Design & Technology Progression of Skills and Knowledge

Key to understanding this document: Black = National Curriculum objectives Red = Skills to be taught Blue = Knowledge Green = Resources to be used

	EYFS Links	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Design	Constructs with a purpose in mind using a variety of materials	Year 1 Consider the purpose of the product and what it will have to do to be a 'good' one Use a range of practical activities to generate, develop, model, and communicate their ideas (based on their own experiences) through talking, drawing and mock-ups. Use ICT where appropriate to generate, develop, and communicate ideas Use 2Animate to design a background and character for the levers and sliders unit.	Year 2Identify the intendeduser and use and whatthey would need theproduct to be like.Communicate theirideas through talkingand throughincreasingly accuratedrawing (withappropriate labels)showing anunderstanding betweendrawings for art anddesign diagramUse ICT whereappropriate togenerate, develop, andcommunicate ideas.Use Paint to designbags.Choose fabrics andembellishmentsaccording to their	Year 3Gather information about the intended user to inform the design criteria – self, historical figure, imaginary figureDescribe how the product is fit for purpose. Indicate the design features of their product that will appeal to the intended user.Develop and use pattern pieces to develop the product and enable accurate manufacture.Explain how particular parts of their product will function.	Year 4 Develop and use own design criteria Generate realistic ideas Develop and use a prototype to explore the functionality of the design. Use computer aided design to develop ideas.	Year 5 Gather information including web-based sources to inform own design criteria Begin to use cross- sectional diagrams and exploded diagrams.	Year 6 Develop accurate design criteria / specification based on a range of research into existing products and intended users. Work in a range of relevant contexts: Enterprise, industry, home Enterprise Week: questionnaires, costings, sustainability Independently use cross-sectional diagrams and exploded diagrams.
Make	Uses simple tools and techniques competently and appropriately. Selects appropriate resources and adapts where necessary.	 Follow procedures for safety and hygiene. Measure, mark out, cut and shape paper and card components: ruler, pencil, saw, scissors Assemble, join and combine materials and components: blutac, a 	 characteristics Suggest procedures for safety and hygiene. Use Running stitch / glue to join two fabrics. thread, split pins, PVA glue, paperclips, sticky tape 	 Pupils should: Begin to order the main stages of making. Highlight and follow procedures for safety and hygiene. Measure, mark out, cut and shape fabric and components with some accuracy: ruler, scissors, 	Pupils should: Independently order the main stages of making. •Measure, mark out, cut and shape resistant materials and components with more accuracy. •Assemble, join and combine materials and	 *Begin to formulate simple step by step plans as a guide to making. Assemble, join and combine materials and components accurately cut (using craft knife / saw / drill) Use a wider range of materials and 	Pupils should: List tools, equipment and materials needed. Independently formulate detailed step by step plans as a guide to making. • Measure, mark out, cut and shape materials and components accurately

	gluestick, masking tape sticky tape, Select from and use a wide range of materials and components: cardboard, cotton wheels, wood, including construction materials and kits (LEGO) according to their characteristics.		 pencil, chalk, needle, pins Join fabric with increased accuracy and independence – smaller more neat & careful stiches. 	components with some accuracy.	 components including construction materials and kits, and mechanical components (K'nex) Use a wider range of finishing techniques accurately – sanding, rendering 	 Combine the use of a range of materials and electrical components. Demonstrate resourcefulness when tackling practical problems.
Evaluate	What products are and what they are for. Who products are for and how they are used Identify basic materials What they like and dislike about products.	products are made	How well do they achieve their <i>purpose</i> and meet the user's needs and wants? Compare products and discuss why one is more successful than another. How have key events and individuals helped shape the world? Focus: Archimedes What was the impact of pulleys?	Why materials have been chosen and why what properties do they have? What are the views and evaluations of others? How can I use these to improve my work? Focus: Robert William Thomson of Scotland; the inventor of the pneumatic tyre. What was the impact of the pneumatic tyre?	Evaluate the functionality and aesthetics of a product – are they equally successful? How well have the products meet the design brief? Focus: Eduardo San Juan the designer of the Lunar Rover. What was the impact of the Lunar Rover design and what did it mean for the world?	How well have the products been designed and made? How well does the product meet the design spec? What improvements could be suggested? How have key events and individuals helped shape the world? Focus: Samuel Morse the inventor of the telegraph. What was the impact of the telegraph?
Technical Knowledge	MATERIALS: To build structures, exploring how they car be made stronger, stiffer and more stable	sliders and, in their	MECHANISMS: Understand and use wheels, axels and pulley systems in their products. That mechanical systems have an input, process and output and create movement	MECHANISMS: How pneumatic systems create movement. ANIMAL MATERIALS: To understand and use simple electrical systems in their products e.g. series circuits incorporating switches, bulbs, buzzers and motors.	MECAHNISMS: Understand how cams, gears create movement and use them in their products. Apply their understanding of how to strengthen and stiffen more complex structures. (Use cams/gears board) TOY/LUNAR BUGGY	MATERIALS & ELECTRICAL / CONTROL: Understand and use more complex electrical systems in their products e.g. series circuits incorporating switches, bulbs, buzzers and motors. MORSE CODE MACHINE

Cooking	Eats a healthy range of	•That all food comes	•That food must be	At least three different types of stitches used to combine fabrics and what the functions are of each.	LIGHT •Identify where	ELECTRICAL / CONTROL: To apply their understanding of computing to program, monitor and control their products. K'nex Challenge •To understand the	
and Nutrition	foodstuffs and understands need for variety in food. Shows some understanding that good practices with regard to exercise, eating, sleeping and hygiene can contribute to good health. Understand that equipment and tools have to be used safely	 from plants or animals. Pupils should be taught that everyone should eat five portions of fruit and veg a day. Pupils should be taught to safely and hygienically prepare a sandwich which includes something from each of the 5 food groups. Pupils should be taught how to use the techniques of cutting & spreading 	 farmed, grown or caught. Pupils should be taught how to name and sort food into the five groups on the eat well plate. Pupils should be taught how to use the techniques peeling and grating to make wraps or a layered springtime salad in a jar_Select from and use a wide range of ingredients according to their characteristics. 	 cook a savoury dish safely and hygienically using a heat source and boiling to make soup. To understand seasonality. How to use the techniques of peeling and chopping. 	 different types of food are grown, reared and caught. (using a world map) To use food packaging to find out where the food they eat comes from. That a recipe can be adapted by adding or substituting one or more ingredients. How to prepare and cook a savoury dish safely and hygienically using a heat source and baking to make pizza. How to use the techniques slicing and grating 	 principles of organic farming. To understand what Fairtrade is. How food is processed and preserved into ingredients that can be eaten or used in cooking. To know that people may have allergies/intolerances and what the alternatives are. How to prepare and cook a savoury dish safely and hygienically using a heat source and melting, kneading and baking to make bread. 	
Key Vocabulary		fruit and vegetable names, names of equipment and utensils, cutting, healthy diet, ingredients. Materials Purpose Product structure, wall, framework, weak, strong, base, top,	flesh, skin, seed, pip, core, peeling, grating, user diagram cut, fold, join, fix	name of products, names of equipment, utensils, texture, taste, sweet, sour, hot, spicy, appearance, smell, preference, greasy, moist, cook, fresh, savoury, hygienic, healthy/varied diet purpose, pulley, wheel, axel, input, output, mechanism, lever,	appearance, smell, fresh, savoury, hygienic, edible, reared, caught, seasonal, harvested healthy/varied diet. Function Prototype Computer aided design	ingredients, yeast, dough, flour, wholemeal, spice, herbs, fat, sugar, carbohydrate, protein, vitamins, nutrients, nutrition, healthy, varied, gluten, combine, fold, knead, stir, pour, shape, frozen, dried, tinned, allergy, intolerance, savoury, source, seasonality, organic, pesticides, fibre	Exploded diagram seam, seam allowance, wadding, reinforce, right side, wrong side, hem, template, pattern pieces, name of textiles and fastenings used, pins, needles, thread, pinking shears, fastenings, reed switch, toggle switch, push-to-make

underneath, side, edge,	linkage, pivot, slot, input,			switch, push-to-break
surface, thinner, thicker,	process, output linear,		functionality	switch, light light
corner, point, straight,	rotary, oscillating,		aesthetics	emitting diode (LED),
curved,	reciprocating		cross sectional diagram	bulb, bulb holder,
				battery, battery holder,
	design criteria		pulley, drive belt, gear,	USB cable, wire,
	pattern piece		rotation, spindle, driver,	insulator, conductor,
			follower, ratio,	crocodile clip control,
				program, system, input
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