



Design Technology Curriculum Map

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2

End of KS1 Skills:

Design

- Design purposeful, functional, appealing products for themselves and other users based on design criteria
- Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through talking, drawing, templates, mock-ups and, where appropriate, information and communication technology

Make

- Select from and use a range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks [for example, cutting, shaping, joining and finishing]
- Select from and use a wide range of materials and components, including construction materials, textiles and ingredients, according to their characteristics

Evaluate

- Explore and evaluate a range of existing products
- Evaluate their ideas and products against design criteria

Technical knowledge

- Build structures, exploring how they can be made stronger, stiffer and more stable.
- Explore and use mechanisms [for example, levers, sliders, wheels and axles], in their products.

Cooking and nutrition

- Use the basic principles of a healthy and varied diet to prepare dishes
- Understand where food comes from.

EYFS	Playdough food	Character puppets from	Fruit collage,4 way	Salt dough bakery items	Seed packets design	Clay minibeasts models
	Paint faces,	NS, Textured painting	media pictures fruit,	Character puppets from	and make	Symmetrical
	Paint with fingers and	of scenery,	animal masks for	NS, bags/basket designs	3D plant,	butterflies,
	hands	Bear dens outdoors	storytelling.	Painting and colour	Observational drawings	storymaps.
	Temporary collage.	Christmas art- make	printing	mixing-story setting.	flowers, plants	Colour mixing
	Colour mixing and name	tree decorations, cards,			Scene paintings to	Leaf rubbings
	primary colours	Colour mixing			retell story.	
		Printing,wrapping paper				
	Food and nutrition throughout all terms					
Year 1	Food - Fruit and		Textiles - Puppets		Structures - Windmills	Technical knowledge -
	vegetables					Wheels and axels
Year 2	Structures - Baby		Textiles - Pouches	Mechanisms: Moving		Food - A balanced diet
	bear's chair			Sea Monster		

End of KS2 Skills:

Design

- -Use research and develop design criteria to inform the design of innovative, functional, appealing products that are fit for purpose, aimed at particular individuals or groups
- -Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes, pattern pieces and computeraided design

Make

- Select from and use a wider range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks [for example, cutting, shaping, joining and finishing], accurately
- Select from and use a wider range of materials and components, including construction materials, textiles and ingredients, according to their functional properties and aesthetic qualities





Evaluate

- Investigate and analyse a range of existing products.
- Evaluate their ideas and products against their own design criteria and consider the views of others to improve their work.
- Understand how key events and individuals in design and technology have helped shape the world

Technical knowledge

- Understand and use mechanical systems in their products [for example, gears, pulleys, cams, levers and linkages]
- Understand and use electrical systems in their products [for example, series circuits

Cooking and nutrition

- Understand and apply the principles of a healthy and varied diet
- Prepare and cook a variety of predominantly savoury dishes using a range of cooking techniques
- Understand seasonality, and know where and how a variety of ingredients are grown, reared, caught and processed.

Year 3				Food – eating seasonally	Mechanical systems - Pneumatic toys	Electrical systems - Torches Textiles - Cushions
Year 4	Textiles - Fastenings	Structures - pavilions Mindful moments timer				Food - Adapting a recipe
Year 5			Mechanical systems Making a pop-up book Structures - Bridges	Digital world - Monitoring devices		Food - What could be healthier
Year 6				Structures - Playgrounds	Digital world Navigating the world Electrical systems Steady hand game	Food – Come dine with