

Design and Technology Curriculum Overview

	Early Years	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Mechanical Systems		Rescue Vehicle Autumn 1 To the Rescue	Moving Character Autumn 2 Animal Magic		Pop-up Book Autumn 1 Firework Maker's Daughter		Electric Car Spring 1 Because There's No PLANet B
Electrical Systems					Torch Summer 2 Unique Me		Electric Car Spring 2 Because There's No PLANet B
Structures	Roofs Spring 2 Run, Run as Fast as You Can		Table Tidy Spring 1 Sparks will Fly	Sandwich Box Summer 2 Fuel for School		Bird House Autumn 1 Kensuke's Kingdom	
Textiles	Link & Lace Autumn 1 Continuous Provision	Finger Puppet Spring 1 Julia Donaldson		Purse Spring 2 Ruthless Romans		Beanbag Toy Spring 1 Tomb Raiders	
Cooking & Nutrition	Biscuit Spring 2 Run, Run as Fast as You Can	Fruit Smoothie Summer 1 Sunny Southbourne	Fruit Salad Summer 2 Fit for Life	Sandwich Summer 2 Fuel for School	Soup Spring 2 Invaders & Settlers	Pizza Summer 2 Kick	Savoury Scones Autumn 2 Pig Heart Boy

EY Structures	Curriculum Content	Knowledge/Skills	Vocabulary
Roofs			
		1. Product, User, Purpose	product,
	 Safely use and explore a 	To make a roof for the little pigs' house which cannot be blown down.	user,
	variety of materials, tools	Investigative & Evaluative Activities	purpose,
	and techniques,	Prior to this project, children should have frequent opportunities to play with and explore a range	house
	experimenting with colour	of large and small construction kits that use different forms of joining e.g. magnetic, slot-together,	roof
	and design.	scacking etc. They should also frequency explore materials that can be used to make timigs, such	freestanding,
		Read The Three Little Pigs introducing relevant vocabulary (house roof straw sticks bricks) and	stable,
	Share their creations,	emphasise: user (nigs) and nurnose (stable structure)	strong,
	explaining the process they	Explore roofs around school, e.g., dolls house, school building, studio, gazebo, shed	structure,
	nave used.	Ask questions such as: What is the purpose of the roof? What materials have been used? Why have	assemble,
		these been chosen? Is the roof strong enough?	cut,
		Use the correct technical vocabulary, e.g. roof, metal, wood, plastic, concrete, slate, clay, straw.	join,
			fold,
		2. Focused Tasks	ПХ ,
		Using construction kits, ask children to explore making freestanding structures such as towers,	materials.
		walls, frameworks and shell structures, thinking about how to stop them from falling over and how	card,
		to make them stronger.	plastic,
		Demonstrate cutting (scissors), joining (glue, adhesive tape) and finishing techniques (painting)	wood,
		with a range of tools and materials that they are likely to use to make their roots. Discuss the	metal,
		suitability of materials for their products.	slate clay
		3 Design	straw,
		Ask the children to say what they are making (roof) who it is for (nig) and what it needs to do (not	
		blow over). Ask them to think about the appearance and finish of their roof.	scissors,
		They should physically arrange their materials and components and say what they are doing and	cut,
Resources		have done. (Designing in EYFS is typically intuitive i.e. children design as they make.)	Join, due
(See DT folder)			adhesive
		4. Make	tape,
DATA: EY		Children make their roofs, selecting tools and materials from an appropriate range.	finish,
Structures: Chairs			paint
for 3 Bears		5. Evaluate	
		Children say whether they think their roof is strong enough.	
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EY Cooking & Knowledge/Skills Curriculum Content Vocabulary Nutrition **Gingerbread Biscuit** product, 1. Product, User, Purpose Safely use and explore a To make a gingerbread biscuit for themselves to eat at a Fantastic Finale party. user, variety of materials, tools purpose, **Investigative & Evaluative Activities** and techniques. Read The Gingerbread Man. Talk about different biscuits they have eaten. Look at and name the experimenting with colour The Eatwell ingredients and utensils using the correct technical vocabulary, e.g. biscuit, flour, butter, sugar, eggs, and design. Guide, ginger, baking powder. healthy diet, Share their creations, ingredients, 2. Focused Tasks explaining the process biscuit. Introduce basic food hygiene practices (tying up hair, washing hands, wearing apron) and the they have used. flour, importance of following instructions to control risk. butter, Use The Eatwell Guide to identify the different ingredients and the importance of eating different sugar, types of food. (Link to PSHE). Explain that sugary snacks should only be eaten occasionally and eggs, discuss healthier choices. ginger, Demonstrate mixing (mixing bowl and wooden spoon), cutting (rolling pin and biscuit cutter), and baking finishing techniques (decorating with raisins etc.) with a range of utensils and ingredients that they powder, will be using. dough, Resources 3. Design (See DT folder) hygiene, Ask the children to say what they are making (gingerbread biscuit), who it is for (themselves) and its wooden purpose (to be appealing enough to eat). Ask them to think about how to decorate the biscuit so it is DATA: Y1/2 spoon, appealing. During the making stage, children should say what they are doing and have done. Preparing fruit and mixing bowl, (Designing in EYFS is typically intuitive i.e. children design as they make.) vegetables rolling pin, biscuit 4. Make cutter, Children make their dough and decorate their biscuit with adult help. They select appropriate Curriculum Links appealing, utensils and ingredients. oven, PSHE: Being My bake 5. Evaluate Best – Healthy Children say whether they think their biscuit is appealing and whether they enjoy the taste. Eating

Y1 Mechanisms	Curriculum Content	Knowledge/Skills	Vocabulary
Emergency Vehicle			
	Design	1. Product, User, Purpose	product,
Prior Learning	 design purposeful, functional, 	To design, make and evaluate an emergency vehicle (with wheels and axles) for Y1 children	user,
EY Structures: Roof	appealing products for	to use during their Fantastic Finale.	purpose,
for The Three Little	themselves and other users	Investigative & Evaluative Activities	appotated
Pigs' House	based on design criteria;	Explore and evaluate a range of wheeled products such as toys and everyday objects.	drawing
	 generate, develop, model and 	Through questioning, direct children's observations e.g., the number, size, position and	evaluate.
	communicate their ideas	methods of fixing wheels and axles: How do you think the wheels move? How do you think	,
	through talking, drawing,	the wheels are fixed on? Why do you think the product has this number of wheels? Why do	assemble,
	templates, mock-ups and,	you think the wheels are round? Walk around school, looking at how wheels and axles are	cut,
	where appropriate, information	used in daily life. Read a story or non-fiction book to introduce relevant vocabulary and to	join,
	and communication	emphasise user and purpose. Display an example of a wheeled product, stating the user and	shape,
	technology;	purpose, and labelling the main parts e.g., body, chassis, wheels, axles and axle holders.	tinisn,
	Make	2. FOCUSED TASKS	mechanism
	 select from and use a range of 	Using construction kits with wheels and axles, ask children to make a product that moves.	moving.
	tools and equipment to	Demonstrate how wheels and axles may be assembled as either fixed axles or free axles.	vehicle,
	perform practical tasks (e.g.,	Show different ways of making axie holders and stress the importance of making sure the	wheel,
	cutting, shaping, joining and	axies run freely within the holders. Ensure that children are taught now to mark out, hold,	fixed axel,
	finishing);	cut and join materials and components correctly. Using samples of materials and	free axel,
Resources	 select from and use a wide 	components they will use when designing and making, ask the children to assemble some	axle holder,
(See DT folder)	range of materials and	examples of wheel, axie, axie holder combinations.	chassis,
	components, including	3. Design	bouy,
DATA: Y1/2	construction materials,	Discuss the purpose and user of the emergency vehicle and develop class design criteria to	cab,
Mechanisms -	according to their	Ask the shildren to generate a range of ideas Develop their ideas through talk	materials,
Wheels and axles	characteristics;	Ask the children to generate a range of ideas. Develop their ideas through talk.	paper,
	Evaluate	A Make	card,
	 explore and evaluate a range of 	4. Wake	plastic,
	existing products;	Discuss the stages in making, including now to add infishing techniques. (They could use ICT:	wood
	 evaluate their ideas and 	cup and, word processing, paint or simple drawing programs.) Make the vehicles using their	
	products against design criteria;	Lesign lueas. Evaluate against the class design criteria during the making process.	
Curriculum Links	Technical knowledge	5. Evaluate	
	 explore and use mechanisms 	their design criteria, including any changes they made	
Computing:	(wheels and axles), in their		
Drawing package	products.		

Y1 Textiles	Curriculum Content	Knowledge/Skills	Vocabulary
Finger Puppet			
Resources (See DT folder) DATA: Y1/2 Textiles – Templates and joining techniques Curriculum Links Computing: Drawing package	 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 (e.g., cutting, shaping, joining and finishing); select from and use a wide range of materials and components, including textiles, according to their characteristics; Evaluate explore and evaluate a range of existing products; evaluate their ideas and products against design criteria. 	 1. Product, User, Purpose To design, make and evaluate a finger puppet for Y1 children to use during storytelling. Investigate and evaluate existing puppets. Explore and compare, identifying the user, purpose, fabrics, fastenings, joining techniques and finishing techniques. Question to develop children's understanding: How many parts is it made from? What is it joined with? How is it finished? Why do you think these joining techniques have been chosen? How is it fastened? Who might use it and why? 2. Focused Tasks Investigate different fabrics to determine which is best for making a finger puppet. Demonstrate the use of a template or simple paper pattern. Children make their own. Demonstrate the correct use of appropriate tools to mark out, tape the template to the fabric and cut out the relevant fabric pieces for the product. Demonstrate appropriate examples of joining techniques for children to practise in guided groups: running and over stitch (including threading own needle), stapling, lacing and gluing. Talk about the advantages and disadvantages of each technique. Demonstrate examples of finishing techniques for children to generate a range of ideas e.g. What parts will the product need to have and what will it be made from? What size will by the y-How will it be joined and finished? Develop their ideas through talk. Communicate one idea in an annotated drawing and mock-up. ICT could be used for symmetry and pattern ideas. A. Make Discuss the stages in making. Make the finger puppets using their design ideas. Evaluate against the class design criteria during the making process. S. Evaluate Complete an evaluation of the finger puppets using their design ideas. Evaluate against the class design criteria during the making process. S. Evaluate 	product, user, purpose, design criteria, annotated drawing, mock-up, evaluate, fabric, join, template, needle, thread, sew, running stitch, over stitch

Y1 Cooking &	Curriculum Content	Knowledge/Skills	Vocabulary
Nutrition			
Fruit smoothie			
	Design	1. Product, User, Purpose	product,
Prior Learning	 design purposeful, 	To design, make and evaluate a fruit smoothie for Y1 children to drink at Sports Day.	user,
EY Cooking &	functional, appealing	Investigative & Evaluative Activities	purpose,
Nutrition:	products for	Examine a range of fruit. Discuss answers to questions such as: What is this called? Who has eaten	design
Gingerbread Man	themselves and other	this fruit before? Where is it grown? When can it be harvested? What are its taste, smell, texture and	criteria,
Biscuit	users based on design	appearance? What will it look like if we peel it or cut it in half? What are the different parts called?	drawing
	criteria;	(Link to Science: Structure of flowering plants). Smell and taste fruit in order to describe them through	evaluate.
	• generate, develop,	talking and drawing. e.g., What words can we use to describe the shape, colour, feel, taste? (Link to	010101010)
Resources	model and	Science: Senses). Evaluate existing products (e.g., Innocent Smoothies) to determine what the	fruit.
(See DT folder)	communicate their	children like best; provide opportunities for the children to investigate preferences of their intended	senses taste.
	ideas through talking,	users/suitability for intended purposes e.g. What do you prefer and why? What might we want to	smell.
DATA: Y1/2	drawing;	include in our product to meet our user's preferences? Which fruit/vegetables might be the best for	texture.
Preparing fruit and	Make	our product to match the occasion/purpose?	appearance.
vegetables	• select from and use a	2. Focused Tasks	soft, hard.
-	range of tools and	Introduce basic food hygiene practices (tying up hair, washing hands, wearing apron) and the	sticky, jujcy.
Y1 Fantastic Fruit	equipment to perform	importance of following instructions to control risk. Demonstrate how to use a sharp knife and	crunchy.
Ppt	practical:	chopping board safely. (They can use a fork to hold the fruit to avoid cutting their fingers.) Children	smooth.
	• select from and use a	practise washing, peeling (without a peeler – e.g., bananas) and slicing fruit, e.g. Do we eat the whole	sweet, sour
Food Technical	wide range of	fruit? Why or why not? Which parts do we eat? What might we have to do before eating this? Why do	sticky, sharp
Vocabulary Cards	ingredients, according	we cut, peel and slice in this way? Use The Eatwell Guide to talk about the importance of fruit and	crisp.
	to their characteristics:	vegetables in a balanced diet: Why is it good to eat fruit and vegetables? How many pieces of	000)
	Evaluate	fruit/vegetables do you eat per day? Why is it important to wash fruit/vegetables before we eat them?	hygiene
	• explore and evaluate a	(Link to PSHE).	utensil.
Curriculum Links	range of existing	3. Design	knife.
	products:	Discuss the purpose and user of the smoothie and develop class design criteria to guide its	chopping
Science:	• evaluate their ideas and	development and evaluation. Ask the children to generate a range of ideas. Develop their ideas	board.
Human Body –	products against design	through talk: What will you need? What fruit/vegetable will you need? How much will you need? How	blender, jug
Senses	criteria:	will you present the product? Communicate one idea in an annotated drawing.	slice, peel
Flowering Plants –	Cooking and nutrition	4. Make	o
structure	• use the basic principles	Discuss the main stages in making a smoothie including the utensils and ingredients needed and the	The Eatwell
	of a healthy and varied	food preparation skills learned. Make the smoothie, choosing the utensils and ingredients. Ensure an	Guide,
PSHE: Being My	diet to prepare dishes	adult supervises the blender.	healthy diet,
Best – I can eat a	• understand where food	5. Evaluate	vegetables,
rainbow & Eatwell	comes from	Complete an evaluation of their finished smoothie, communicating how it meets the intended	ingredients
		purpose and how it matches their design criteria. include any changes they made.	

Y2 Structures	Curriculum Content	Knowledge/Skills	Vocabulary
Table Tidy			
Prior LearningY1 Mechanisms:Emergency VehicleEY Structures: Rooffor The Three LittlePigs' House	 Design design purposeful, functional, appealing products for themselves and other users based on design criteria; generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through talking, 	 1. Product, User, Purpose To design, make and evaluate a container for themselves to use to support a book and contain pencils. Investigative & Evaluative Activities Explore structures around school, e.g., studio, gazebo, play trail, picnic tables and benches, directing children's observations through questioning: What are the structures called? What is their purpose? Who uses them? What materials have been used? Why have these been chosen? How have the parts been joined together? How have the structures been made strong enough? How have they been made stable? Draw and label one using the correct technical vocabulary, e.g. 	product, user, purpose, design criteria, annotated drawing, mock-up, plan, evaluate,
Resources (See DT folder)	 drawing, mock-ups and ICT; Make select from and use a range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks (e.g., cutting, shaping, joining and finishing); select from and use a wide range of materials and components, including construction materials, according to their 	 Wall, framework, base, joint, metal, wood, plastic, brick, triangle, square, rectangle, cuboid, cube. 2. Focused Tasks Using construction kits, ask the children to make a freestanding structure thinking about: <i>How can you stop your structures from falling over? How they can be made stronger and stiffer in order to carry a load?</i> Demonstrate measuring, marking out, cutting, shaping, joining and finishing techniques with a range of tools and materials that they are likely to use to make their structures. Discuss the suitability of materials for their products according to their characteristics. Ask children to fold paper or card in different ways to make freestanding structures, using masking tape where necessary to make joins. Encourage them to think about how folding materials can make them stronger, stiffer, stand up and be more stable e.g. <i>Can they support an object on top of their structures without it falling over or breaking?</i> 3. Decign 	freestanding structure, framework, edge, surface, straight, curved, square, rectangle, cube, cuboid,
DATA: Y1/2 Structures: Freestanding structures Curriculum Links	 characteristics; Evaluate explore and evaluate a range of existing products; evaluate their ideas and products against design criteria; Technical knowledge build structures, exploring 	 Ensure the children understand what freestanding structure they will be designing, the user and its purpose: Who will your product be for? What will be its purpose? What materials will you use? How will you make it strong and stable? Agree on class design criteria to guide the development and evaluation of the product, e.g. the structure should stand up on its own, it should be large and strong enough to place a toy character inside. Communicate one idea in an annotated drawing and make a mock-up using construction kits or other materials. 4. Make As a whole class, plan the order in which the structures will be made. Children could make their final products from construction kits, new and reclaimed materials or any combination of these, 	cut, join, fold, fix, materials, card, plastic, wood, metal,
Science: Uses of materials	now they can be made stronger, stiffer and more stable.	according to their characteristics. Evaluate their developing ideas against original design criteria. 5. Evaluate Complete an evaluation of their finished structure, evaluating it against the class design criteria.	PVA glue

Pop up Owl Design 1. Product, User, Purpose pro- Prior Learning • design purposeful, To design, make and evaluate a pop-up character for Y2 children to use during their Fantastic user	product, user, ourpose,
Design1. Product, User, PurposeproPrior Learning• design purposeful,To design, make and evaluate a pop-up character for Y2 children to use during their Fantasticuser	product, user, purpose,
Y1 Mechanisms: functional, appealing products for themselves and primestigative & Evaluative Activities generate, develop, model and criteria; creclop voccoblady: levory ocid differeis understanding: Whot erite	design criteria, annotated drawing, mock-up, plan, evaluate, assemble, cut, join, shape, finish, materials, paper, card, masking tape, paper fastener, split pin, mechanism, slider, lever, pivot point, slot, bridge, guide

Y2 Cooking &	Curriculum Content	Knowledge/Skills	Vocabulary
Nutrition: Fruit salad			
	Design	1. Product, User, Purpose	product,
Prior Learning	 design purposeful, 	To design, make and evaluate a fruit salad for Y2 children to eat on a class picnic.	user,
Y1 Cooking &	functional, appealing	Investigative & Evaluative Activities	purpose,
Nutrition: Fruit	products for themselves and	Examine a wider range of fruit and vegetables than in Y1. (See Y1's questions).	critoria
smoothie	other users based on design	Smell and taste fruit and vegetables in order to describe them through talking and drawing.	annotated
	criteria;	(See Y1's questions).	drawing.
	 generate, develop, model 	Evaluate existing products to determine what the children like best; provide opportunities for	plan,
	and communicate their	the children to investigate preferences of their intended users/suitability for intended	evaluate,
	ideas through talking and	purposes. (See Y1's questions).	
Resources	drawing;		fruit,
(See DT folder)	Make	2. Focused Tasks	vegetable,
	 select from and use a range 	Revisit basic food hygiene practices (tying up hair, washing hands, wearing apron) and the	texture,
DATA: Y1/2	of tools and equipment to	importance of following instructions to control risk.	appearance,
Preparing fruit and	perform practical tasks (e.g.,	Demonstrate how to use new utensils safely (peeler, juicer). Children practise skills from Y1	flesh, skin,
vegetables pdf	cutting and finishing);	(washing, slicing) and new skills (grating, peeling, squeezing). (See Y1's questions).	seed, pip,
	 select from and use a wide 	Discuss different effects achieved by different processes.	core,
Y1 Fantastic Fruit Ppt	range of materials and	Use The Eatwell Guide to talk about the importance of fruit and vegetables in a balanced diet:	preference,
	components, including	(See Y1's questions). (Link to PSHE).	hygiene,
Food Technical	ingredients, according to		slice,
Vocabulary Cards	their characteristics;	3. Design	peel,
	Evaluate	Ensure the children understand the product, user and purpose. Agree on class design criteria to	squeeze,
	 explore and evaluate a 	guide the development and evaluation of the product. (See Y1's questions).	utensil,
	range of existing products;	Draw and annotate their ideas for their fruit salad.	knife,
	• evaluate their ideas and		peeler,
Curriculum Links	products against design	4. Make	grater,
	criteria;	Discuss the main stages in making a fruit salad including the utensils and ingredients needed	juicer,
Science: Humans –	Cooking and nutrition	and the food preparation skills learned. Make the fruit salad choosing the utensils and	chopping
Healthy Diet, Food	• use the basic principles of a	ingredients.	board,
Chains	healthy and varied diet to	C. Suchate	The Eatwell
	prepare dishes;	D. Evaluate	Guide,
PSHE: Being My Best	 understand where food 	complete an evaluation of their missieu muit salau, evaluating it against the class design	healthy diet,
– My Body Needs	comes from.		ingredients

Y3 Textiles	Curriculum Content	Knowledge/Skills	Vocabulary
Bag			
Bag Inspirational Designer: Stella McCartney CBE Prior Learning Y1 Textiles: Finger Puppet	 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; generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, prototypes and pattern pieces; Make select from and use a wider range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks (e.g., cutting, shaping, joining and finishing), accurately; select from and use a wider range of materials and components, including textiles, according to their functional properties and aesthetic 	 1. Product, User, Purpose To design, make and evaluate a bag for a (specified relative) to carry a (specified object). Investigative & Evaluative Activities Investigate and evaluate existing bags which have a selection of fastenings, discussing changes since Roman times e.g. the invention of zips and Velcro. Disassemble appropriate products to gain an understanding of 3-D shape, patterns and seam allowances. Question to develop understanding: What is its purpose? Which one is most suited to its purpose? What properties/characteristics does the fabric have? Why has this fabric been chosen? How has the fabric been joined together? How effective are its fastenings? How has it been decorated? Does its decoration have a purpose? What would the 2-D pattern piece look like? What are its measurements? How might you change the product? Research the innovative bags of inspirational designer, Stella McCartney CBE, and her impact on fabrics and products. Girls Shoes & Bags Trainers & Backpacks Stella McCartney Kids UK 2. Focused Tasks Provide a range of fabrics – children to consider whether fabrics are suitable for the chosen purpose and user. Revisit running stitch and overstitch; teach back stitch and cross stitch. Children practise sewing two small pieces of fabric together, demonstrating the use of, and need for, seam allowances. Use questioning to develop understanding e.g. Which joining technique makes the strongest seam? Why? Which stitch is appropriate for the purpose? Which joining technique sa er suitable for the fabric and purpose? How can you stiffen your fabric? What is the purpose of the fastenings? Which one is most suited to the purpose? 	product, user, purpose, design criteria, innovative, annotated sketch, mock-up, plan, evaluate, fabric, thread, running stitch, overstitch, back stitch, cross stitch, fastening, compartment, zip, Velcro, template, paper pattern, seam,
Resources (See DT folder) DATA Textiles: Y1/2 – Templates and joining techniques; Y3/4 – 2d shape to 3d product	 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. 	 <i>user? What decorative techniques have been used? What effect do they have?</i> Learn how to create a paper pattern using 2-D shapes. 3. Design Develop a class design criteria considering the intended user, purpose and appeal of their bag. Communicate their design ideas in annotated sketches and a mock-up. Encourage creative thinking. 4. Make As a class, plan the main stages of making. Make the bag using existing knowledge, skills and understanding from IEAs and FTs; think about the aesthetics and quality of finish. Evaluate the bag against the class design criteria and make improvements. 5. Evaluate Ask their user to test the bag before completing an evaluation, communicating how it matches the design criteria, any changes they made and their user's views. 	allowance

Y3 Cooking &	Curriculum Content	Knowledge/Skills	Vocabulary
Nutrition: Sandwich			
Inspirational Chef: Max Halley	 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 	 1. Product, User, Purpose To design, make and evaluate a sandwich for Y3 children to eat at the Fantastic Finale. Investigative & Evaluative Activities Research the sandwich recipes of inspirational sandwich maker Max 	product, user, purpose, design criteria, annotated,
Prior Learning Y1 Cooking & Nutrition: Fruit smoothie Y2 Cooking & Nutrition: Fruit salad Resources	 generate, develop and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches and exploded diagrams Make select from and use a wider range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks (e.g., cutting, shaping, joining and finishing), accurately select from and use a wider range of ingredients according to their functional properties and 	 Halley <u>Who is the sandwich maker on MasterChef and where is his shop?</u> (realitytitbit.com). Taste and evaluate existing sandwiches and ingredients including different breads. Revisit the principles of a healthy diet focusing on the oil and spreads section of the Eatwell Guide (link to Science & PSHE). Research how ingredients are grown (wheat), reared (ham, eggs) and caught (tuna). 2. Focused Tasks Revisit basic food hygiene and safety practices (tying up hair, washing hands, wearing aprop. following instructions, using equipment safely. 	exploded diagram, plan, evaluate, preferences, The Eatwell Guide, healthy diet, protein, starchy,
(See DT folder) DATA: Y3/4 Healthy and Varied Diet Celebrating culture and seasonality	 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 	 hob, boiling water). Discuss which ingredients could be added to a sandwich. Practise spreading margarine; cutting cucumber or tomatoes using the bridge and claw technique; grating carrots; boiling an egg; and mixing tuna or egg with mayonnaise. 3. Design Develop a class design criteria considering their needs, wants and 	carbohydrates, dairy, oil, spreads, hob, boil, spread,
Curriculum Links Science: Teeth & Nutrition PSHE: Being My Best – Derek Cooks Dinner Computing: Writing	 understand now key events and individuals in design and technology have helped shape the world Cooking and nutrition 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 provide the principle and provide the principle of the prin	 preferences as well as healthy eating. Communicate their design ideas for their sandwich in an annotated exploded diagram. 4. Make Discuss the main stages in making a sandwich including the utensils and ingredients needed. (Link to computing: Writing a recipe.) Make the sandwich choosing the utensils and ingredients needed. Evaluate their sandwich against the class design criteria during the making stage and make improvements. 5. Evaluate Write an evaluation of their finished sandwich, evaluating it against the class design criteria 	technique
a recipe: 1&3	a variety of ingredients are grown, reared, caught and processed.		

Y3 Structures:	Curriculum Content	Knowledge/Skills	Vocabulary
Sandwich Box			
	Design	1. Product, User, Purpose	product, user,
Prior Learning Y2 Structures: House	 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 	Investigative & Evaluative Activities Investigate different shell structures including packaging. Question to develop understanding: What is the purpose of the shell structure – protecting, containing, presenting? What material is it made from? How has it been constructed? Are the materials recyclable or reusable? How has it been stiffened i.e. folded, corrugated, ribbed, laminated? What size/shape/colour is it? What information does it show and	design criteria, innovative, annotated sketch, prototype, evaluate,
Resources (See DT folder)	discussion, annotated sketches, prototypes and computer-aided design; Make	why? How attractive is the design? Disassemble to identify parts of a net including the tabs e.g. How are different faces of the package arranged? How are the tabs used to join the 'free' edges of the net? Evaluate to determine which designs are	shell structure, 2-D, 3-D, edge, face, length_width
DATA: Y3 Shell structures	 select from and use a wider range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks (e.g., cutting, shaping, joining and 	colours/impact of style/logo/size of font: What do you prefer and why? What style of graphics and lettering might we want to include in our product to meet users'	height, marking out,
Y1/2 Structures: Freestanding structures	 finishing), accurately; select from and use a wider range of materials and components, including construction materials, according to their functional properties and aesthetic 	preferences and its intended purpose? Which packaging might be the best for? 2. Focused Tasks Investigate making 3-D shapes from different 2-D nets using construction its or card and masking tape. Learn to score, cut out and assemble pre-drawn nets to construct a simple box. Add a window by cutting out and adding an acetate sheet. Learn to	shaping, tabs, adhesives, joining, assembling,
Curriculum Links Maths: 2-D nets & 3-D shapes	 qualities; Evaluate investigate and analyse a range of existing products 	stiffen and strengthen by folding and shaping, corrugating, ribbing, laminating. Learn to use CAD software to design the net, text and graphics to achieve the desired appearance. 3. Design	stiffen, corrugating, ribbing, laminating, font graphics
Science: Properties of materials	 evaluate their ideas and products against their own design criteria and consider the views of others to improve their work 	 Develop a class design criteria considering their intended user and purpose. Communicate their design ideas in annotated sketches and prototypes. 4. Make 	adhesive tape, masking tape, acetate sheet,
Computing: Writing a recipe: 3&4	 Technical knowledge apply their understanding of how to strengthen, stiffen and reinforce more complex structures 	 As a class, plan the main stages of making, including identifying the tools and skills needed. Make the box focusing on accuracy and using CAD. 5. Evaluate Test the box before completing an evaluation, communicating how it matches the design criteria, any changes they made and their user's views. 	PVA glue

Y4 Electrical	Curriculum Content	Knowledge/Skills	Vocabulary
Systems: Torch			
Resources (See DT folder) DATA: Y4 Electrical Systems: Simple circuits and switches Curriculum Links Science: Electricity	 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 and computer-aided design; Make select from and use a wider range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks (e.g., cutting, shaping, joining and finishing), accurately; select from and use a wider range of materials and components, including construction materials, 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 understand and use electrical systems in their products e.g., series circuits incorporating switches and bulbs. 	 2. Product, User, Purpose To design, make and evaluate a torch for a specified adult to use during Bonfire Night. Investigative & Evaluative Activities Discuss, investigate and, where practical, disassemble different examples of relevant battery-powered products, including those which are commercially available e.g. Where and why they are used? How does the product work? What are its key features and components? How does the switch work? Is the product manually controlled or controlled by a computer? What materials have been usea and why? How is it suited to its intended user and purpose? Investigate using switches (including push-to-make, push-to-break, toggle switch) in circuits. Remind children about the dangers of mains electricity. 2. Focused Tasks In science lessons, make simple series circuits with batteries, switches, lamps and buzzers. Explain how to avoid making short circuits and that switches are input devices and lamps and buzzers are output devices. Make and test a variety of switches from card, corrugated plastic, aluminium foil, paper fasteners and paper clips. 3. Design Develop a class design brief (torch, parents, Bonfire Night). Discuss the purpose of the torch they will be designing and making and who they are for. Ask the children to generate a range of ideas, encouraging realistic responses. Agree on design criteria that can be used to guide the development and evaluation of the torches, including safety features. Children develop, model and communicate their ideas using annotated cross-sectional and exploded diagrams. 4. Make Ask the children to consider the main stages in making and testing before assembling high quality products, drawing on the knowledge, understanding and skills learnt through IEAs and FTs. 5. Evaluate Write an evaluation of their finished product, evaluating it against the class design criteria. 	product, user, purpose, function, design brief, design criteria, innovative, annotated sketch, cross-sectional diagram, exploded diagram, evaluate, series circuit, connection, toggle switch, push-to-make switch, push-to-break switch, cell, battery, battery holder, lamp, bulb, bulb holder, wire, insulator, conductor, crocodile clip, input device, output device

Y4 Mechanical	Curriculum Content	Knowledge/Skills	Vocabulary
Systems: Pop-up			
Book			
Prior Learning Y2 Mechanics: Sliders & Levers	 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 and prototypes; Make select from and use a wider range of tools 	 Product, User, Purpose To design, make and evaluate a moving page for a Y4 rainforest book. Investigative & Evaluative Activities Investigate, analyse and evaluate books and other products which have a range of lever and linkage mechanisms. Through questioning, develop children's understanding: Who might it be for? What is its purpose? What do you think will move? How will you make it move? What part moved and how did it move? How do you think the mechanism works? What materials have been used? How effective do you think it is and why? What else could move? Focused Tasks Demonstrate a range of lever and linkage mechanisms to the children using prepared teaching aids. Use questions to develop children's understanding: Which 	product, user, purpose, design brief, design criteria, annotated sketch, prototype, plan, evaluate, innovative, appealing,
Resources (See DT folder) DATA: Y3/4 Mechanisms: Levers & Linkages DATA: Y1/2 Mechanisms: Sliders and Levers Sliders and Levers	 select from and use a wider range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks (e.g., cutting, shaping, joining and finishing), accurately; select from and use a wider range of materials and components, including construction materials, 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 understand and use mechanical systems in their products (e.g., levers and linkages). 	 card strip is the lever? Which card strip is acting as the linkage? Which part of the system is the input and which part the output? What does the type of movement remind you of? Which are the fixed pivots and which are the loose pivots? Demonstrate the correct and accurate use of measuring, marking out, cutting, joining and finishing skills and techniques. Children should develop their knowledge and skills by replicating one or more of the teaching aids using paper. 3. Design Develop a design brief with the children within a context which is authentic and meaningful. Discuss the purpose of the products they will be designing and making and who the products will be for. Ask the children to generate a range of ideas, encouraging creative responses. Agree on a class design criteria that can be used to guide the development and evaluation of the children's products. Using annotated sketches and prototypes, ask the children to develop, model and communicate their ideas. 4. Make Ask the children to consider the main stages in making before assembling high quality products, drawing on the knowledge, understanding and skills learnt through IEAs and FTs. 5. Evaluate Write an evaluation of their finished product, evaluating it against the class design criteria. 	assemble, masking tape, paper fastener, split pin, mechanism, slider, lever, linkage, fixed pivot, loose pivot, slot, bridge or guide, system, input, process, output

Y5 Structures:	Curriculum Content	Knowledge/Skills	Vocabulary
Bird House			
Inspirational Designer: Zaha Hadid Prior Learning Y3 Structures: Sandwich box	 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 and computer-aided 	 1. Product, User, Purpose To design, make and evaluate a bird house for birds to use during the breeding season. Investigative & Evaluative Activities Investigate and make annotated sketches of a range of portable and permanent frame structures around school, e.g., gazebo, bike shelter, picnic table, benches (see Structures ppt). Research the work of inspirational architect Zaha Hadid including the Arts University Bournemouth building. 	product, user, purpose, design specification, annotated sketch, prototype, step-by-step plan, evaluation.
Resources (See DT folder)	 design Make select from and use a wider range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks (e.g., cutting, shaping, joining and finishing), 	2. Focused Tasks Strengthen structures by triangulation using card strips and split pins. Join wood using PVA glue and cardboard triangles. Mark and cut square section soft wood safely using a tri-square, junior hacksaw, bench hook (jig), vice and g- clamp.	innovative, aesthetics, CAD (computer- aided design),
PowerPoint; Y5 Worksheets: To evaluate existing structures, To develop a design spec, To evaluate my product against my design spec, To read and spell DT	 accurately select from and use a wider range of materials and components, including construction materials, 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 	 3. Design Conduct own research (survey, questionnaires, interviews, online research) to ascertain the needs, wants and preferences of their target bird and the school community. Develop their own design specification. Make an annotated 3d sketch and prototype (using cheap materials, e.g., card, paper, glue stick) of their product. 4. Make Write a step-by-step plan including a list of tools and materials. Choose 	frame structure, architect, triangulation, PVA glue, square section wood, soft wood (pine), balsa wood, tri-square, iunior
vocabulary; DATA: Y5 Frame structures Curriculum Links Computing - CAD	 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 	 appropriate tools to accurately measure, mark, cut and join materials. Use computer software to design aesthetically pleasing graphics for cladding. Evaluate their product against their design specification during the making stage and make improvements. 5. Evaluate Evaluate their final product against their design specification considering the questions on the worksheet. 	junior hacksaw, bench hook (jig), vice, G-clamp

Y5 Textiles	Curriculum Content	Knowledge/Skills	Vocabulary
Beanbag Toy			
Inspirational Designer: Philip Treacy OBE (hat designer)	 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 	 1. Product, User, Purpose To design, make and evaluate a beanbag fiddle toy for a younger child to use during lessons. Investigative & Evaluative Activities Investigate and evaluate a range of existing beanbag toys which have been produced by combining fabric shapes. Analyse how existing products have been constructed by disassembling a product and evaluating what the fabric shapes look like, how the parts have been joined, how the product has been strengthen and stiffened, what fastenings have been used and why.	product, user, purpose, design specification, annotated sketch, perspective, mock-up, step-by-step plan,
Prior Learning Y3 Textiles: Bag	discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes, pattern pieces and computer-aided design; Make	Investigate properties of textiles, e.g., exploring insulating properties, water resistance, wear and strength of textiles. Research the innovative work of inspirational Irish hat designer, Philip Treacy OBE, and his impact on fabrics and products. 2. Focused Tasks Revisit: running stitch, overstitch and backstitch and teach blanket stitch. Develop skills of sewing textiles by joining right side together and making seams. Children	evaluation, innovative, aesthetics, CAD (computer- aided design),
Resources (See DT folder) DATA Textiles: Y1/2 – Templates and joining techniques; Y3/4 – 2d shape to 3d product; Y5/6 – Combining different fabric shapes & Using CAD in textiles	 select from and use a wider range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks (cutting, shaping, joining and finishing), accurately; select from and use a wider range of materials and components, including textiles, 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. 	Revisit: running stitch, overstitch and backstitch and teach blanket stitch. Develop skills of sewing textiles by joining right side together and making seams. Children should investigate how to sew and shape curved edges by snipping seams, how to tack or attach wadding or stiffening and learn how to start and finish off a row of stitches. Develo skills of 2-D paper pattern making using grid or tracing paper to create a 3-D dipryl mock- up of a chosen product. Remind/teach how to pin a pattern onto fabric ensuring limited wastage, how to leave a seam allowance and different cutting techniques. Develop skills of CAD by using on-line pattern making software to generate pattern pieces. 3. Design Conduct own research (survey, interviews, online research) to ascertain the needs, wants and preferences of their target user. Write own design specification. Draw annotated sketches from different perspectives (and/or CAD) indicating design decisions, methods of strengthening, fabrics and stiches and make a mock-up. Make Write a step-by-step plan including tools, fabrics and components. Make a high-quality toy applying knowledge, understanding and skills from IEAs and FTs and using a range of decorating techniques to ensure a well-finished final product that matches the intended user and purpose. Evaluate their product against their design specification during the making stage and make improvements. 5. Evaluate Evaluate their final product against their design specification	blanket stitch, seam allowance, wadding, reinforce, right / wrong side, hem, pattern pieces

Y5 Cooking &	Curriculum Content	Knowledge/Skills	Vocabulary
Nutrition: Pizza			
Inspirational Chef: Jamie Oliver	 Design use research and develop design criteria to inform the design of innovative, functional, appealing products that are fit for purpose 	 Product, User, Purpose To design, make and evaluate a pizza slice for Y5 children to eat during the Fantastic Finale. Investigative & Evaluative Activities 	product, user, purpose, design specification,
Prior Learning Y4 Cooking & Nutrition: Soup Resources	 appealing products that are not purpose, aimed at particular individuals or groups generate, develop and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches and exploded diagrams and computer-aided design 	Revisit the principles of a healthy diet focusing on the proteins section of the Eatwell Guide (link to science: digestion –saliva breaks down starch; hydrochloric acid digests protein). Learn about seasonality and research locally produced ingredients (sustainability) and how they are grown (tomatoes, herbs), reared (ham), caught (prawns, tuna) and processed (passata). Research the pizza recipes	annotated exploded diagram, step-by-step plan, evaluation,
(See DT folder)	Make	of inspirational chef Jamie Oliver and how he has promoted healthy eating. I aste	aesthetics,
Y5 Pizza PPt Y5 Worksheets: To evaluate existing products, To develop a design spec, To evaluate my product against my design spec, To read and spell DT vocabulary DATA: Y5/6	 select from and use a wider range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks accurately select from and use a wider range of 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 	some existing pizza toppings including oregano from the school garden. 2. Focused Tasks Revisit basic food hygiene and safety practices (tying up hair, washing hands, wearing apron, following instructions, using equipment safely, hob, oven). Revisit peeling, chopping and slicing onions and grating cheese (use carrots for practising). Learn to simmer a basic tomato sauce. Follow a basic pizza recipe learning to measure, mix and knead ingredients. Explore making different shaped pizza bases and discuss which is most aesthetically appealing. Discuss which ingredients in the recipe could be substituted. 3. Design Conduct own research (survey, interviews, online research) to ascertain the needs, wants and preferences of their target user. Write own design specification. Communicate their design ideas in an annotated exploded sketch using computer software considering how to make their pizza aesthetically appealing and healthy.	CAD (computer- aided design), The Eatwell Guide, protein, starchy carbohydrates, dairy, seasonality, sustainability, locally produced, processed,
Celebrating culture and seasonality Curriculum Links Science: Digestion	 the world Cooking and nutrition 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. 	 4. Make Write a step-by-step plan including a list of equipment, utensils and ingredients. Make their pizza choosing appropriate equipment and utensils to accurately measure, mix, knead, simmer, cut and bake it. Evaluate their pizza against their design specification during the making stage and make improvements. 5. Evaluate Write an evaluation of their finished pizza, evaluating it against their design specification considering the questions on the worksheet. 	ingredients, utensils, simmer, knead, dough, recipe, substitute

Y6 Food &	Curriculum Content	Knowledge/Skills	Vocabulary
Nutrition: Savoury			
Scones			
	Design	1. Product, User, Purpose	product, user,
	Use research and develop design criteria to inform the design of inneviative, functional	Christmas party	design
Naulya Hussaili	appealing products that are fit for purpose	Investigative & Evaluative Activities	specification,
Prior Learning	appealing products that are fit for purpose,	Revisit the principles of a healthy diet focusing on the dairy and alternatives	annotated
Y5 Cooking &	 generate develop and communicate their ideas 	section of the Fatwell Guide (link to Science: Y5 Digestion – hile digests fat:	sketch,
Nutrition: Pizza	through discussion, annotated sketches and	Y6 Healthy diet). Learn about seasonality and research locally produced	step-by-step
	exploded diagrams and computer-aided design	ingredients (sustainability) and how they are grown (wheat), reared (ham),	evaluation.
Resources	Make	caught and processed (butter, cheese). Research the recipes of inspirational	aesthetics,
(See DT folder)	 select from and use a wider range of tools and 	chef Nadiya Hussain including for savoury parmesan scones. Research and /	CAD
	equipment to perform practical tasks accurately	or taste some existing savoury scones or ingredients.	(computer-
Y5 Pizza PPt	 select from and use a wider range of ingredients 	2. Focused Tasks	alded design),
	according to their functional properties and	Revisit basic food hygiene and safety practices (tying up hair, washing hands,	The Estwoll
Y5 Worksheets	aesthetic qualities	wearing apron, following instructions, using equipment safely, hob, oven).	Guide
(Word doc): Io	Evaluate	Follow a basic scone recipe learning to measure, mix, rub in, knead, shape	dairy.
evaluate existing	 investigate and analyse a range of existing 	and bake ingredients. Explore making different snaped scones and discuss	protein.
To develop a	products	recipe could be substituted. Easy Cheese Scopes - Apply to Eace Blog	starchy
design spec	• evaluate their ideas and products against their	3. Design	carbohydrates,
To evaluate my	own design criteria and consider the views of	Conduct own research (survey, questionnaires, interviews, online research)	
product against my	others to improve their work	to ascertain the needs, wants and preferences of their target user. Use their	seasonality,
design spec,	design and technology have beined shape the	findings and their knowledge of healthy eating to develop their own design	sustainability,
To read and spell	world	specification. Communicate their design ideas in an annotated sketch using	locally
DT vocabulary	Cooking and nutrition	computer software considering how to make their scone aesthetically	produced,
	• understand and apply the principles of a healthy	appealing.	processed,
DATA: Y5/6	and varied diet;	4. Make	ingradiants
Celebrating culture	 prepare and cook a variety of predominantly 	Write a step-by-step plan including a list of equipment, utensils and	ingreaterits,
and seasonality	savoury dishes using a range of cooking	ingredients <mark>. Make their scone choosing appropriate equipment and utensils</mark>	savoury.
	techniques;	to accurately measure, mix, cut, shape and bake it. Evaluate their scone	rub in.
Curriculum Links	 understand seasonality and know where and 	against their design specification during the making stage and make	dough,
Science: Humans –	how a variety of ingredients are grown, reared,	5 Evaluate	substitute
Impact of diet	caught and processed.	Write an evaluation of their finished scone, evaluating it against their design	
		specification considering the questions on the worksheet.	

Y6 Mechanical	Curriculum Content	Knowledge/Skills	Vocabulary
Systems:			
Car			
	Design	1. Product, User, Purpose	product, user,
Inspirational	 use research and develop design criteria to 	To design, make and evaluate an electric car to race during their FFinale.	purpose,
Inventor:	inform the design of innovative, functional,	Investigative & Evaluative Activities (See Electric Car Ppt.)	uesign
Robert Anderson	appealing products that are fit for purpose,	Investigate and make annotated sketches of a range of products (existing or	annotated
	aimed at particular individuals or groups	pre-made / videos or photographs) that incorporate gear or pulley systems.	sketch.
	 generate, develop, model and communicate 	Research the importance of Scottish inventor, Robert Anderson.	exploded
	their ideas through discussion, annotated	2. Focused Tasks (link to science)	diagram,
Prior Learning	sketches, cross-sectional and exploded	In science lessons, investigate pulleys and gears.	step-by-step
Y5 Structures: Tent	diagrams and computer-aided design	Revisit and develop measuring, marking, cutting, shaping and joining skills	plan,
Y1 Mechanics:	Make	from Y5 using junior hacksaws, G-clamps, bench hooks, square section wood,	evaluation,
Emergency Vehicle	 select from and use a wider range of tools and 	card triangles and hand drills to construct wooden frames.	innovative,
	equipment to perform practical tasks	3. Design	aestnetics,
	accurately	Develop an authentic and meaningful design brief with the children. Conduct	(computer-
	 select from and use a wider range of materials 	own research (survey, questionnaires, interviews, online research) to	aided design).
	and components, including construction	ascertain the needs, wants and preferences of their target user. Use their	frame
Resources	materials, according to their functional	findings to develop their own design specification. Communicate ideas	structure,
(See DT folder)	properties and aesthetic qualities	through detailed, annotated drawings from different views and/or exploded	triangulation,
Y6 Electric Car PPT	Evaluate	diagrams. The drawings should indicate the design decisions made, including	PVA glue,
	 investigate and analyse a range of existing 	the location of the mechanical and electrical components, how they work as a	square section
DATA: Y6	products	system with an input, process and output, and the appearance and finishing	wood,
Mechanical	• evaluate their ideas and products against their	techniques for the product.	Junior
Systems: Pulleys or	own design criteria and consider the views of	4. Make	hench book
Gears	others to improve their work	write a step-by-step plan including a list of tools and materials. Choose	(jig).
	 understand how key events and individuals in 	appropriate tools to accurately measure, mark, cut and join materials.	vice, G-clamp,
	design and technology have helped shape the	their car against their design specification during the making stage and make	pulley, gear,
	world	improvements	drive belt,
Curriculum Links	Technical knowledge	5. Evaluate	gearing up or
Science: Y6 Forces	 apply their understanding of how to 	Critically evaluate the car in use, comparing it to the original design	down,
– Levers, Pulleys &	strengthen, stiffen and reinforce more complex	specification and considering the quality of the design, the manufacture,	mechanical
Gears	structures	functionality, innovation shown and fitness for the intended user and	driver mesh
	 understand and use mechanical systems in 	purpose.	follower.
	their products.		motor spindle

Y6 Electrical	Curriculum Content	Knowledge/Skills	Vocabulary
Systems:			
Electric car			
Inspirational	Design	1. Product, User, Purpose	product, user,
Inventor:	 use research and develop design criteria to 	To design, make and evaluate an electric car to race during their Fantastic Finale.	purpose,
Jack Kilby & Robert	inform the design of innovative, functional,	Investigative & Evaluative Activities (See Electric Car Ppt.)	design
Noyce	appealing products that are fit for purpose,	Investigate and make annotated sketches of a <mark>Micro:bit buggy</mark> . Investigate	specification,
	aimed at particular individuals or groups;	sensors such as light dependent resistors (LDRs) and a range of switches (push-	sketch
Prior Learning	 generate, develop, model and communicate 	to-make, push-to-break, toggle, micro, reed). Research the invention of	step-by-step
Y4 Electrical	their ideas through discussion, annotated	microchip technology including Jack Kilby and Robert Noyce.	plan,
Systems: Torch	sketches, cross-sectional and exploded	2. Focused Tasks	evaluation,
	diagrams, prototypes and computer-aided	Build working circuits that incorporates a battery, a motor and a handmade	CAD
Resources	design;	switch.	(computer-
(See DT folder)	Make	Using a model circuit, children practise using different input and output devices.	aided design),
Y6 Electric Car PPT	 select from and use a wider range of tools 	Use BBC Micro:bit to write, modify and test programs to control a Micro:bit	alastriaal
	and equipment to perform practical tasks;	buggy.	system
DATA: Y6 Electrical	 select from and use a wider range of 	3. Design	series circuit
Systems: More	materials and components;	Develop an authentic and meaningful design brief with the children. Conduct	connection.
complex switches	Evaluate	own research (survey, questionnaires, interviews, online research) to ascertain	switch, toggle,
and circuits	 investigate and analyse a range of existing 	the needs, wants and preferences of their target user. Use their findings to	push-to-make
	products;	develop their own design specification. Communicate ideas through annotated	/break,
DATA: Y6 Electrical	 evaluate their ideas and products against 	sketches, pictorial representations of electrical circuits or circuit diagrams,	cell, battery,
Systems:	their own design criteria and consider the	including the Micro:bit. Drawings should indicate the design decisions made,	battery holder,
Monitoring and	views of others to improve their work;	including the location of the electrical components and how they work as a	lamp, bulb,
control	 understand how key events and individuals 	system with an input, process and output. Reference should be made to the	wire
	in design and technology have helped shape	Micro:bit program used and how it will operate to control the inputs and	insulator.
Curriculum Links	the world;	outputs.	conductor,
Science: Y5	Technical knowledge		crocodile clip,
Electricity	 understand and use electrical systems in 	Write a step-by-step plan including a list of tools, equipment and materials. Make	input device,
	, their products and apply their	and fit the electric circuit into the car. Create and modify a computer control	output device,
Computing –	understanding of computing to program,	program to control the car.	control,
Control (Micro:bit)	monitor and control their products.	5. Evaluate	program
		childing evaluate the final product in use, comparing it to the original design	
		specification. Test the system to demonstrate its effectiveness for the internded	
		user and purpose.	