the workshop did I least enjoy?

I enjoyed the denim challenge and embroidery the most, I felt that experimenting with denim and how to manipulate it, creating many shapes was a fun way to challenge myself artistically. I least enjoyed the drawing of the fabric and felt it was very tedious and confusing.

In hindsight, were there aspects of the workshop that I could have handled better / improved upon? (Give examples)

Although I tried my hardest in each workshop, I felt that in the Jewellery/ silversmithing, I could have been more creative with what objects I chose to cast.

Were there activities in the workshop that provided transferrable experiences and skills which could have relevance to future and specialist disciplines? (For example, time management, preparatory and research work, thinking outside the box, pushing outside of comfort zones etc.)

Yes definitely! In the shoe-making workshop with Janet, I learned how to navigate adobe illustrator and how to use it to create patterns and moldboards, I thoroughly enjoyed this aspect of fashion and hope to use it again in the future.

Would I consider re-visiting this discipline area when it becomes an option in Semester 2? (If so, specify)

Yes, I have always been drawn to textiles and feel I could excel at it when I go on to do it in semester 2, I had a lot of good experiences in this workshop and would love to continue it again after Christmas.