EYFS.

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30-50 Months	Physical Development	Moving and Handling	 To use one-handed tools and equipment, e.g. makes snips in paper with child scissors. 		
		Health and Self-Care	To understand that equipment and tools have to be used safely.		
	Understanding the World	Technology	 To show an interest in technological toys with knobs or pulleys, or real objects. 		
			 To show skill in making toys work by pressing parts or lifting flaps to achieve effects, such as sound, movements or new images. 		
	Expressive Arts and Design	Exploring and Using Media and Materials	 To enjoy joining in with dancing and ring games. To begin to move rhythmically. To imitate movement in response to music. To tap out simple repeated rhythms. 		
		Being Imaginative	 To develop preferences for forms of expression. To use movement to express feelings. To create movement in response to music. To capture experiences and responses with a range of media, such as music, dance and paint and other materials or words. 		
40-60 Months	Physical Development	Moving and Handling	 To use simple tools to effect changes to materials. To handle tools, objects, construction and malleable materials safely and with increasing control. 		
		Health and Self-Care	 To show understanding of the need for safety when tackling new challenges and consider and manage some risks. To show understanding of how to transport and store equipment safely. To practise some appropriate safety measures without direct supervision. 		

40-60 Months Continued	Expressive Arts and Design	Exploring and Using Media and Materials Being	 To explore what happens when they mix colours. To experiment to create different textures. To understand that different media can be combined to create new effects. To manipulate materials to achieve a planned effect. To construct with a purpose in mind, using a variety of resources. To use simple tools and techniques competently and appropriately. To select appropriate resources and adapt work where necessary. To select tools and techniques needed to shape, assemble and join materials they are using. To create simple representations of events, people
		Imaginative	and objects.To choose particular colours to use for a purpose.
ELG	Physical Development	Moving and Handling	To handle equipment and tools effectively, including pencils for writing.
	Expressive Arts and Design	Exploring and Using Media and Materials	 To safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function.
		Being Imaginative	 To use what they have learnt about media and materials in original ways, thinking about uses and purposes. They represent their own ideas, thoughts and feelings through design and technology, art, music, dance, role play and stories.

Year 1 and 2.

Design	Make	Evaluate
 Use pictures and words to convey what they want to design/make. Propose more than one idea for their product. Use kits/reclaimed materials to develop more than one idea. Model ideas with kits, reclaimed materials. Select appropriate technique explaining: FirstNextLast Explore ideas by rearranging materials. Select pictures to help develop ideas. Use drawing to record ideas as they are developed. Add notes to drawings to help explanations. Describe their models and drawings of ideas and intentions. 	 Discuss their work as it progresses. Select materials from a limited range that will meet the design criteria. Select and name the tools needed to work the materials. Explain what they are making. Explain which materials they are using and why. Name the tools they are using. Describe what they need to do next. 	 Explain existing products and investigate how they have been made. Decide how existing products do/do not achieve their purpose. Talk about their design as they develop and identify good and bad points. Note changes made during the making process as annotation to plans/drawing. Say what they like and do not like about items they have made and attempt to say why. Discuss how closely their finished product meets their design criteria and how well it meet the needs of the user.

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 1		Mehanisms – Pop Up Christmas Cards. Join appropriately for different materials and situations e.g. glue, tape. Mark out	Food – Fruit. Develop a food vocabulary using taste, smell, texture and feel. Group familiar food products e.g. fruit and vegetables.		Structures Explore how to make structures stronger. Investigate different techniques for stiffening a variety of	
		materials to be			materials.	

	cut using a template. Fold, tear and cu			Test different methods of enabling
	paper and card. Cut along lines, straight and curved. Use a hole punch Experiment with levers and sliders to find different ways of making things move in a 2D plane.	need for a variety		structures to remain stable. Join appropriately for different materials and situations e.g. glue, tape. Mark out materials to be cut using a template.
Year 2	 Structures – Toys Join appropriately for different materials and situations e.g. glue, tape. Mark out materials to be cut using a template. Use a glue gun with close supervision. 		Textiles – Puppets Cut out shapes which have been created by drawing round a template onto the fabric. Join fabrics by using e.g. running stitch, glue, staples, over sewing, tape. Decorate fabrics with attached items e.g. buttons, beads,	

 Mechanisms Join appropriately for different materials and situations e.g. glue, tape. Try out different axle fixings and their strengths and weaknesses. Make vehicles with construction kits which contain free running wheels. Use a range of materials to create 	sequins, braids, ribbons. Colour fabrics using a range of techniques e.g. fabric paints, printing, painting.	
models with wheels and axles e.g. tubes, dowel, cotton reels.		
 Roll paper to create tubes. Cut dowel using hacksaw and bench hook. 		
 Attach wheels to a chassis using an axle. Mark out materials to 		
be cut using a template. Insert paper fasteners for card.		

Year 3 and 4.

Design	Make	Evaluate
Develop more than one design or adaptation of an initial design.	Prepare pattern pieces as templates for their design.	•Investigate similar products to the one to be made to give starting points for a design.
Plan a sequence of actions to make a product.	Cut slots.Cut internal shapes.	• Draw/sketch products to help analyse and understand how products are made.
Record the plan by drawing using annotated sketches.	Select from a range of tools for cutting shaping joining and finishing.	Research needs of user. Identify the strengths and weaknesses of their
Begin to use cross-sectional and exploded diagrams.	Use tools with accuracy.Select from techniques for different parts of the	design ideas in relation to purpose/user. Decide which design idea to develop.
Use prototypes to develop and share ideas.Think ahead about the order of their work	process. Select from materials according to their	Consider and explain how the finished product could be improved.
and decide upon tools and materials.Propose realistic suggestions as to how they can achieve their design ideas.	 functional properties. Plan the stages of the making process. 	 Discuss how well the finished product meets the design criteria of the user. Investigate key events and individuals in Design
Consider aesthetic qualities of materials chosen.	Use appropriate finishing techniques.	and Technology.
■Use CAD where appropriate.		

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 3			Food – Eat Well Plate. Develop sensory vocabulary/knowledge using, smell, taste, texture and feel. Analyse the taste, texture, smell and		Structures Develop vocabulary related to the project. Create shell or frame structures.	

		appearance of a range of foods (predominantly savoury). Follow instructions/recipes. Make healthy eating choices – use the Eatwell plate. Join and combine a range of ingredients. Explore seasonality of vegetables and fruit. Find out which fruit and vegetables are grown in countries/continents studied in Geography. Develop understanding of how meat/fish are	 Strengthen frames with diagonal struts. Make structures more stable by giving them a wide base. Measure and mark square section, strip and dowel accurately to 1cm.
		reared/caught.	
Year 4	Mechanical and Electrical Systems and ICT Develop vocabulary related to the project. Use mechanical systems such as		Textiles – Purses Develop vocabulary for tools materials and their properties. Understand seam allowance.

gears, pulleys, levers and linkages. Incorporate a	Join fabrics using running stitch, over sewing, blanket stitch.
circuit into a model.	Prototype a product using J cloths.
systems such as switches bulbs and buzzers.	Use prototype to make pattern.Explore
Use ICT to control products.Use Iolly	strengthening and stiffening of fabrics.
sticks/card to make levers and linkages. • Use linkages to	Explore fastenings (inventors?) and recreate some.
make movement larger or more	Sew on buttons and make loops.
varied.	Use appropriate decoration techniques.

Year 5 and 6.

Design			Make	Evaluate				
•List tools needed before starting the activity.			Make prototypes.			Research and evaluate existing products (including		
Plan the sequence of work e.g. using a			■Develop one id	ea in depth.		book ar	d web based research	1).
storyboard.	,		•Use researched	d information to info	m decisions.	■Conside	r user and purpose.	
Record ideas using	annotated diagrams.		Produce detailed lists of ingredients /				the strengths and we	aknesses of their
Use models, kits and drawings to help formulate design ideas.			components / materials and tools. Use a computer to model ideas.			design i Give a r	deas. eport using correct te	chnical vocabulary.
 Combine modelling and drawing to refine ideas. Devise step by step plans which can be read / followed by someone else. 			 Select from and use a wide range of tools. Cut accurately and safely to a marked line. Select from and use a wide range of materials. 			 Consider and explain how the finished product could be improved related to design criteria. Discuss how well the finished product meets the design criteria of the user. Test on the user! 		
Use exploded diagrams to commonSketch and model aDecide which design	alternative ideas.	al	project.	e finishing technique oduct – review and re.	s for the	 Understand how key people have influenced design. 		nave influenced
	Autumn 1	Δ	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Sprir	ng 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 5		food the Pre pro acc pro ing sen cha	d – Celebration d from around world. epare food oducts taking into count the eperties of credients and asory eracteristics. eigh and measure	•	Structures Temples. Use the corterminolog materials and processes. Use bradaw hole position Use hand do tight and lo holes.	rect y for tools nd vI to mark ons. rill to drill		

	Select and prepare		■ Cut strip wood,	
	foods for a particular		dowel, square section	
	purpose.		wood accurately to	
	• Work safely and		1mm.	
	hygienically.		Join materials using	
	■ Show awareness of a		appropriate methods.	
	healthy diet (using		Build frameworks to	
	the eatwell plate).		support mechanisms.	
	Use a range of		Stiffen and reinforce	
	cooking techniques.		complex structures.	
	• Know where and how			
	ingredients are grown			
	and processed.			
	Consider influence of chefs e.g. Jamie Oliver			
	and school meals,			
	Hugh Fearnley-			
	Whittingstall and			
	sustainable fishing			
	etc.			
Year 6	Textiles – Harry	•		Mechanical and
real o	Potter Duvet			Electrical Systems
	Cover.			and ICT
	Use the correct			Develop a technical
	vocabulary			vocabulary
	appropriate to the			appropriate to the
	project.			project.
	■ Create 3D products			 Use mechanical
	using patterns pieces and seam allowance.			systems such as cams, pulleys and gears.
				 Use electrical systems
	Understand pattern layout.			such as motors.
	Decorate textiles			Program, monitor and
			1	i rogram, momitor and
				control using ICT.
	appropriately (often before joining			control using ICT.

Pin and tack fabric pieces together.	
 Join fabrics using or sewing, back stitch, blanket stitch or machine stitching (closer supervision). 	
 Combine fabrics to create more useful properties. 	
Make quality products.	