

Design Technology: Progression of Skills and Knowledge



Strand	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	In Year 1 pupils will	In Year 2 pupils will	In Year 3 pupils will learn	In Year 4 pupils will learn	In Year 5 pupils will	In Year 6 pupils will learn
	learn to:	learn to:	to:	to:	learn to:	to:
	- Explain what they	- Use pictures and	- Draw/sketch products to	- Investigate similar	- Investigate	- Investigate
	are making and which	words to convey what	help analyse and	products to the one to be	products/images to	products/images to collect
	materials they are	they want to design	understand how products	made to produce own	collect ideas and	ideas and create own
	using	and make	are made	design criteria	create own design	design criteria
	- Select materials	- Select appropriate	- Think ahead about the	- Plana sequence of actions	criteria	- Sketch and model
	from a limited	technique	order of	to make a product	- Sketch and model	alternative ideas
Design	range that will meet	explaining	their work and decide	- develop more than one	alternative ideas	-Develop one idea in depth
Design	the design criteria	FirstNextLast	upon tools and materials	design or adaptation of an	-Develop one idea in	- Combine modelling and
	- Select and name the	- Explore ideas by	- Record the plan by	initial design	depth	drawing to refine ideas
	tools needed	rearranging	drawing	- Propose realistic	- Combine modelling	- Plan the sequence of
	to work the materials	Materials	(labelled sketches) or	suggestions as to how	and drawing to refine	work using a storyboard
	- Produce a mock up	- Describe their	writing	they can achieve their	ideas	- Record ideas using
	with kits or reclaimed	models and drawings	- Communicate their ideas	design ideas	- Plan the sequence of	annotated diagrams
	materials	of ideas and intentions	through discussion and	- Design innovative,	work using a	- Use models, kits and
	- Use drawings to	- Produce a mock up	add notes to drawings to	functional, appealing	storyboard	drawings to help
	record ideas as they	with kits/reclaimed	help explanations	produces that are fit for	- Record ideas using	formulate design ideas
	are developed and	materials or ICT	- Design innovative,	purpose that are aimed at	annotated diagrams	- Make prototypes
	talk about them	- Add notes to drawings	functional, appealing	particular individuals or	- Use models, kits and	- Use found information to
	- Design a product for	to help	productsthatarefitfor	groups.	drawings to	inform decisions
	a given purpose	Explanations	purpose that are aimed at	- Produce annotated	help formulate design	- Use a computer aided
	- Select pictures to	- Design a product from	particularindividualsor	sketches	ideas	design to model ideas
	help develop ideas	a detailed design	groups	- Make Prototypes	- Make prototypes	- Draw plans which can be
	- Use drawings to	criteria			- Use found	read/followed by someone
	record ideas as				information to inform	else
	they are developed				decisions	- Give a report using
	- Discuss their work as				- Use a computer	correct technical
	it progresses				aided design to model	vocabulary
					ideas	- Design innovative,
					- Design innovative,	functional, appealing
					functional, appealing	produces that are fit for
					produces that are fit	purpose that are aimed at
					for purpose that are	particular individuals or
					aimed at	groups

					particular individuals or groups. - When designing produce cross sectional and exploded diagrams	- When designing produced patterned pieces -
Textiles and Sheet Materials In Year to the fall fall fall fall fall fall fall fal	to colour fabrics a range of as the fiques e.g. fabric a, printing and ang. Pupils in will also learn of cut out shapes have been at dby drawing a template onto bric. The colour fabrics as the join join join join join join join join	rning will progress they will learn to a fabrics by using ning stitch, glue, ples, over sewing a tape. Pupils in ar 2 will also learn decorate fabrics h buttons, beads, ruins, braids and boons. Year 2 children will rn to: sert paper fasteners	In Year 3 pupils' learning will progress as they will learn to create a simple pattern and understand the need for patterns when designing and making textiles products. In Year 3 children will learn to: - Cut slots - Cut internal shapes - Use lolly sticks/card to make levers and linkages - Create nets	In Year 4 pupils' learning will progress as they will learn to: •Prototype a product using J cloths •Use appropriate decoration techniques e.g. applique (glue or simple stitches) •Understand seam allowance •Join fabrics using running stitch, over sewing and back stitch •Explore fastenings and recreate some e.g. sew on buttons and make loops. In Year 4 children will learn to: - Use linkages to make movement larger or more varied - Use and explore complex pop ups	In Year 5 pupils' learning will progress as they will learn to: •Understand pattern layout •Decorate textiles appropriately often before joining components •Combine fabrics to create more useful properties In Year 5 children will learn to: - Cut accurately and safely to a marked line -Join and combing materials with temporary, fixed or moving joinings - Choose anappropriate sheet material for the purpose	In Year 6 pupils' learning will progress as they will learn to: •Create 3D products using pattern pieces and seam allowance •Pin and tack fabric pieces together •Join fabrics using over sewing, back stitch, blanket stitch or machine stitching •Make quality products In ear 6 children will learn to: - Use craft knife, cutting mat and safety ruler under one-to-one supervision

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	learn to use a range of	learn to:	to:	to:	learn to:	to:
	materials to create	- Attach wheels to a	- Make structures more	- Measure and mark	- Use hand drill to drill	- Use bradawl to mark
	models and discuss	chassis using an axle	stable by giving them a	square selection, strip and	tight and loose fit	hole positions
	how structures can be	- Use a range of	wide base	dowel	holes	- Build frameworks using a
	made stronger. Pupils	materials to create	- Prototype frame and	accordingly to 1cm	- Cut strip wood,	range of materials e.g.
	will also observe a	models with wheels	shell structures	- Create shell or frame	dowel, square section	wood, card corrugated
	glue gun being used	and axles e.g. tubes,	- Use glue gun with close	structures, strengthen	wood accurately to	plastic to support
	by an adult.	dowel, cotton reels	supervision (one to one	frames with diagonal	1mm	mechanisms
		- Join appropriately	- Choose materials based	struts	- Join materials using	- Choose materials based
		for different materials	on their functional	- Incorporate a circuit with	appropriate methods	on their functional
		and situations e.g.	properties and aesthetic	a bulb or buzzer into a	- Incorporate motor	properties and aesthetic
		glue,	qualities	model	and a switch into a	qualities
Construution		tape		- Choose materials based	model	- Apply their
		- Mark out materials		on their functional	- Control a model	understanding of how to
		to be cut using a		properties and aesthetic	using an ICT control	strengthen, stiffen more
		template		qualities	programme	complex structures
		- Cut strip			- Use a cam to make	- Understand and use
		wood/dowel using			an up and down	mechanical systems in
		hacksaw and bench			mechanism.	their products e.g. gears,
		hook			- Use glue gun with	pulleys, cams, levers and
		- Investigate how			close supervision	linkages
		structures can be made			- Choose materials	
		stronger, stiffer and			based on their	
		more stable			functional properties	
					and aesthetic qualities	

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	learn to:	learn to:	to:	to:	learn to:	to:
	- Develop a food	- Cut, peel, grate, chop	- Develop sensory	- Analyse the taste,	- Select and prepare	- Prepare food products
	vocabulary using taste	a range of ingredients	vocabulary/knowledge	texture, smell and	foods for a particular	taking into account the
	,smell, texture and	- Work safely and	using, smell, taste, texture	appearance of a range of	purpose	properties of ingredients
	feel	hygienically	and feel	foods	- Taste a range of	and sensory
	- Group familiar food	- Understand the need	- Follow instructions	- Measure and weigh	ingredients, food	characteristics
	products e.g. fruit and	for a variety of foods	- Make healthy eating	ingredients appropriately	items to develop a	- Understand how to feed
	vegetables	in a diet	choices from and	- Prepare and cook a	sensory food	themselves and others
	- Work safely and	- Measure and weigh	understanding of a	range of predominantly	vocabulary for use	affordably now and in the
	hygienically	food items, non-	balanced diet	savoury dishes using a	when designing	future
	- Understand the	statutory measures	- Join and combine a	range of cooking	- Weigh and measure	
	need for a variety of	e.g.	range of ingredients e.g.	techniques.	using scales	
	foods in a diet	spoons, cups	snack foods	- Make healthy eating	- Cut and shape	
	- Understand where	- Follow a recipe to	- Work safely and	choices from and	ingredients using	
Food	food comes from	make food with	hygienically	understanding of a	appropriate tools and	
Food	- Work with an adult	increasing	- Prepare and cook a	balanced diet	equipment	
	to make food	independence.	range of predominantly	- Understand seasonality	e.g. grating	
	following a simple		savoury dishes using a	and know where and how	- Join and combine	
	recipe.		range of cooking	ingredients are grown and	food ingredients	
			techniques.	captured	appropriately e.g.	
			- Understand seasonality		beating, rubbing in	
			and know where and how		- Show awareness of a	
			ingredients are grown and		healthy diet	
			captured		from an	
					understanding of a	
					balanced diet	
					- Understand how to	
					feed themselves and	
					others affordably	
					now and in the future	

	Year 1 pupils will	Year 2 pupils will	Year 3 pupils will develop	Year 4 pupils will develop	Year 5 pupils will	Year 6 pupils will develop
	develop skills of	develop skills of	skills of evaluation by:	skills of evaluation by:	develop skills of	skills of evaluation by:
	·		- Identifying the strengths			- Reflecting on their work
	evaluation by:	evaluation by:		- Discussing how well the	evaluation by:	
	-Saying what they like	- Talking about their	and weaknesses of their	finished	- Using the design	using design
	and do not like	designs as they	design ideas	product meets the design	criteria to inform	criteria stating how well
	about items they have	develop and identify	- Decide which design idea	criteria and how well it	their decisions about	the design fits the needs
	made and attempt to	good and bad points	to develop	meets the needs of the	ways to proceed	of the user
	say why	- Talk about changes	- Consider and explain	user	- Justify their decisions	- Investigate and analyse
Frankristo	- Talk about their	made during the	how the finished product	- Investigate and analyse	about	a range of
Evaluate	designs as they	making process	could be improved	a range of	materials and	existing products
	develop and identify	- Discuss how closely	- Investigate and analyse	existing products	methods of	
	good and bad points	their finished products	a range of		construction	
	- Talk about changes	meet their design	existing products		- Identify what does	
	made during the	criteria			and does not	
	making process	- Explore and evaluate			work in the product	
		· ·			- Make suggestions as	
	- Explore and evaluate	a range of				
	a range of	existing products			how their or	
	existing products				others design could be	
					improved	
					- Investigate and	
					analyse a range of	
					existing products	