

EYFS PROGRESSION

Year Group	Task	Task	Task	Task	Task
Nursery	Modelling how to use Junk Modelling materials, including cutting and sticking.	Baking gingerbread men and talk about the changes they see (link with Literacy)	Use a hole punch and cutting skills to create animals (link with Literacy)	Construct Jack's house/giant's castle using building blocks.	Construct the three little pigs houses using and joining a variety of materials.
Reception	Loose parts and junk modelling based on celebrations. Thanksgiving cars. Sita's chariot. Direct teach/challenge/technique of the week.	Design vehicles. Makedo international. Sustainability. Boats-Oliver Jeffries. Chinese lamps- Lunar New Year.	TOTW: Poppies. Spring flowers. Tidy.	TBD	3D tree with textures. Girl who planted trees. Recap all skills in the creative area. Edit and Improve.

Progression in Nursery

Expressive arts and design:

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Development Matters Objectives	Explore different materials freely, to develop their ideas about how to use them and what to make.	Develop their own ideas and then decide which materials to use to express them.	Join different materials and explore different textures.
Skills Development	Skills Development Explore malleable resources Manipulate and play with different materials:	Skills Development: Manipulate and play with different materials: wooden blocks, junk materials and fabric to	Skills Development: Manipulate and play with different materials: junk materials and fabric to make simple



	wooden blocks, junk materials and fabric to make simple models. Use their imagination and make simple models which express their ideas	make simple models. Manipulate and join a variety of different materials to develop their own ideas. Create something else using boxes eg a house or vehicle Use blocks for bridging and enclosures Talk about what they are making Make imaginative models with blocks and construction equipment. Talk about what they like about their design and what they would like to change Build for a purpose with a range of constructruction equipment.	creations Join things together(boxes, card, paper) with glue or tape.
Knowledge	Knowledge: Knowledge of the properties of different materials - e.g. paper that can be ripped or snipped but card is stiffer and harder to rip or cut. How to use resources available in order to create models eg scissors, tape, glue. Knowledge of how to use different tools safely.	Knowledge: Knowledge of how to use different tools safely. How to use resources available in order to make creations.	Knowledge: Knowledge of which materials can be joined easily using resources they are familiar with. Knowledge of how to use different tools safely. Vocab: fix, naming tools and equipment, collage, hard, soft
Vocabulary	Vocab: Naming tools and equipment e.g. sellotape, card, fix, press, roll, squash, squeeze, stretch.	Vocab: Naming tools and equipment.	Vocab: Naming tools and equipment.

Skills Progression in Nursery

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Nursery progression throughout the year



Explore different materials freely, to develop their ideas about how to use them and what to make.	 Explain what they are making. Name some materials. Select materials from a limited range. Select and name the tools needed to work the materials e.g. scissors for paper Make simple models. Use a hole punch. Explore ideas by rearranging materials. Safely use tools.
Develop their own ideas and then decide which materials to use to express them.	 Manipulate and join different materials. Create a 3D model using materials. Make models with construction materials. Build for a purpose. Talk about what they like about their design and what they might change.
Join different materials and explore different textures.	Join things together with glue or tape (cut and stick)
End Points Select and join different materials	

Progression in Reception

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Development Matters Objectives	Explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings.	Return to and build on their previous learning, refining ideas and developing their ability to represent them.	Create collaboratively, sharing ideas, resources and skills.	
Skills Development	Skills Development: Use a variety of tools. Use large scale loose parts to create models such as vehicles and houses to support play. Construct with a purpose in mind, using a	Skills Development: Choose materials carefully to make their idea Adapt their model to achieve a desired outcome.	Skills Development: Construct with a purpose in mind using a variety of resources. Explain how they created something to their peers including why they chose a particular technique or material and why it is suitable	



	variety of resources. Choose materials carefully to make their idea	Improve their models	Work in a group to create a model.
Knowledge	Knowledge: How to use different tools safely. Names and simple properties of materials. Different techniques for joining materials, such as how to use adhesive tape and different sorts of glue.	Knowledge: How to improve their creations Different techniques they could use.	Knowledge: How to take turns How to be respectful
Vocabulary	Vocab: design, texture e.g. smooth, bumpy, rough, represent, materials e.g. fabric, wood, shape, space, construct, create, combine, join, attach, connect, mould flatten, pinch, safety, purpose, artists, 2D, 3D	Vocab: design, problem solve	Vocab: team work, share ideas, problem solve.

Skills Progression in Reception

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Reception progression throughout the year

Explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings.

- Explain what they are making.
- Name materials.
- Carefully select materials from a wider range.
- Select and name a variety of tools.
- Make models.
- Use large scale loose parts to create models such as vehicles and houses to support play.
- Explore ideas by rearranging materials.
- Safely use a wider range of tools.



Return to and build on their previous learning, refining ideas and developing their ability to represent them.	 Manipulate and join different materials. Create a 3D model using materials. Adapt their models to achieve a desired outcome. Improve their models. Begin to use different techniques. Construct with a purpose in mind.
Create collaboratively, sharing ideas, resources and skills.	 Explain how they created something to their peers including why they chose a particular technique or material and why it is suitable. Work in a group to create a model.

Creating with Materials ELG

Children at the expected level of development will:

- Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form, and function;
- Share their creations, explaining the process they have used.

BRIDGING INTO THE NATIONAL CURRICULUM

Early Learning Goals - Creating with Materials

- Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form, and function.
- Share their creations, explaining the process they have used.

Early Learning Goals: Fine Motor Skills

- Use a range of small tools, including scissors, paint brushes and cutlery.
- Begin to show accuracy and care when drawing.



How our early years curriculum prepares for the next stage

Early Learning Goals	NC Areas	Year 1
Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function.	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.
	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.
Share their creations, explaining the process they have used.	Evaluate	Explore and evaluate a range of existing products and evaluate their ideas and products against design criteria.
Use a range of small tools, including scissors, paint brushes and cutlery. Begin to show accuracy and care when drawing.	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.
	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

NATIONAL CURRICULUM

National Curriculum

Purpose of study

Design and technology is an inspiring, rigorous and practical subject. Using creativity and imagination, pupils design and make products that solve real and relevant problems within a variety of contexts, considering their own and others' needs, wants and values. They acquire a broad range of subject knowledge and draw on disciplines such as mathematics, science, engineering, computing and art. Pupils learn how to take risks, becoming resourceful,



innovative, enterprising and capable citizens. Through the evaluation of past and present design and technology, they develop a critical understanding of its impact on daily life and the wider world. High-quality design and technology education makes an essential contribution to the creativity, culture, wealth and well-being of the nation.

Aims

The national curriculum for design and technology aims to ensure that all pupils:

- develop the creative, technical and practical expertise needed to perform everyday tasks confidently and to participate successfully in an increasingly technological world.
- build and apply a repertoire of knowledge, understanding and skills in order to design and make high-quality prototypes and products for a wide range of users.
- critique, evaluate and test their ideas and products and the work of others.
- understand and apply the principles of nutrition and learn how to cook.

Attainment targets

By the end of each key stage, pupils are expected to know, apply and understand the matters, skills and processes specified in the relevant programme of study.

Key stage 1

Through a variety of creative and practical activities, pupils should be taught the knowledge, understanding and skills needed to engage in an iterative process of designing and making. They should work in a range of relevant contexts [for example, the home and school, gardens and playgrounds, the local community, industry and the wider environment].

Pupils should be taught to:

NC Objectives	Year 1	Year 2
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 Builds 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.	/	/

Key stage 2

Through a variety of creative and practical activities, pupils should be taught the knowledge, understanding and skills needed to engage in an iterative process of designing and making. They should work in a range of relevant contexts [for example]

Pupils should be taught:

Year Group	Democracy	Rule of Law	Individual Liberty	Mutual Respect	Tolerance of those of different Faiths and Beliefs.
	A culture built upon freedom and equality, where everyone is aware of their rights and responsibilities. Examples Leadership and accountability Joint decision making Team meetings The right to protest and petition	The need for rules to make a happy, safe and secure environment to live and work. Examples Legislation Agreed ways of working, policies and procedures How the law protects you and others Codes of conduct	Protection of your rights and the right of others you work with. Examples • Equality and Human Rights • Personal Development • Respect and Dignity • Rights, choice, consent and individuality • Values and principles	Support and Value one another Examples - Valuing the opinions of others Listening and providing critical feedbackTeam work	Understanding that we all don't share the same beliefs and values. Respecting the values, ideas and beliefs of others whilst not imposing our own opinions. Examples - Embracing diversity. The importance of religion, traditions, cultural heritage and preferences.



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give lead worl and	year groups will be en the opportunity to d on decision making, rk together in a team d give and receive dback on their work.	All year groups will be given the opportunity to work as a team as well as individually. They will agree on ways to work efficiently in order to complete tasks set.	All children will be given the opportunity to develop their skills in a personal way. They will be inspired by the works of others but create their own individual piece.	All year groups will regularly listen and respond to critical feedback through each of their projects. They will value the opinions of their peers and provide their own opinions when discussing their own work and the work of others.	All children will be exposed to the variation in faith and belief of the artists studied over their journey through MPPS. Year 6 YK's work is inspired by the spiritualism of the Islamic faith.

NC Objectives		Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
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 computer-aided design		/ Cross-section al diagrams	/ CAD Exploded Diagrams	/
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 Apply their understanding of how to strengthen, stiffen and reinforce more complex structures 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 incorporating switches, bulbs, buzzers and motors] apply their understanding of computing to program, monitor			
and control their products			

Cooking and Nutrition

As part of their work with food, pupils should be taught how to cook and apply the principles of nutrition and healthy eating. Instilling a love of cooking in pupils will also open a door to one of the great expressions of human creativity. Learning how to cook is a crucial life skill that enables pupils to feed themselves and others affordably and well, now and in later life. Pupils should be taught to:

Key stage 1

NC Objectives	Year 1	Year 2
Use the basic principles of a healthy and varied diet to prepare dishes	/	/
understand where food comes from.	/	/

Key stage 2

NC Objectives	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
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.		/	/	/

DELIVERING THE NATIONAL CURRICULUM

Aims - The national curriculum for design and Technology aims to ensure that all pupils:



• Develop the creative, technical and practical expertise needed to perform everyday tasks confidently and to participate successfully in an increasingly technological world.

What and How (What creative work will they produce each year. How they will progressively explore their ideas and record experiences.)

Year Group	Across the year Nursery Children will:		
Year 1	Cooking and Nutrition Preparing fruit - Fruit Kebab Begin to draw on their own experience to help generate ideas. Start to suggest ideas and explain what they are going to do. Taste a variety of fruits and verbalise their thoughts. 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 simple drawings. Communicate with others about how they want to make their product	Structures Free Standing structures - 3D House Begin to draw on their own experience to help generate ideas Begin to understand the development of existing products: Explain what they are for, how they work, what materials have been 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 simple drawings. Use simple paper templates. Make mockups of their ideas in card and paper. Communicate with others about how they want to construct their product. Explain how they intend to fix simple materials.	Mechanisms Sliders and levers - Moving Storyboard Begin to draw on their own experience (toys and play) to help generate ideas. Begin to understand the development of existing products: Begin to explain how products work,why, what materials have been 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 simple drawings. Make mockups of their ideas in card and paper. Communicate with others about how they want to construct their product. Explain how they intend to fix simple materials.
Year 2	Mechanisms Wheels and Axles - Moving Bus 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 design criteria. Develop their ideas through talk and drawings and label parts. Begin to explain why they chose certain	Cooking and Nutrition Preparing vegetables - Pita Pizzas 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 design criteria. Develop their ideas through talk and drawings and label parts. Taste a variety of vegetables and verbalise	Textiles Templates and joining techniques - puppet 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 design criteria. Develop their ideas through talk and drawings and label parts. Use paper templates.



	materials. Explain how products work,why, what materials have been used. Develop their ideas from certain starting points.	their thoughts. Begin to explain why they chose a certain ingredient based on the 5 senses. Develop their ideas from starting points.	 Begin to explain why they chose a certain material. Develop their ideas from starting points.
Year 3	Cooking and Nutrition Healthy and varied diet - Vegetable Soup With growing confidence generate ideas for a product, 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 ingredients have been used. Learn about key events and individuals have developed ground-breaking products. Know to make drawings with labels when designing. When planning, explain their choice of ingredients and equipment including function and appearance. Put together a step-by-step plan which shows the order and also what equipment and tools they need.	Mechanical systems Levers and linkages - Egyptian Shaduf With growing confidence generate ideas for a product, 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. Begin to understand how well products have been designed, made, what materials have been used and the construction technique. Learn about key events and individuals have developed ground-breaking products. Start to understand whether products 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. Put together a step-by-step plan which shows the order and also what equipment and tools they need.	 Structures Shell Structures - Desk Tidy With growing confidence generate ideas for a product, considering its purpose and the user. 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 key events and individuals have developed ground-breaking products. Start to understand whether products 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. Put together a step-by-step plan which shows the order and also what equipment and tools they need.



Year 4	Cooking and Nutrition Healthy and varied diet - Pasta Salad Start to generate ideas, considering the purposes for which they are designing - link with Mathematics. Confidently make labelled drawings from different views showing specific features -cross section. 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 intended users) to improve their work. Learn about key events and individuals have developed ground-breaking products. When planning, explain their choice of materials and components according to function and aesthetic. Take account of the ideas of others when designing. Produce a plan and explain it to others. Consider how to present their product in an interesting way.	Electrical systems Simple Circuit - Night Light Start to generate ideas, considering the purposes for which they are designing- link with Science. Confidently make labelled drawings from different views showing specific features - show circuit inside. 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 intended users) to improve their work. Learn about key events and individuals have developed ground-breaking products. When planning, explain their choice of materials and components according to function and aesthetic. Take account of the ideas of others when designing. Produce a plan and explain it to others. Consider how to present their product in an interesting way.	Textiles 2D shape to 3D product - Pencil Case Start to generate ideas, considering the purposes for which they are designing- link with Mathematics. Confidently make labelled drawings from different views showing specific features - back/front/additional detail. 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 intended users) to improve their work. Learn about key events and individuals have developed ground-breaking products. When planning, explain their choice of materials and components according to function and aesthetic. Take account of the ideas of others when designing. Produce a plan and explain it to others. Consider how to present their product in an interesting way.
Year 5	Mechanical Systems Pulleys or Gears - Viking Long Boat Start to generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion,	Textiles Using CAD - Animal Cushion MS Paint. • Start to generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion,	Cooking and Nutrition Celebrating culture and seasonality - Muffins Start to generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion,



	annotated sketches, exploded diagrams and prototypes. 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. Use results of investigations, 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 intended purpose. Produce a range of ideas after collecting information. Produce a detailed step-by step plan. Explain how their product will appeal to the user.	annotated sketches, prototypes, pattern pieces and CAD - MS Paint to develop their ideas. 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. Use results of investigations, 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 intended purpose. Produce a range of ideas using CAD after collecting information during the research phase. Produce a detailed step-by step plan. Explain how their product will appeal to the user.	annotated sketches. Begin to use research and develop design criteria to inform the design of innovative, functional, appealing products that are fit for purpose. Draw up a specification for their design. Use results of investigations, information sources when developing design ideas. With growing confidence select appropriate equipment and ingredients. Start to understand how much products cost to make/buy, how sustainable and innovative they are and the impact products have beyond their intended purpose- seasonal produce/cost/impact. Produce a range of ideas after collecting information. Produce a detailed step-by step plan. Explain how their product will appeal to the user.
Year 6	Cooking and Nutrition Celebrating culture and seasonality - Bread Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches. 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 shaping techniques. Draw up a specification for their design. Plan the order of their work, choosing appropriate equipment, ingredients and techniques. Suggest alternative methods of making it 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	Electrical systems More complex circuits and switches - Electrical Game • Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, exploded diagrams and prototypes. • 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 • Draw up a specification for their design-link with Mathematics and Science. • Plan the order of their work, choosing appropriate materials, tools and techniques. Suggest alternative methods of making it 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	Structures Frame structures - Bird Hide • Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches and prototypes. • 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. • Draw up a specification for their design- link with Mathematics and Science. • Plan the order of their work, choosing appropriate materials, tools and techniques. Suggest alternative methods of making it 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. Use market research to inform plans. Follow and refine their initial plan if necessary. Show consideration to culture and society in a design Explain how their product should be stored justifying with reasons. Work within a given budget.	impact products have beyond their intended purpose. Use market research to inform plans. Follow and refine their initial plan if necessary. Work within a given budget.	impact products have beyond their intended purpose. Use market research to inform plans. Follow and refine their initial plan if necessary. Work within a given budget.
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• Build and apply a repertoire of knowledge, understanding and skills in order to design and make high-quality prototypes and products for a wide range of users

Design and Technology Skills Progression (Overview)

Year Group	On-going throughout the year
Nursery	 Select materials from a limited range. Select and name the tools needed to work the materials e.g. scissors for paper Make simple models. Use a hole punch. Explore ideas by rearranging materials. Safely use tools. Manipulate and join different materials. Create a 3D model using materials. Make models with construction materials. Build for a purpose.
Reception	 Carefully select materials from a wider range. Select and name a variety of tools. Make models. Use large scale loose parts to create models such as vehicles and houses to support play. Explore ideas by rearranging materials. Safely use a wider range of tools. Manipulate and join different materials. Create a 3D model using materials. Adapt their models to achieve a desired outcome. Begin to use different techniques. Improve their models. Construct with a purpose in mind.



Year 1	Cooking and Nutrition Preparing fruit - Fruit Kebab	Structures Free Standing structures - 3D House	Mechanisms Sliders and levers - Moving Storyboard
	 Begin to make their design using appropriate techniques. Begin to use simple finishing techniques to improve the appearance of their product. Select ingredients and equipment to make their product. Work safely and hygienically. 	 Begin to make their design using appropriate techniques. Begin to build structures, exploring how they can be made stronger, stiffer and more stable. With help measure, mark out, cut and shape a range of materials. Explore using tools e.g. scissors safely. Begin to assemble, join and combine materials and components together using a variety of temporary methods e.g. glues or masking tape. Begin to use simple finishing techniques to improve the appearance of their product. Attempt to make their model stronger if it needs to be. Select appropriate resources and tools for their building projects. Work Safely. 	 Begin to make their design using appropriate techniques. Begin to 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. 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 together using a variety of temporary methods e.g. glues or masking tape. Begin to use simple finishing techniques to improve the appearance of their product. Make a product which moves. Use simple paper templates. Attempt to make their model stronger if it needs to be. Select appropriate resources and tools for their building projects. Work Safely.
Year 2	Mechanisms Wheels and Axles - Moving Bus	Cooking and Nutrition Preparing vegetables - Pita Pizzas	Textiles Templates and joining techniques - puppet
	 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 equipment safely and appropriately. Start to assemble, join and combine materials in order to make a product. Start to choose and use appropriate finishing techniques based on own ideas. Select the best tools and materials. Make mockups using appropriate materials. Be able to join things (materials/components) together in different ways Attach features to a vehicle (e.g. an axle and wheels). 	 Begin to select equipment and ingredients; use correct vocabulary to name and describe them. Learn to use equipment safely and appropriately. Start to assemble and combine ingredients to make a product. Work safely and hygienically. 	 Begin to select tools and materials; use correct vocabulary to name and describe them. 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 make a simple product. Use basic sewing techniques. Start to choose and use appropriate finishing techniques based on own ideas. Select the best tools and materials. Be able to join things (materials/components) together in different ways. Join fabric using a running stitch, glue and tape.



	Work safely.		 Make mockups of their ideas using fabric. Make templates and mockups of their ideas in fabric. Work safely.
Year 3	Cooking and Nutrition Healthy and varied diet - Vegetable Soup Select a wider range of tools and techniques for making their product i.e. construction materials and kits, textiles, food ingredients, mechanical components. Explain their choice of tools and equipment in relation to the skills and techniques they will be using. Start to work safely and accurately with a range of simple tools. Start to think about their ideas as they make progress and be willing to change things if this helps them to improve their work. Attempt to make sure that their product looks attractive. Select the most appropriate tools and techniques to use for a given task. Work safely.	Mechanical systems Levers and linkages - Egyptian Shaduf Select a wider range of tools and techniques for making their product i.e. construction materials and kits, textiles, food ingredients, 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 out, cut, score and assemble components with more accuracy. Start to work safely and accurately with a range of simple tools. Start to think about their ideas as they make progress and be willing to change things if this helps them to improve their work. Start to measure, tape or pin, cut and join fabric with some accuracy. Use equipment safely Attempt to make sure that their product looks attractive Make choices of material both for its appearance and qualities Select the most appropriate tools and techniques to use for a given task. Work accurately to make cuts and holes – e.g. to measure and then use equipment to cut. Try alternative ways of fixing something if the first attempt is not successful. Create and use simple gears, pulleys, levers and linkages. Work safely.	 Structures Shell Structures - Desk Tidy Select a wider range of tools and techniques for making their product i.e. construction materials and kits, textiles, food ingredients, mechanical components. Explain their choice of tools and equipment in relation to the skills and techniques they will be using. Measure, mark out, cut, score and assemble components with more accuracy. Start to work safely and accurately with a range of simple tools. Start to think about their ideas as they make progress and be willing to change things if this helps them to improve their work. Start to measure, tape or pin, cut and join fabric with some accuracy. Use equipment safely. Attempt to make sure that their product looks attractive. Make choices of material both for its appearance and qualities. Select the most appropriate tools and techniques to use for a given task. Make a product which uses both electrical and mechanical components. Work accurately to make cuts and holes – e.g. to measure and then use equipment to cut. Try alternative ways of fixing something if the first attempt is not successful. Work safely.
Year 4	Cooking and Nutrition Healthy and varied diet - Pasta Salad Select a wider range of tools and techniques for making their product safely. Begin to use finishing techniques based on appearance. Weigh carefully and show initiative to check	Electrical systems Simple Circuit - Night Light • 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.	Textiles 2D shape to 3D product - Pencil Case 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



	so as not to make mistakes. Persevere with their product even though their original idea might not have worked. Use a simple pattern to create a functional product. Work safely and hygienically.	 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. different stitches, to weave and knit. Begin to use finishing techniques to strengthen and improve the appearance of their product using a range of equipment. Measure carefully and show initiative to check so as not to make mistakes. Persevere with their product even though their original idea might not have worked. Work safely. 	components accurately in temporary and permanent ways. Now sew using running or back stitch. Demonstrate how to measure, tape or pin, cut and join fabric with some accuracy. Begin to use finishing techniques to strengthen and improve the appearance of their product using a range of equipment. Measure carefully and show initiative to check so as not to make mistakes. Make and use a paper template. Persevere with their product even though their original idea might not have worked.
Year 5	Mechanical Systems Pulleys or Gears - Viking Long Boat 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. 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. Use finishing techniques to strengthen and improve the appearance of their product Use a range of tools and equipment expertly. Make up a prototype first. Demonstrate motivation/perseverance to refine and improve their products. Create a 3D product using a range of materials. Work safely.	Textiles Using CAD - Animal Cushion MS Paint. Select appropriate materials, tools and techniques e.g. cutting, shaping, joining and finishing, accurately. Now sew using running, back stitch or over sew stitch. 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. 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. Measure accurately. Use finishing techniques to strengthen and improve the appearance of their product. Use a range of tools and equipment expertly. Make up a prototype first. Measure accurately to ensure that everything is precise. Make and use a complex paper template. Demonstrate motivation/perseverance to refine and improve their products. Work safely.	Cooking and Nutrition Celebrating culture and seasonality - Muffins 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. Begin to measure and mark out more accurately. Demonstrate how to use skills in using different tools and equipment safely and accurately. Weigh and measure accurately (dry ingredients, and liquids). Use finishing techniques to improve the appearance of their product. Use a range of tools and equipment expertly. Measurement accurately to ensure that everything is precise. Demonstrate motivation/perseverance to refine and improve their products.



Year 6	Cooking and Nutrition Celebrating culture and seasonality - Bread Confidently select appropriate tools, materials, components and techniques and use them. Use tools safely and accurately. Assemble components to appetising products. Aim to make and to achieve a quality product. Demonstrate when making modifications as they go along. Work safely and hygienically.	Electrical systems More complex circuits and switches - Electrical Game 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 to achieve a quality product. Demonstrate when making modifications as they go along. Construct products using permanent joining techniques. Know how more complex electrical circuits and components can be used to create functional 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.	Structures Frame structures - Bird Hide 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 to achieve a quality product. Demonstrate when making modifications as they go along. Construct products using permanent joining techniques. Know how to reinforce and strengthen a 3D framework. Work safely.
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• Critique, evaluate and test their ideas and products and the work of others

How and what children will analyse and the language to be used.

Year Group	Project 1	Project 2	Project 3							
Nursery	Talk about what they like about their design and	Talk about what they like about their design and what they might change.								
Reception	Explain how they created something to their peWork in a group to create a model.	 Explain how they created something to their peers including why they chose a particular technique or material and why it is suitable. Work in a group to create a model. 								
Year 1	Cooking and Nutrition Preparing fruit - Fruit Kebab 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 the Products	Structures Free Standing structures - 3D House 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 the Products	Mechanisms Sliders and levers - Moving Storyboard 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 the Products							



	 and why. Begin to evaluate their products as they are developing, identifying strengths and possible changes they might make next time. 	 and why. Begin to evaluate their products as they are developing, identifying strengths and possible changes they might make next time. 	 and why. Begin to evaluate their products as they are developing, identifying strengths and possible changes they might make next time.
Year 2	Mechanisms Wheels and Axles - Moving Bus Evaluate their work against their design criteria. Look at a range of existing products and explain what they like and dislike about the products and why. Start to evaluate their products as they are developing, identifying what went well and possible changes they might make next time. With confidence talk about their ideas	Cooking and Nutrition Preparing vegetables - Pita Pizzas Evaluate their work against their design criteria. Look at a range of existing products and explain what they like and dislike about the products and why. Start to evaluate their products as they are developing, identifying what went well and possible changes they might make next time. With confidence talk about their ideas	Textiles Templates and joining techniques - puppet • Evaluate their work against their design criteria. • Look at a range of existing products and explain what they like and dislike about the products and why. • Start to evaluate their products as they are developing, identifying what went well and possible changes they might make next time. • With confidence talk about their ideas
Year 3	Cooking and Nutrition Healthy and varied diet - Vegetable Soup Start to evaluate their product against original design criteria e.g. how well it meets its intended purpose. Suggest some improvements and say what was good and not so good about their original design. Begin to disassemble and evaluate familiar products and consider the views of others to improve them. Begin to evaluate how the key designs of individuals in design and technology have helped shape the world. (Jamie Oliver)	Mechanical systems Levers and linkages - Egyptian Shaduf Start to evaluate their product against original design criteria e.g. how well it meets its intended purpose. Suggest some improvements and say what was good and not so good about their original design. Begin to disassemble and evaluate familiar products and consider the views of others to improve them. Begin to evaluate how the key designs of individuals in design and technology have helped shape the world.	Structures Shell Structures - Desk Tidy Start to evaluate their product against original design criteria e.g. how well it meets its intended purpose. Suggest some improvements and say what was good and not so good about their original design. Begin to disassemble and evaluate familiar products and consider the views of others to improve them. Begin to evaluate how the key designs of individuals in design and technology have helped shape the world. (Jørn Utzon)
Year 4	Cooking and Nutrition Healthy and varied diet - Pasta Salad Start to evaluate their product against original design criteria e.g. how well it meets its intended purpose. Suggest some improvements and say what was good and not so good about their original design. Begin to evaluate familiar products/ingredients and consider the views of others to improve them.	Electrical systems Simple Circuit - Night Light Start to evaluate their product against original design criteria e.g. how well it meets its intended purpose. Suggest some improvements and say what was good and not so good about their original design. Begin to evaluate familiar products/ingredients and consider the views of others to improve them.	Textiles 2D shape to 3D product - Pencil Case Start to evaluate their product against original design criteria e.g. how well it meets its intended purpose. Suggest some improvements and say what was good and not so good about their original design. Begin to evaluate familiar products/ingredients and consider the views of others to improve them.



Year 5	Mechanical Systems Pulleys or Gears - Viking Long Boat Evaluate their work both during and at the end of the unit. Evaluate their products carrying out appropriate tests. Be able to evaluate familiar products and consider the views of others to improve them. Suggest some improvements and say what was good and not so good about their original design Begin to explain how they can improve their original designs Evaluate their product, thinking of both appearance and the way it works.	Textiles using CAD - Pencil Case MS Paint. • Evaluate their work both during and at the end of the unit. • Evaluate their products carrying out appropriate tests. • Be able to evaluate familiar products and consider the views of others to improve them. • Suggest some improvements and say what was good and not so good about their original design • Begin to explain how they can improve their original designs • Evaluate their product, thinking of both appearance and the way it works.	Cooking and Nutrition Celebrating culture and seasonality - Muffins Evaluate their work both during and at the end of the unit. Evaluate their products carrying out appropriate tests. Be able to evaluate familiar products and consider the views of others to improve them. Suggest some improvements and say what was good and not so good about their original design Begin to explain how they can improve their original designs Evaluate their product, thinking of both appearance and the way it tastes.		
Year 6	Cooking and Nutrition Celebrating culture and seasonality - Bread 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 unit. Record their evaluations using drawings with labels. Evaluate against their original criteria and suggest ways that their product could be improved. Test and evaluate their final product. Evaluate if their product meets all design criteria Justify why they selected specific ingredients.	Electrical systems More complex circuits and switches - Electrical Game	Structures Frame structures - Bird Hide 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 unit. Record their evaluations using drawings with labels. Evaluate against their original criteria and suggest ways that their product could be improved. Test and evaluate their final product. Evaluate if their product meets all design criteria Justify why they selected specific materials.		

• Understand and apply the principles of nutrition and learn how to cook.

Year Group	Project 1	Project 2	Project 3		
Nursery	Cooking and nutrition				



	Gingerbread Know some ingredients Know how to mix Describe taste								
Reception	Cooking and Nutrition Bread								
	Know some ingredients Know how to mix and stir Describe changes and taste								
Year 1	Cooking and Nutrition Preparing fruit - Fruit Kebab Begin to understand that all food comes from plants or animals. Explore common food sources (e.g. from food or animals) Start to understand how to name and sort foods into the five groups in (e.g. could use the 'The Eat well plate') Know 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 source. Know how to use techniques such as cutting and peeling. Measure and weigh food items using non-standard measures (e.g. spoons and cups)								
Year 2		Cooking and Nutrition Preparing vegetables - Pita Pizzas Understand that all food comes from plants or animals. Develop understanding of where different foods come from (e.g. foods which are farmed, grown elsewhere (e.g. home) or caught) and also food from native to different countries. Understand how to name and sort foods into the five groups in (e.g. could use the 'The Eat well plate') Know that everyone should eat at least five portions of fruit and vegetables every day. Recognise the need for a variety of food in a diet Demonstrate how to prepare simple dishes							



		safely and hygienically, without using a heat source. Demonstrate how to use techniques such as peeling, slicing and grating. Cooking Skill: Grilling.	
Year 3	Cooking and Nutrition Healthy and varied diet - Vegetable Soup 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 dishes including experience of using a heat source. Begin to understand how to use a range of techniques such as peeling, chopping, combining. Know how a healthy diet is made up from a variety and balance of different food and drink. Begin to know that to be active and healthy, food and drink are needed to provide energy for the body (and begin to distinguish healthy high energy foods) Be able to identify foods which come from the UK and other countries in the world. Cooking Skill: simmering.		
Year 4	Cooking and Nutrition Healthy and varied diet - Pasta Salad 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 including experience of using a heat source. Know how to use a range of techniques such as peeling, chopping, slicing, grating and mixing. Measure and weigh ingredients appropriately. Explain why a healthy diet is important. Know that to be active and healthy, food and drink are needed to provide energy for the body and identify healthy high energy foods) Understand what to do to be hygienic and safe. Become familiar with some of the processes that foods go through to preserve them (pasta/tuna/olives)/make them more appealing.		



	Cooking Skill: boiling	
Year 5		Cooking and Nutrition Celebrating culture and seasonality - (Muffins Begin to explain how food is grown, reared and caught. Begin to 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 including the use of a heat source Demonstrate increasing confidence in how to use a range of techniques such as peeling, chopping, slicing, grating, mixing, spreading and baking. Begin to understand that different food and drink contain different substances (nutrients, water and fibre) that are needed for health Explain what times of year particular foods are eaten in Describe what to do to be hygienic and safe. Use appropriate tools and equipment, weighing and measuring with scales. Cooking Skill: baking.
Year 6	Cooking and Nutrition Celebrating culture and seasonality - Bread Explain how ingredients were grown, reared and caught. Understand that seasons may affect the food available. Explain 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 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 and choose which ones to use independently. Know different food and drinks contain different substances (nutrients, water and fibre) that are needed for health. Use appropriate tools and equipment, weighing and measuring with scales.	



 Plan a healthy and affordable dish. Cooking Skill: baking. 		
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NATIONAL CURRICULUM PROGRESSION

Key Stage One

Through a variety of creative and practical activities, pupils should be taught the knowledge, understanding and skills needed to engage in an iterative process of designing and making. They should work in a range of relevant contexts [for example, the home and school, gardens and playgrounds, the local community, industry and the wider environment]. When designing and making, pupils should be taught to:

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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 and 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.



Key Stage Two

Through a variety of creative and practical activities, pupils should be taught the knowledge, understanding and skills needed to engage in an iterative process of designing and making. They should work in a range of relevant contexts [for example, the home, school, leisure, culture, enterprise, industry and the wider environment].

When designing and making, pupils should be taught to:

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 computer-aided 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

Apply their understanding of how to strengthen, stiffen and reinforce more complex structures 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 incorporating switches, bulbs, buzzers and motors] apply their understanding of computing to program, monitor and control their products.



Cooking and Nutrition

As part of their work with food, pupils should be taught how to cook and apply the principles of nutrition and healthy eating. Instilling a love of cooking in pupils will also open a door to one of the great expressions of human creativity. Learning how to cook is a crucial life skill that enables pupils to feed themselves and others affordably and well, now and in later life.

Pupils should be taught to:

Key stage 1

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

Key stage 2

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.

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	Draw simple pictures of their design once the process has been modelle d.	DM: Develo p their own ideas and then decide which materi als to use to expres s them.	Draw simple pictures of a vehicle design independe ntly. Begin to explain what they are going to do in simple terms. Know who they are making it for.	DM: Develo p their own ideas and then decide which materi als to use to expres s them. DM: Create collab orative ly, sharin g ideas, resour ces and skills.	Begin to draw on their own experience to help when drawing a design. Start to suggest ideas and explain what they are going to do. Begin to identify a target group for what they intend to design and make based on a modelled design criteria. Begin to look at examples of existing products. Begin to develop their ideas through simple drawings.	Begin to generate ideas by drawing on their own and other people's experiences when drawing design. Begin to develop their design ideas through discussion, observation and drawing. Understand how to identify a target group for what they intend to design and make based on a shared design criteria. Develop their ideas through talk, drawings and labelled parts. Begin to explain why they chose certain materials. Begin to explain how products work, why, what materials have been used. Develop their	Design purposeful, functional, appealing products for themselves and other users based on design criteria Generate, develop, model and communicat e their ideas through talking, drawing, templates, mock-ups and, where appropriate, information and communicat ion technology	With growing confidence generate ideas for a product, considering its purpose. Begin to use research to develop ideas through discussion, observation drawings and labels. Begin to consider the needs of others when establishing design criteria. Understand how well products have been designed and made. Learn about key events and individuals have developed ground-breaking products. When planning, begin to explain their choice of material including function and appearance.	Start to generate ideas, considering the purposes for which they are designing and the user/s. Use research to confidently make labelled ideas from different views showing specific features -cross section. When planning, consider the views of others (including intended users) to improve their work and inform their own criteria. 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. Learn about key events and	Start to generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, exploded diagrams and prototypes. Choose research and develop design criteria to inform the design of innovative, functional, appealing products that are fit for purpose. Draw up a specification for their design. With growing confidence apply a range of finishing techniques, including those from art and design. Use results of investigations, information sources, including ICT when developing	Independently generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches. Research and develop design criteria to inform the design of innovative, functional, appealing products that are fit for purpose. Draw up a specification for their design considering cost and environment al impact. Use results of investigation s, information sources when developing design ideas. Independently select appropriate equipment and ingredients.	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 computer-aide d design



						ideas from certain starting points.		Put together a step-by-step plan which shows the order and also what equipment and tools they need.	individuals have developed ground-breakin g products. Take account of the ideas of others when designing. Consider how to present their product in an interesting way.	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 intended purpose. Produce a range of ideas. Produce a detailed step-by step plan.	Understand how much products cost to make/buy, how sustainable and innovative they are and the impact products have beyond their intended purpose-seasonal produce/cost/impact. Produce a range of ideas after collecting information. Produce a detailed step-by step plan - editing via evaluation Explain how their product will appeal to the user.	
M A K E	Nursery	Expres sive Arts and Design ELG: Creatin g with Materi als. DM	Reception	Expres sive Arts and Desig n ELG: Creati ng with Materi als.	Year 1	Year 2	End of Key Stage 1 Expectations	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	End of Key Stage 2 Expectations



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Use junk modellin g resource s to join material s includin g cutting and sticking.	ELG: Safely use and explore a variety of materi als, tools and techni ques, experi mentin g with colour, design, texture , form and functio n.	Using a wider variety of junk modelling materials to make a product.	explor e, use and refine a variety of artisti c effects to expres s their ideas and feeling s . DM: Create collab orative ly, sharin g ideas, resour ces and skills.	Begin to make their design using appropriate techniques. Explore using tools safely. Begin to assemble, join and combine materials and components together using a variety of temporary methods. Begin to use simple finishing techniques like art materials to improve the appearance of their product. Make a product which moves. Know why we use simple paper templates. Attempt to make their model stronger if it needs to be.	Begin to select tools and materials; use correct vocabulary to name and describe them. With help measure, cut and score with some accuracy. Learn to use equipment safely and appropriately. Start to assemble, join and combine materials in order to make a product with growing accuracy. Start to choose and use appropriate finishing techniques based on own ideas. Select the best tools and materials. Make mockups using appropriate materials. Be able to join things	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, according to their characteristics	Select a wider range of tools and techniques for making their product. Explain their choice of tools and equipment in relation to the skills and techniques they will be using. Measure, mark out, cut, score and assemble components with more accuracy. Start to work safely and accurately with a range of simple tools. Start to think about their ideas as they make progress and be willing to change things if this helps them to improve their work. Begin to make sure that their product looks attractive	Select a wider range of tools and techniques for making their product safely and explain their choice. 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. Begin to use finishing techniques to strengthen and improve the appearance of their product using a range of equipment. Begin to quality assure work to ensure mistakes are avoided. Persevere with their product even though their original idea might not have worked.	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. 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. Measure accurately.	Confidently select appropriate tools, materials, components and techniques e.g. cutting, shaping, joining and finishing accurately. Use a wide range of tools safely and accurately. Assemble components to make working models. Aim to make and to achieve a quality product. Demonstrate when making modification s as they go along. Construct products using permanent joining techniques.	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 aesthet



		DM: Explore differe nt materi als freely, to develo p their ideas about how to use them and what to make. DM: Join differe nt materi als and explore differe nt texture s.			Select appropriate resources and tools for products Follow simple instructions. Work Safely.	(materials/ components) together in different ways . Follow instructions.		Make choices of material both for its appearance and qualities Select the most appropriate tools and techniques to use for a given task. Try alternative ways of fixing something if the first attempt is not successful. Follow a shared plan.	Consider ways in which to solve problems. Attempt to make sure that their product looks attractive Follow an independent plan.	Use finishing techniques to strengthen and improve the appearance of their product. Use a range of tools and equipment expertly. Make up a prototype first. Measure accurately to ensure that everything is precise. Demonstrate motivation/per severance to refine and improve their products. Follow and edit a plan.	Use finishing techniques to strengthen and improve the appearance of their product. Follow, edit and explain changes made in a plan.	
EVALUATE	Nursery	Expres sive Arts and Design ELG: Creatin g with Materi als. DM docum ent.	Reception	Expres sive Arts and Desig n ELG: Creati ng with Materi als. DM docu ment.	Year 1	Year 2	End of Key Stage 1 Expectations	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	End of Key Stage 2 Expectations



	Have a skill modelle d to them and be able to talk about the changes they see.	Share their creations, explain ing the process they have used.	Begin to talk about the mistakes they made and how they fixed them.	Share their creations, explaining the process they have used. DM: Return to and build on their previous learning, refining their ability to represent 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 the Products and why. Dismantle, examine, talk about existing objects/struct ures Begin to evaluate their products as they are developing, identifying strengths and possible changes they might make next time.	Evaluate their work against their design criteria discussing how well it worked. Choose from a range of existing products and explain what they like and dislike about the products and why. Start to evaluate their products as they are developing, identifying what went well and possible changes they might make next time. With confidence talk about their ideas.	Explore and evaluate a range of existing products Evaluate their ideas and products against design criteria	Start to evaluate their product against original design criteria e.g. how well it meets its intended purpose. Suggest some improvements and say what was good and not so good about their original design. Begin to disassemble and evaluate familiar products and consider the views of others to improve them. Begin to evaluate how the key designs of individuals in design and technology have helped shape the world.	Refer to design criteria while designing and making Use design criteria to evaluate finished products. Suggest some improvements and say what was good and not so good about their original design. Begin to evaluate familiar products/ingredients and consider the views of others to improve them.	Evaluate quality of design while designing and making. Evaluate ideas and finished product against specification, considering purpose and appearance. Test and evaluate the final product. Evaluate and discuss existing products, considering: how well they've been made, materials, whether they work, how they have been made, fit for purpose. Begin to evaluate how much products cost to make and how innovative they are. Research how sustainable materials are. Talk about some key inventors/designers/ engineers/ chefs/manufact	Evaluate quality of design while designing and making; is it fit for purpose? Evaluate ideas and finished product against specification, stating if it's fit for purpose. Test and evaluate the final product; explain what would improve it and the effect different resources may have had. Do thorough evaluations of existing products considering; how well they've been made, materials, whether they work, how they've been made, fit for purpose. Use technical language. Evaluate how much	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
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										urers of ground breaking products.	products cost to make and how innovative they are. Research and discuss how sustainable materials are. Consider the impact of products beyond their intended purpose. Discuss some key inventors/des igners/ engineers/ chefs/manufacturers	
	Nursery	Expres sive Arts and Design ELG: Creatin g with Materi als. DM docum ent.	Reception	Expres sive Arts and Desig n ELG: Creati ng with Materi als. DM docu ment.	Year 1	Year 2	End of Key Stage 1 Expectations	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	End of Key Stage 2 Expectations



TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE	STRUCTURES	Build simple structure s, i.e. towers. Join simple material s with glue or tape.		Build more complex structures such as castles. Join materials confidently with glue or tape.		Build structures including houses. Join materials confidently with glue or tape. Blu tak and staples. Begin to measure and join materials, with some support. Describe differences in the properties of materials. Suggest ways to make material/prod uct stronger, ie taping materials together, layering materials.	Not taught in 2.	Build structures, exploring how they can be made stronger, stiffer and more stable	Build a pencil tidy using net knowledge. Join materials confidently with glue or tape, staples and blu tak. Use appropriate materials such as card, paper and plastic. Work accurately to make cuts and holes. Begin to make stronger structures Using joining, rolling or folding to reinforce my product. Trial your own ideas to try to make the product stronger.	Not taught in year 4.	Not taught in year 5.	Build a bird hide using sustainable materials such as foraged twigs, straw etc. Join materials confidently with tape, staples and string. Select materials carefully, considering intended use of the product, the aesthetics and functionality. le waterproof fabric. Measure accurately enough to ensure precision. Test and evaluate the strength of your product as you progress. Join, roll, wrap, fold and layer materials. Explain how the product meets design criteria.	Apply their understanding of how to strengthen, stiffen and reinforce more complex structures
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										Reinforce and strengthen a 3D frame.	
TECHNICAL KNCVLECCE	E C H A N I S M S	Become familiar with levers and sliders in books.	Know that sliders and levers move.	Know how to make levers and sliders.	Know the function of wheels and axles. Know how to make a moving mechanism.	Explore and use mechanisms [for example, levers, sliders, wheels and axles], in their products	Know the function of levers and linkages. Select appropriate tools / techniques to create levers and linkages. Alter product after checking, to make it better Begin to try new/different ideas Use simple lever and linkages to create movement	Not taught in 4.	Know the function of pulleys and gears. Select most appropriate tools / techniques to create a pulley and gears. Check product continuously. Be confident when trying new or different ideas. Embrace magical mistakes as learning opportunities. Refine product after testing Explain alterations to product after checking it	Not taught in 6.	Understand and use mechanical systems in their products [for example, gears, pulleys, cams, levers and linkages]
T E C F N	E X T	Exposur e to fabrics and art material s in	Select fabrics and art materials to create junk	Not taught in 1.	Join fabrics together to make a puppet, and explain how I did it		Not Taught in 3.	Join two or more fabrics together accurately. Consider how to make a pencil	Join two or more fabrics together to make a cushion.	Not taught in 6.	Apply their understanding of how to strengthen, stiffen and reinforce more



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С		can be	structures.		fabrics and		purpose (use).	applique 13.	Structures
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									design ontofabric. Consider sustainability and pricing.		
TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE	COOKING AND NUTRIFION	Ginger Bread Men Begin to understa nd some food preparati on tools, techniques and processe s Practise stirring, and mixing. Discuss how to make an activity safe and hygienic Talk about the 5 senses. Knowle dge of cooking Skill: Baking	Recall some food preparation tools, techniques and processes Practise stirring, mixing, pouring Discuss how to make an activity safe and hygienic Know our senses Begin to understan what healthy food looks like. Knowledg e of cooking Skill: Baking	Fruit Kebab Describe food using our senses. Follow our hygiene safety rules. Begin to think of food preparation. Say where some foods come from, (i.e. plant or animal) Discuss how fruit and vegetables are healthy Cut with the bridge and claw hold safely with support. Know how to prepare simple dishes safely and hygienically, without using a heat source. Know how to	Explain hygiene and keep a hygienic food practical area. Describe properties of ingredients and importance of varied diet Describe how food is farmed, home-grown, caught Draw eat well plate; explain there are groups of food. Describe "five a day" Cut with increasing confidence Demonstrate how to prepare simple dishes safely and hygienically, without using a heat source. Demonstrate how to use	Use the basic principles of a healthy and varied diet to prepare dishes. Understand where food comes from.	Carefully select ingredients. Use equipment safely Make product look appetising Think about how to grow plants to use in cooking Begin to understand food comes from UK and wider world Describe a healthy diet and why it is important. Begin to understand that different food and drink contain different substances (nutrients, water and fibre) that are needed for health. Explain how food and drink are needed for	Explain how to be safe/hygienic. Think about presenting product in interesting/ attractive ways. Begin to understand about food being grown, reared or caught in the UK or wider world. Describe eat well plate and how to make a balanced meal. Prepare and cook elements of a dish safely and hygienically Become familiar with processed foods. (pasta/tuna/olives) Have an understanding of why food is processed. Begin to understand how to use a range of techniques such	Explain how to be safe / hygienic and follow own step by step plan. Present product well - interesting, attractive, fit for purpose Begin to understand seasonality of foods Understand food can be grown, reared or caught in the UK and the wider world. Begin to understand that seasons may affect the food available. Explain what times of year particular foods are eaten in. Describe how recipes can be adapted to change	Cultural Breads Understand a recipe can be adapted by adding / substituting ingredients Explore cultural foods. Understand that ingredients grow in different countries and influence cultural diet. Explain how ingredients were grown, reared and caught confidently. Explain how food is processed into ingredients that can be eaten or used in cooking. Know how to prepare and	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.



					use techniques such as cutting and peeling. Cooking Skill: Chopping.	techniques such as Slicing and grating. Cooking Skill: Grilling.		active/healthy bodies. Understand how to prepare and cook a variety of dishes including experience of using a heat source. Begin to understand how to use a range of techniques such as peeling and chopping. Cooking Skill: Simmering	as peeling, chopping, combining Use simple measuring techniques. Cooking Skill: boiling.	appearance, taste, texture, smell Demonstrate increasing confidence in how to use a range of techniques such as peeling, chopping, slicing, grating, mixing and spreading. Use appropriate tools and equipment, weighing and measuring with scales. Cooking Skill: baking.	cook a variety of predominant ly savoury dishes safely and hygienically including the use of a heat source. Understand how to use a range of techniques such as peeling, chopping, slicing, grating, mixing, spreading, kneading and choose which ones to use independent ly. Know different food and drinks contain different substances (nutrients, water and fibre) that are needed for health. Use appropriate tools and equipment, weighing and measuring with scales. Plan a	
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									healthy and affordable dish. Cooking Skill: baking.	
T E C H N I C A L K N O W L E D G E	ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS			Not taught in 1.	Not taught in 2.	Not taught in 3.	Use a number of components in a simple circuit to light a product. Program a computer to control product	Not taught in 5.	Use a number of components in a circuit to create sound in a product. Creating a more complex circuit. Think of ways in which adding a circuit would improve product. Program a computer to monitor changes in environment and control product	Understand and use electrical systems in their products [for example, series circuits