

General Certificate of Education
June 2008
Advanced Subsidiary Examination



**DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY:
PRODUCT DESIGN (TEXTILES)**

PD3T/PM

Unit 3 Design and Market Influences

PRELIMINARY RESEARCH SHEET

Instructions to Centres

- This sheet is to be made available to teachers on 1 February 2008.
- The theme is to be given to candidates on or after 1 March 2008 to allow time for preliminary research before the examination date.
- Preparatory work must not be taken into the examination room.

Theme

For the June 2008 paper you should research a range of images associated with and inspired by 'historical costume meets rock chic'. Consider how these images might be incorporated into original performance outfits for concerts, theatre, shows, film or other events.

You should research a range of fabrics and components appropriate to this context.