

Skills progression: Design and Technology



	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Developing, planning and communicating ideas	-Begin to draw on their own experience to talk about ideas and plans. -Begin to talk about the qualities of existing products: what they could be for and how they may work. -Begin to understand that products are made for a target group. -Begin to develop their ideas through talk and drawings.	-Begin to draw on their own experience to help generate ideas and research conducted on criteria -Begin to understand the development of existing products: what they are for, how they work, materials used. Start to suggest ideas and explain what they are going to do -Understand how to identify a target group for what they intend to design and make based on a design criteria -Begin to develop their ideas through talk and drawings. Make templates and mock ups of their ideas in card and paper or using ICT	-Start to generate ideas by drawing on their own and other people's experiences -Begin to develop their design ideas through discussion, observation, drawing and modelling -Identify a purpose for what they intend to design and make -Understand how to identify a target group for what they intend to design and make based on a criteria -Develop their ideas through talk and drawings and label parts. Make templates and mock ups of their ideas in card and paper or using ICT	-With growing confidence generate ideas for an item, considering its purpose and the user/s -Start to order the main stages of making a product. Identify a purpose and establish criteria for a successful product -Understand how well products have been designed, made, what materials have been used and the construction technique -Learn about inventors, designers, engineers, chefs and manufacturers who have developed ground- breaking products -Start to understand whether products	-Start to generate ideas, considering the purposes for which they are designing – link with Mathematics and Science -Confidently make labelled drawings from different views showing specific features -Develop a clear idea of what has to be done, planning how to use materials, equipment and processes, and suggesting alternative methods of making, if the first attempts fail. Identify the strengths and areas for development in their ideas and products -When planning consider the views of others, including	-Start to generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, cross- sectional and exploded diagrams, protypes and pattern pieces -Begin to use research and develop design criteria to inform the design of innovative, functional, appealing products that are fit for purpose -With growing confidence apply a range of finishing techniques including those from art and design -Draw up a specification for their design-link with Mathematics and Science -Use results of investigations,	-Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, cross- sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes and pattern pieces -Use research and develop design criteria to inform the design of innovative, functional, appealing products that are fit for purpose -Accurately apply a range of finishing techniques including those from art and design -Draw up a specification for their design – link to Mathematics and Science -Plan the order of their work, choosing

	can be recycled or reused -Know to make drawings with labels when designing -When planning explain their choice of materials and components including function and aesthetics	intended users, to improve their work -Learn about inventors, designers, engineers, chefs and manufacturers who have developed ground- breaking technology -When planning explain their choice of materials and components according to function and aesthetic	information sources, including ICT when developing design ideas -With growing confidence select appropriate materials, tools and techniques -Start to understand how much products cost to make, how sustainable and innovative they are and the impact products have beyond their purpose	appropriate materials, tools and techniques -Suggest alternative methods of making if the first attempts fail -Identify the strengths and areas for development in their ideas and products -Know how much products cost to make, how sustainable and innovative they are and the impact products have beyond their intended purpose
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equipment, materials and components to make quality products	-Begin to make products using appropriate techniques. -Being to build structures, exploring how they can be improved or changed. -Explore and use products with wheels and mechanisms. -With help cut and shape a range of materials. -Explore using simple tools. -Begin to join and combine materials using a variety of temporary methods e.g. masking tape. -Begin to add simple details to improve the	-Begin to make their design using appropriate techniques -Being to build structures, exploring how they can be made stronger, stiffer and more stable. -Explore and use mechanisms (wheels) in their products -With help measure, mark out, cut and shape a range of materials -Explore using tools e.g. scissors and a hole punch safely -Begin to assemble, join and combine materials and components	-Begin to select tools and materials; use correct vocabulary to name and describe them -Build structures, exploring how they can be made stronger, stiffer and more stable -With help measure, cut and score with some accuracy. Learn to use hand tools safely and appropriately -Start to assemble, join and combine materials in order to make a product -Demonstrate how to cut, shape and join fabric to produce a simple	-Select a wide range of tools and techniques for making their product i.e. construction materials and kits, textiles, food ingredients and mechanical components -Explain their choice of tools and equipment in relation to the skills and techniques they will be using -Start to understand that mechanical systems such as levers and linkages or pneumatic systems create movement -Measure, mark	-Select a wider range of tools and techniques for making their product safely -Know how to measure, mark out, cut and shape a range of materials, using appropriate tools, equipment and techniques -Start to join and combine materials and components accurately in temporary and permanent ways -Understand how more complex electrical circuits and components can be used to create functional products -Continue to learn	-Select appropriate materials, tools and techniques e.g. 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 -Understand how mechanical systems such as cams or pulleys or gears create movement -Know how more	-Confidently select appropriate tools, materials, components and techniques and use them -Use tools safely and accurately -Assemble components to make working models -Aim to make and achieve a quality product -With confidence pin, sew and stitch materials together to create a product -Demonstrate when to make modifications as they go along -Construct products using permanent joining
	e.g. masking tape. -Begin to add simple details to	-Begin to assemble, join and combine materials	-Demonstrate how to cut, shape and join fabric to	or pneumatic systems create movement	can be used to create functional products	cams or pulleys or gears create movement	they go along -Construct products using
link	appearance of their	together using a	product. Use basic	out, cut, score and	to program a	complex electrical	techniques
	product.	variety of temporary methods	sewing techniques -Start to choose	assemble components with	computer to monitor changes in	circuits and components can	-Understand how mechanical
tools,		e.g. glues or	appropriate	more accuracy	the environment	be used to create	systems such as
n to		masking tape -Begin to use	finishing techniques based	-Start to work safely and	and control their products	functional products and how to	cams or pulleys or gears to create
with		simple finishing	on own ideas	accurately with a	-Understand how	program a	movement -Know how more
		techniques to improve the		range of tools -Start to think	to reinforce and strengthen a 3D	computer to monitor changes in	complex electrical
Working		appearance of their		about their ideas	framework. Now	the environment	circuits and
or		product		as they make progress and be	sew using a range of different stitches	and control their products	components can be used to create
3				willing to change	to wave and knit	-Understand that	functional products
				things if this helps		mechanical and	and how to

			them to improve their work -Start to measure, tape, or pin, cut and join fabric with some accuracy	-Demonstrate how to measure, tape or pin, cut and join with some accuracy -Begin to use finishing techniques to strengthen and improve the appearance of their product using a range of equipment including ICT	electrical systems have an input, process and output -Begin to measure and mark out more accurately -Demonstrate how to use skills in using different tools and equipment safely and accurately with growing confidence cut and join with accuracy to ensure a good-quality finish to the product -Weigh and measure accurately (time, dry ingredients and liquids) -Use finishing techniques to strengthen and improve the appearance of their product using a range of equipment including ICT	program a computer to monitor changes in the environment and control their products - Know how to reinforce and strengthen a 3D framework -Understand that mechanical and electrical systems have an input, process and output -Use finishing techniques to strengthen and improve the appearance of their product using a range of equipment including ICT
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	-Start to evaluate their product by discussing how saying or showing how successful they feel it is. -When looking at existing products explain if they like and dislike them.	-Start to evaluate their product by discussing how well it works in relation to the purpose (design criteria) -When looking at existing products explain what they like and dislike about products and why -Begin to evaluate their products as they are developed, identifying strengths and possible changes they might make	-Evaluate their work against design criteria -Look at a range of existing products explain what they like and dislike about products and why -Start to evaluate their products as they are developed, identifying strengths and possible changes they might make -With confidence, talk about their ideas, saying what they like and dislike about them	-Start to evaluate their product against original design criteria e.g. how well it meets its intended purpose -Begin to disassemble and evaluate familiar products and consider the views of others to improve them -Evaluate the key designs of individuals in design and technology which have helped to shape the world	-Evaluate their products carrying out appropriate tests -Start to evaluate their work both during and at the end of the assignment -Be able to disassemble and evaluate familiar products and consider the views of others to improve them -Evaluate the key designs of individuals in design and technology which has helped shape the world	-Start to evaluate a product against the original design specification and by carrying out tests -Evaluate their work both during and at the end of the assignment -Begin to evaluate it personally and seek evaluation from others -Evaluate the key designs of individuals in design and technology who have helped to shape the world	-Evaluate their products, identifying strengths and areas for development and carrying out appropriate tests -Evaluate their work both during and at the end of the assignment -Record their evaluations using drawings with labels -Evaluate against their own criteria and suggest ways in which their product could be improved -Evaluate the key designs of individuals in design and technology which have helped shape the world	

-Be able to name some food which comes from plants or animals. -Start to understand that people should eat a mixture of foods- 'The Eat Well Plate.' -Begin to understand that everyone should eat fruit and vegetables every day. -Know how to prepare simple dishes safely and hygienically, without using a heat source. Know how to use techniques such as peeling.	-Begin to understand that all food comes from plants or animals -Explore the understanding that food has to be farmed, grown elsewhere or caught -Start to understand how to name sort foods into the five groups in 'The Eat Well Plate' -Begin to understand that everyone should eat at least five portions of fruit and vegetables every day -Know how to prepare simple dishes safely and hygienically, without using a heat sourceKnow how to use techniques such as cutting, peeling and grating	-Understand that all food comes from plants or animals -Know that food has to be farmed, grown or caught -Understand how to name and sort food into the five groups in 'The Eat Well Plate' -Know that everyone should eat at least five portions of fruit and vegetables every day -Demonstrate how to prepare simple dishes safely and hygienically, without using a heat source -Demonstrate how to use techniques such as cutting, peeling and grating	-Start to know that food is grown (such as tomatoes, wheat and potatoes), reared such as pigs, chickens and cattle) and caught (such as fish) in the UK, Europe and the wider world -Understand how to prepare and cook a variety of predominantly savoury dishes safely and hygienically including, where appropriate, the use of a heat source -Begin to understand how to use a range of techniques such as peeling, chopping, slicing, grating, mixing, spreading, kneading and baking -Start to understand that a healthy diet is make up from a variety and balance of different food and drink, as	- Understand that food is grown (such as tomatoes, wheat and potatoes), reared (such as pigs, chickens and cattle) and caught (such as fish) in the UK, Europe and the wider world -Understand how to prepare and cook a variety of predominantly savoury dishes safely and hygienically including, where appropriate, the use of a heat source -Know how to use a range of techniques such as peeling, chopping, slicing, grating, mixing, spreading, kneading and baking -Know that a healthy diet is made up from a variety and balance of different food and drink, as depicted in 'The Eat Well Plate'	-Understand that food is grown (such as tomatoes, wheat and potatoes), reared (such as pigs, chickens and cattle) and caught (such as fish) in the UK, Europe and the wider world -Begin to understand that season may affect the food available -Understand how food is processed into ingredients that can be eaten or used in cooking -Know how to prepare and cook a variety of predominantly savoury dishes safely and hygienically including, where appropriate, the use of a heat source -Start to understand how to use a range of techniques such as peeling, chopping, slicing, grating, mixing, spreading,	-Know that food is grown (such as tomatoes, wheat and potatoes), reared (such as pigs, chickens and cattle) and caught (such as fish) in the UK, Europe and the wider world -Understand that seasons may affect the food available. Understand how food is processed into ingredients that can be eaten or used in cooking -Know how to prepare and cook a variety of predominantly savoury dishes safely and hygienically including, where appropriate, the use of a heat source -Understand how to use a range of techniques such as peeling, chopping, slicing, grating, mixing, spreading, kneading and baking -Know different food and drink can

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