

Design and Technology Curriculum Overview

		Autumn		Spring		Summer	
	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6	
Reception	Joining materialsDesigning, making and e	Throughout the Reception year, children will use creative, junk modelling and construction areas to develop skills such as: Joining materials Designing, making and evaluating products Build using a range of construction materials					
		Fruit kebabs		Constructing houses and homes	Moving parts		
Year 1		Textiles Puppets and toys Ruth Handler	Construction Constructing landmarks Julia Barfield and David Marks, Zaha Hadid, Christopher Wren, William the Conqueror		Mechanics Sliders and levers		
Year 2	Construction Bridges		Cooking and Nutrition Healthy eating		Mechanics Wheels and axels Early civilisation inventors, the Wright brothers		
Year 3		Textiles 2D to 3D design George DeMestral		Structures Shell structures Hans Rausing	Mechanics Levels and linkages		
Year 4	Food Seasonal food		Electronics Simple circuits and switches		Construction Frame structures Celtic designers		
Year 5		Mechanics Pullies and gears Rube Goldberg		Structures Portable structures	Textiles Combining different shapes Christian Dior		
Year 6		Electronics Complex switches and circuits		Cooking and Nutrition International cuisine		Materials / Textiles / electronics Recycled products Yinka Illori, Edelplast	

Empathy Honesty Respect Responsibility