Design Technology Curriculum Map



	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
Nursery	Malleable Materials	Food Technology	Textiles
	Create a decoration	Taste food from different cultures, select an item for	Explore the textures of materials
	Use tools to create a shape and communicate how they	their product and communicate what they like about	Weave on a large scale
	used their tool	different foods	—
Reception	Malleable Materials	Food Technology	Textiles
	Select a malleable material to make a product and talk	Describe different textures and tastes and select an	Weave with recycled materials and talk about what
	about what they liked about their product.	item and make a product	they liked and disliked about their product and why
	Mechanisms	Structures	Food Technology
Year 1	Create moving models using levers and sliders	Create a free standing structure to meet a brief	Use a knife to prepare fruit and veg
	Mechanisms	Textiles	Food Technology
Year 2	Select and use a range of tools and equipment to perform	Select and use a range of materials to create a	Select and use wide range of ingredients and explain
	practical tasks	product using the running stitch	flavours/ health benefits
	Textiles	Structures	Food Technology
Year 3	Use two different types of stitching to create functional	CAD to create a design based on criteria	CAD to create food packaging
	product	Use a range of construction materials to form	Prepare and cook a product from own design (fruit
		standing structure	crumble/ veg tart)
	Mechanisms	Electricity	Food Technology
Year 4	Select and use a range of materials/ tools to perform	CAD to design product	CAD to create food packaging
	practical tasks accurately	Select and use a range of materials/ tools to	Prepare and cook from own design (choc bars/
	Understand the use of mechanical systems in product	perform practical tasks accurately	biscuits/ flapjacks)
	Textiles	Structures	Food Technology
Year 5	CAD to design project and consider main shapes required	Design structure considering tension and	Compare two adapted recipes and identify/
	Use variety of stitches to join two pieces of fabric and add	compression	understand healthier option
	embellishments using a needle and thread	Measure and cut materials accurately and safely	CAD to create appealing packaging
			Write and follow step by step plan to make healthy
			meal
	Mechanisms	Electricity	Food Technology
Year 6	CAD to create mechanical product	CAD to create electrical product	CAD to create labelling and packaging
	Measure, mark and check the pieces required to make	Create working circuit and explore adding different	Undertake market research survey to support design
	product accurately	components	Design based on survey data
	Include working mechanism and explain how it works	Explain function of electromagnetic motors	Prepare a meal following recipe
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