Design and Technology Curriculum Statement





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Level Expected at the End of EYFS	
Reception – Physical Development	Reception – Physical Development
 Progress towards a more fluent style of moving, with developing control and grace. 	Use a range of small tools, including scissors, paintbrushes and cutlery.
• Develop their small motor skills so that they can use a range of tools competently, safely and confidently.	
• Use their core muscle strength to achieve a good posture when sitting at a table or sitting on the floor.	
Reception – Expressive Arts and Design	Reception – Expressive Arts and Design
 Progress towards a more fluent style of moving, with developing control and grace. 	• Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function
• Develop their small motor skills so that they can use a range of tools competently, safely and confidently.	Share their creations, explaining the process they have used.
• Use their core muscle strength to achieve a good posture when sitting at a table or sitting on the floor.	

Key Stage 1 National Curriculum Expectations

Design

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Pupils should be taught to:

- · 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

Pupils should be taught to:

- select from and use a range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks [for example, cutting, shaping, joining and finishing];
- select from and use a wide range of materials and components, including construction materials, textiles and ingredients, according to their characteristics.

Evaluate

Pupils should be taught to:

- explore and evaluate a range of existing products;
- evaluate their ideas and products against design criteria

Technical Knowledge

Pupils should be taught to:

- build structures, exploring how they can be made stronger, stiffer and more stable;
- explore and use mechanisms [for example, levers, sliders, wheels and axles], in their products.

Cooking and Nutrition

Pupils should be taught to:

- use the basic principles of a healthy and varied diet to prepare dishes;
- · understand where food comes from.

Key Stage 2 National Curriculum Expectations

Design

Pupils should be taught to:

- 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, pattern pieces and computer-aided design.

Make

Pupils should be taught to:

- select from and use a wider range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks [for example, cutting, shaping, joining and finishing], accurately;
- select from and use a wider range of materials and components, including construction materials, textiles and ingredients, according to their functional properties and aesthetic qualities.

Evaluate

Pupils should be taught to:

- 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

- apply their understanding of how to strengthen, stiffen and reinforce more complex structures;
- understand and use mechanical systems in their products [for example, gears, pulleys, cams, levers and linkages];
- understand and use electrical systems in their products [for example, series circuits incorporating switches, bulbs, buzzers and motors];
- apply their understanding of computing to program, monitor and control their products.

Cooking and Nutrition

Pupils should be taught to:

- 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.





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Skills	Construct with a purpose in mind, using a variety of resources Use simple tools and techniques competently and appropriately Build and construct with a wide range of objects, selecting appropriate resources and adapting their work when necessary Select the tools and techniques they need to shape, assemble and join materials they are using	Design purposeful, functional, appealing products for themselves and other users based on design criteria. Create a design to meet simple design criteria. Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through talking, drawing, templates, mock-ups and, where appropriate, information and communication technology. Create a design to meet simple design criteria.	Design purposeful, functional, appealing products for themselves and other users based on design criteria. Create a design to meet simple design criteria. Generate and communicate their ideas through a range of different methods Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through talking, drawing, templates, mock-ups and, where appropriate, information and communication technology. Create a design to meet simple design criteria. Generate and communicate their ideas through a range of different methods.	Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes, pattern pieces and computeraided design. Develop design criteria to inform a 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. Develop design criteria to inform a design.	Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes, pattern pieces and computeraided design. Use annotated sketches and exploded diagrams to test and communicate their ideas. 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. Use annotated sketches and exploded diagrams to test and communicate their ideas.	Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes, pattern pieces and computer-aided design. Use pattern pieces and computer-aided design packages to design a product. 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. Use pattern pieces and computer-aided design packages to design a product.	Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes, pattern pieces and computeraided design. Develop design criteria for a functional and appealing product that is fit for purpose, communicating ideas clearly in a range of ways. 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. Develop design criteria for a functional and appealing product that is fit for purpose, communicating ideas clearly in a range of ways.
Knowledge	Think about what it is for (purpose) and who will use it. Using your imagination is about having new ideas! How to use simple tools — scissors, brushes, pen etc Explore and talk about things that look/sound/feel good together Adjectives can be used to describe different textures Working out how to fix problems in our world	Design purposeful, functional, appealing products for themselves and other users based on design criteria. Design criteria are the explicit goals that a project must achieve. Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through talking, drawing, templates, mock-ups and, where appropriate, information and communication technology. Design criteria are the explicit goals that a project must achieve.	Design purposeful, functional, appealing products for themselves and other users based on design criteria. Design criteria are the explicit goals that a project must achieve. Ideas can be communicated in a variety of ways, including written work, drawings and diagrams, modelling, speaking and using information and communication technology. Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through talking, drawing, templates, mock-ups and, where appropriate, information and communication technology. Design criteria are the explicit goals that a project must achieve. Ideas can be communicated in a variety of ways, including written work, drawings and diagrams, modelling, speaking and using information and communication technology	Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes, pattern pieces and computeraided design. Design criteria are the exact goals a project must achieve to be successful. These criteria might include the product's use, appearance, cost and target user. 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. Design criteria are the exact goals a project must achieve to be successful. These criteria might include the product's use, appearance, cost and target user.	Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes, pattern pieces and computeraided design. Annotated sketches and exploded diagrams show specific parts of a design, highlight sections or show functions. They communicate ideas in a visual, detailed way. 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. Annotated sketches and exploded diagrams show specific parts of a design, highlight sections or show functions. They communicate ideas in a visual, detailed way.	Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes, pattern pieces and computeraided design. A pattern piece is a drawing or shape used to guide how to make something. There are many different computer-aided design packages for designing products. 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. A pattern piece is a drawing or shape used to guide how to make something. There are many different computer-aided design packages for designing products.	Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes, pattern pieces and computeraided design. Design criteria should cover the intended use of the product, age range targeted and final appearance. Ideas can be communicated in a range of ways, including through discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes, pattern pieces and computer-aided 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. Design criteria should cover the intended use of the product, age range targeted and final appearance. Ideas can be communicated in a range of ways, including through discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes, pattern pieces and computer-aided design.
Vocabulary	Imagination, design, model, make	design, criteria, product, user, function, mock-up, model, template,		appeal, criteria, research, preference, purpose, intended user, parts, needs and wants, idea, product, annotate, sketch, prototype, patterns, sketches, decide/decision, model, annotations notes, cross-sections, drawing, resources, realistic, diagram,		Leisure, culture, enterprise, industry, surveys, interviews, questionnaires, preferences, individuals, groups, design, features, needs, wants, functional, research, design, spec, appealing, value, prototype, cross-section, realistic, innovative, constraints, discuss(ion), annotate, decisions, time, resources, clarify, sketch cross-sectional, generate, model, develop, prototype, exploded, diagram, step-by-step plans, guide, cost, ideas, pattern, piece, fit-for-purpose	
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For example, scissors are used for purposes. For example, scissors are used for saws. Wood can be joined using glue, nails, saws. Wood can be joined using glue, nails, these may vary depending on the tools being these may vary depending on the tools being cutting and glue is used for sticking cutting and glue is used for sticking staples or a combination of these Safety staples or a combination of these Safety used For example someone using a chisel used For example someone using a chisel Select from and use a wide range of materials Different tools have characteristics that make rules must be followed to prevent injury from rules must be followed to prevent injury from should chip or cut with the cutting edge should chip or cut with the cutting edge Technological toys are toys that use and components, including construction them suitable for specific purposes. For sharp blades. These rules include using a sharp blades. These rules include using a pointing away from their body. All tools should pointing away from their body. All tools should modern science in order to work, e.g. materials, textiles and ingredients, according example, scissors are used for cutting paper bench hook to keep the wood still, using a bench hook to keep the wood still, using a be cleaned and put away after use, and should be cleaned and put away after use, and should smart phones, cameras, tablets and because they have sharp, metal blades that junior hacksaw with a pistol grip and working junior hacksaw with a pistol grip and working not be used if they are loose or cracked. to their characteristics. not be used if they are loose or cracked. Different materials are suitable for different computers. These toys can work in can cut through thin materials. under adult supervision under adult supervision Select from and use a wider range of materials Select from and use a wider range of materials and components, including construction purposes, depending on their specific Some ingredients need to be prepared before Select from and use a wider range of Select from and use a wider range of and components, including construction different ways, e.g. by typing letters on properties. For example, glass is transparent, materials and components, including materials and components, including materials, textiles and ingredients, according materials, textiles and ingredients, according they can be cooked or eaten. There are many keys on computer, or pressing a button so it is suitable to be used for windows. ways to prepare ingredients: peeling skins construction materials, textiles and construction materials, textiles and to their functional properties and aesthetic to their functional properties and aesthetic to make a camera take a picture. using a vegetable peeler, such as potato ingredients, according to their functional ingredients, according to their functional qualities. qualities. Materials should be cut and combined with Materials should be cut and combined with skins; grating hard ingredients, such as properties and aesthetic qualities. properties and aesthetic qualities. precision. For example, pieces of fabric could cheese or chocolate: chopping vegetables. Plan which materials will be needed for a task Plan which materials will be needed for a task precision. For example, pieces of fabric could such as onions and peppers and slicing foods. and explain why. and explain why. be cut with sharp scissors and sewn together he cut with sharp scissors and sewn together such as bread and apples. using a variety of stitching techniques. using a variety of stitching techniques. Select from and use a wide range of materials and components, including construction materials, textiles and ingredients, according to their characteristics. Properties of components and materials determine how they can and cannot be used. For example, plastic is shiny and strong but it can be difficult to paint. A series circuit is made up of an energy source, such as a battery or cell, wires and a bulb. The circuit must be complete for the electricity to flow Bumpy, Rough, Hard, Smooth, Soft, Prickly, Hygiene, cutting, measure, folding, join, gluing, shape, tearing, decorate, dyeing, hinges, Tools, equipment, materials, components, function, mechanical, electrical, construction, pulley, suitability, aesthetic, procedures, accuracy, cutting, shaping, joining, finishing, accuracy, printing, mark out, hinges, tool, strengthen, safety, assemble, finishing, curling, assemble, finishing, polishing, sequins, painting, smoothing, assemble, stages of making, measure, mark assemble, combine, components, textiles, equipment, techniques, measure, mark out, drilling, drilling, stitching, templates, shape, sequins, material textile, properties, levers, wheels, out, cutting, shaping, perimeter, slots, cut-outs, mechanism, levers, winding, varnishing, gluing, filing, sanding, appropriate, stitch, Colour names back stitch, running stitch, qualities of materials, finishing, polishing, varnishing, sequins, winding, mechanism, batteries, fault, components, equipment, sanding, components, construction, Lego, textiles, ingredients, suitable, kits, pencil, felt tips, paint brush, wooden painting, smoothing, laminating, paper maché, component, construction, Lego, textiles. spoon, spatula, rolling pin, shovel, rake. ingredients, functional, properties, aesthetic, qualities, kits, textiles, tools, equipment, steps, watering can, trowel seam allowance, Texture, Scissors, Tools, Knob, Pulley, folding, join, gluing, cutting, , safety, tearing, decorate, Aut 1 Me and my Community Aut2: Dinosaur Planet Aut2: Beat Band Boogie Aut1: Mighty Metals Spr2: Tremors Aut1: Stargazers Aut2: Fallen Fields & Child's War Design and Making vehicles; Design and Use transient materials to create a Design and Make a Sock Puppet using a Design and Make Percussion Instruments Making Structures Moonscape Textile; Design and Make a Construct a structurally sound miniature Making an Iron Man; Using Junk Materials woodland picture Design Brief Spr2: Towers, Tunnels & Turrets Spr2: Tremors Satellite, Rover or Shuttle for a Specific Anderson Shelter Spr1: Tribal Tales Aut 2 Dangerous Dinosaurs / catch me is Sum2: Moon Zoom Making models of towers, bridges and Making Structures Mission; Design a Rocket Design and Make Weapons tunnels: Mechanisms; Structures you can (Gingerbread Man) Design and Make a Rocket Ship Aut2: Hola Mexico Food of Mexico; Evaluating and Making Making something for the baby Sum2: Land Ahoy! dinosaur Making Clay Boats Instruments Making their own salt dough and Spr1: Beast Creator making some bread for the Baker's Shop Design and Making models Spr 1 Winter Wonderland / Are Carrots Sum2: Scream Machine Design rides; Program models; Mechanical Orange? Make a bird feeder Systems; Food





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Evaluating	EYFS	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6	
Skills	Adapting their design as they work	Evaluate their ideas and products against design criteria. Explain how closely their finished products meet their design criteria and say what they could do better in the future. Explore and evaluate a range of existing products. Explain why a designer or inventor is important.	Evaluate their ideas and products against design criteria. Explain how closely their finished products meet their design criteria and say what they could do better in the future. Explore and evaluate a range of existing products. Explain why a designer or inventor is important.	Evaluate their ideas and products against their own design criteria and consider the views of others to improve their work. Suggest improvements to their products and describe how to implement them, beginning to take the views of others into account.	Understand how key events and individuals in design and technology have helped shape the world. Explain how and why a significant designer or inventor shaped the world. Evaluate their ideas and products against their own design criteria and consider the views of others to improve their work. Identify what has worked well and what aspects of their products could be improved, acting on their own suggestions and those of others when making improvements. Investigate and analyse a range of existing products. Create and complete a comparison table to compare two or more products. Investigate and identify the design features of a familiar product.	Evaluate their ideas and products against their own design criteria and consider the views of others to improve their work. Test and evaluate products against a detailed design specification and make adaptations as they develop the product. Investigate and analyse a range of existing products. Explain how the design of a product has been influenced by the culture or society in which it was designed or made.		
Knowledge	Being aware of the purpose of designing and building – what is it for? Talk about what they have made and how it works Share their creations, explaining the process they have used.	Evaluate their ideas and products against design criteria. Finished products can be compared with design criteria to see how closely they match. Improvements can then be planned. Explore and evaluate a range of existing products. Many key individuals have helped to shape the world. These include engineers, scientists, designers, inventors and many other people in important roles.	Evaluate their ideas and products against design criteria. Finished products can be compared with design criteria to see how closely they match. Improvements can then be planned. Explore and evaluate a range of existing products. Many key individuals have helped to shape the world. These include engineers, scientists, designers, inventors and many other people in important roles.	Evaluate their ideas and products against their own design criteria and consider the views of others to improve their work. Asking questions can help others to evaluate their products, such as asking them whether the selected materials achieved the purpose of the model.	Understand how key events and individuals in design and technology have helped shape the world. Significant designers and inventors can shape the world. Evaluate their ideas and products against their own design criteria and consider the views of others to improve their work. Evaluation can be done by considering whether the product does what it was designed to do, whether it has an attractive appearance, what changes were made during the making process and why the changes were made. Evaluation also includes suggesting improvements and explaining why they should be made. Investigate and analyse a range of existing products. A comparison table can be used to compare products by listing specific criteria on which each product can be judged or scored. Design features are the aspects of a product's design that the designer would like to emphasise, such as the use of a particular material or feature that makes the product easier to use or more durable.	Evaluate their ideas and products against their own design criteria and consider the views of others to improve their work. Test and evaluate products against a detailed design specification and make adaptations as they develop the product. Investigate and analyse a range of existing products. Culture is the language, inventions, ideas and art of a group of people. A society is all the people in a community or group. Culture affects the design of some products. For example, knives and forks are used in the western world, whereas chopsticks are used mainly in China and Japan. The design of products needs to take into account the culture of the target audience. For example, colours might mean very different things in different cultures.		
Vocabulary	Answering questions: How does it work? What does this bit do? Why did you use this?	Evaluate, product, like/dislike, design, criteria, improved, better,		criteria, evaluate, product, purpose, user, needs, design, construction, methods, strengths, area for development, view, preference, reasons, improve, Inventor, designer, chef, Hoover, light bulb, manufacturer, ground-breaking products, Microwave, inventor names,		Manufacture, innovative ,sustainability, construction, effective, designed ,products, function(al), investigate, suitable, successful, improvement, intended, impact, materials, methods, analyse, existing strengths, areas for development ,views, developing, design criteria, improve, evaluate, design spec, quality, manufacture, inventor, designer, chef, manufacturer, ground-breaking products, mobile phone, inventors' names, Apple, Dyson, website, Facebook, product		
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Knowledge	EYFS	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
Skills	Explore and use mechanisms (for example, levers, sliders, wheels and axles), in their play	Explore and use mechanisms (for example, levers, sliders, wheels and axles), in their products. Use wheels and axles to make a simple moving model. Build structures, exploring how they can be made stronger, stiffer and more stable. Construct simple structures, models or other products using a range of materials.	Explore and use mechanisms (for example, levers, sliders, wheels and axles), in their products. Use a range of mechanisms (levers, sliders, wheels and axles) in models or products. Build structures, exploring how they can be made stronger, stiffer and more stable. Explore how a structure can be made stronger, stiffer and more stable.	Understand and use mechanical systems in their products (for example, gears, pulleys, cams, levers and linkages). Explore and use a range of mechanisms (levers, sliders, axles, wheels and cams) in models or products. Apply their understanding of how to strengthen, stiffen and reinforce more complex structures. Create shell or frame structures using diagonal struts to strengthen them. Understand and use electrical systems in their products (for example, series circuits incorporating switches, bulbs, buzzers and motors). Incorporate a simple series circuit into a model.	Apply their understanding of how to strengthen, stiffen and reinforce more complex structures. Prototype shell and frame structures, showing awareness of how to strengthen, stiffen and reinforce them.	Understand and use mechanical systems in their products (for example, gears, pulleys, cams, levers and linkages). Use mechanical systems in their products, such as pneumatics and hydraulics. Apply their understanding of computing to program, monitor and control their products. Link a physical device to a computer or tablet so that it can be controlled (such as changing motor speed or turning an LED on and off) by a program.	Apply their understanding of how to strengthen, stiffen and reinforce more complex structures. Select the most appropriate materials and frameworks for different structures, explaining what makes them strong.
Knowledge	Role Play Areas: Technological toys are toys that use modern science in order to work, e.g. smart phones, cameras, tablets and computers. These toys can work in different ways, e.g. by typing letters on keys on computer, or pressing a button to make a camera take a picture.	Explore and use mechanisms (for example, levers, sliders, wheels and axles), in their products. An axle is a rod or spindle that passes through the centre of a wheel to connect two wheels. Explore and evaluate a range of existing products. Different materials can be used for different purposes, depending on their properties. For example, cardboard is a stronger building material than paper. Plastic is light and can float. Clay is heavy and will sink.	Explore and use mechanisms (for example, levers, sliders, wheels and axles), in their products. A mechanism is a device that takes one type of motion or force and produces a different one. A mechanism makes a job easier to do. Mechanisms include sliders, levers, linkages, gears, pulleys and cams. Build structures, exploring how they can be made stronger, stiffer and more stable. Structures can be made stronger, stiffer and more stable by using cardboard rather than paper and triangular shapes rather than squares. A broader base will also make a structure more stable.	Understand and use mechanical systems in their products (for example, gears, pulleys, cams, levers and linkages). Levers consist of a rigid bar that rotates around a fixed point, called a fulcrum. They reduce the amount of work needed to lift a heavy object. Sliders move from side to side or up and down, and are often used to make moving parts in books. Axles are shafts on which wheels can rotate to make a moving vehicle. Cams are devices that can convert circular motion into up-and-down motion. Apply their understanding of how to strengthen, stiffen and reinforce more complex structures. Prototype shell structures are hollow, 3-D structures with a thin outer covering, such as a box. Frame structures are made from thin, rigid components, such as a tent frame. The rigid frame gives the structure shape and support. Diagonal struts can strengthen the structure. Understand and use electrical systems in their products (for example, series circuits incorporating switches, bulbs, buzzers and motors). An electric circuit can be used in a model, such as a lighthouse. It can be controlled using a switch.	Apply their understanding of how to strengthen, stiffen and reinforce more complex structures. A prototype is a mock-up of a design that will look like the finished product but may not be full size or made of the same materials. Shell and frame structures can be strengthened by gluing several layers of card together, using triangular shapes rather than squares, adding diagonal support struts and using 'Jinks' corners (small, thin pieces of card cut into a right-angled triangle and glued over each joint to straighten and strengthen them).	Understand and use mechanical systems in their products (for example, gears, pulleys, cams, levers and linkages). Pneumatic systems use energy that is stored in compressed air to do work, such as inflating a balloon to open a model monster's mouth. These effects can be achieved using syringes and plastic tubing. Hydraulic mechanisms work in a similar way, but instead of air, the system is filled with a liquid, usually water. It is important that the system is air or watertight. Apply their understanding of computing to program, monitor and control their products. Equipment and devices can be controlled by pressing buttons on a control panel, such as on a washing machine or microwave.	Apply their understanding of how to strengthen, stiffen and reinforce more complex structures. Strength can be added to a framework by using multiple layers. For example, corrugated cardboard can be placed with corrugations running alternately vertically and horizontally. Triangular shapes can be used instead of square shapes because they are more rigid. Frameworks can be further strengthened by adding an outer cover.
Vocabulary	Answer questions: How does it move? How does this work? Can you make it do faster?	stable, stronger, stiffer, lever, slider, wheel, axel, mechanism		levers, systems, structure, pulleys, shell, join, gears, monitor, adapt, strong, stiff reinforce, levers, linkages, pneumatic, systems, movement, force, pulleys, cams, circuit, component, series, parallel, switches, clips, bulbs, buzzers, motors, wires, lights, complete, circuit, program, computer, control, debug, sequence, instructions, algorithms		pneumatic, substituting, strengthen, stiffen, reinforce, 3D, framework, cams ,linkages, mechanical, cams, pulleys, gears, movement, linkages, forces, complex, electrical, circuits, components, functional, bulbs, buzzers, motors, series, parallel, switches, crocodile clips, wires, program, computer, control debug, changes, lights complete circuit, sequence, instructions, algorithms, monitor, effect, fault	
Topic	Continuous provision:	Sum2: Moon Zoom Design and Make a Rocket Ship	Aut2: Beat Band Boogie Design and Make Percussion Instruments Spr2: Towers, Tunnels & Turrets Making models of towers, bridges and tunnels: Mechanisms; Structures	Aut1: Mighty Metals Design and Making vehicles; Design and Making an Iron Man; Using Junk Materials Spr1: Tribal Tales Design and Make Weapons	Spr2: Tremors Making Structures	Aut2: Hola Mexico Food of Mexico; Evaluating and Making Instruments Sum2: Scream Machine Design rides; Program models; Mechanical Systems; Food	Aut2: Fallen Fields & Child's War Construct a structurally sound miniature Anderson Shelter



cutting it up, making a healthy meal

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This document outlines the main learning across the year groups. This shows the build on knowledge and how they link to each other. This document allows the teachers to see where their year group / the term fits in the grand scale knowledge and learning Cooking **EYFS** Y1 Y2 **Y3 Y4** Y5 Y6 Nutrition Use the basic principles of a healthy and Understand where food comes from. Understand and apply the principles of a Understand and apply the principles of a Prepare and cook a variety of predominantly Understand and apply the principles of a Use simple tools and techniques Skills healthy and varied diet. competently and appropriately varied diet to prepare dishes. Identify the origin of some common foods healthy and varied diet. healthy and varied diet. savoury dishes using a range of cooking Measure and weigh food items using non-(milk, eggs, some meats, common fruit and Identify the main food groups (carbohydrates, Design a healthy snack or packed lunch and Plan a healthy weekly diet, justifying why techniques. standard measures, such as spoons and cups. vegetables). protein, dairy, fruits and vegetables, fats and explain why it is healthy Use an increasing range of preparation and each meal contributes towards a balanced Use the basic principles of a healthy and cooking techniques to cook a sweet or savoury Select healthy ingredients for a fruit or Prepare and cook a variety of predominantly sugars). Prepare and cook a variety of predominantly Prepare and cook a variety of predominantly vegetable salad. varied diet to prepare dishes. savoury dishes using a range of cooking Prepare ingredients by peeling, grating, savoury dishes using a range of cooking Understand seasonality, and know where and savoury dishes using a range of cooking techniques. Identify and use a range of cooking chopping and slicing. techniques. how a variety of ingredients are grown, techniques. Describe the types of food needed for a Prepare and cook a simple savoury dish. techniques to prepare a simple meal. Follow a recipe that requires a variety of reared, caught and processed. healthy and varied diet and apply the Understand seasonality, and know where and Describe what seasonality means and explain techniques and source the necessary principles to make a simple, healthy meal. how a variety of ingredients are grown, some of the reasons why it is beneficial. ingredients independently. reared, caught and processed. Identify and name foods that are produced in different places. Understand why we eat certain foods Use the basic principles of a healthy and Understand where food comes from. Understand and apply the principles of a Understand and apply the principles of a Prepare and cook a variety of predominantly Understand and apply the principles of a Knowledge like fruit and vegetables varied diet to prepare dishes. Food comes from two main sources: animals healthy and varied diet. healthy and varied diet. savoury dishes using a range of cooking healthy and varied diet. Using non-standard measures is a way of There are five main food groups that should Healthy snacks include fresh or dried fruit and Eating a balanced diet is a positive lifestyle and plants. Cows provide beef, sheep provide techniques. measuring that does not involve reading lamb and mutton and pigs provide pork, ham be eaten regularly as part of a balanced diet: vegetables, nuts and seeds, rice cakes with Sweet dishes are usually desserts, such as choice that should be sustained over time. cakes, fruit pies and trifles, Savoury dishes scales. For example, weight may be measured and bacon. Examples of poultry include fruit and vegetables: carbohydrates low-fat cream cheese, homemade popcorn or Food that is high in fat, salt or sugar can still using a balance scale and lumps of plasticine. chickens, geese and turkeys. Examples of fish (potatoes, bread, rice and pasta); proteins chopped vegetables with hummus. A healthy usually have a salty or spicy flavour rather than be eaten occasionally as part of a balanced include cod, salmon and shellfish. Milk comes packed lunch might include a brown or Length may be measured in the number of (beans, pulses, fish, eggs and meat); dairy and handspans or pencils laid end to end. mainly from cows but also from goats and alternatives (milk, cheese and yoghurt) and wholemeal bread sandwich containing eggs, Understand seasonality, and know where and Prepare and cook a variety of predominantly how a variety of ingredients are grown, Fruit and vegetables are an important part of fats (oils and spreads). Foods high in fat, salt meat fish or cheese, a piece of fresh fruit, a savoury dishes using a range of cooking sheep. Most eggs come from chickens. Honey a healthy diet. It is recommended that people is made by bees. Fruit and vegetables come and sugar should only be eaten occasionally low-sugar yoghurt, rice cake or popcorn and a reared, caught and processed. techniques. eat at least five portions of fruit and from plants. Oils are made from parts of as part of a healthy, balanced diet. drink, such as water or semi-skimmed milk. Seasonality is the time of year when the Ingredients can usually be bought at plants. Sugar is made from plants called sugar Prepare and cook a variety of predominantly harvest or flavour of a type of food is at its supermarkets, but specialist shops may stock vegetables every day. Prepare and cook a variety of predominantly cane and sugar beet. Plants also give us nuts, savoury dishes using a range of cooking savoury dishes using a range of cooking best. Buying seasonal food is beneficial for different items. Greengrocers sell fruit and such as almonds, walnuts and hazelnuts. techniques. many reasons: the food tastes better; it is vegetables, butchers sell meat, fishmongers Use the basic principles of a healthy and Preparation techniques for savoury dishes Cooking techniques include baking, boiling, fresher because it hasn't been transported sell fresh fish and delicatessens usually sell frying, grilling and roasting. thousands of miles: the nutritional value is some unusual prepared foods, as well as cold varied diet to prepare dishes. include peeling, chopping, deseeding, slicing. Some ingredients need to be prepared before dicing, grating, mixing and skinning. higher: the carbon footprint is lower, due to meats and cheeses. they can be cooked or eaten. There are many Understand seasonality, and know where and reduced transport; it supports local growers ways to prepare ingredients: peeling skins how a variety of ingredients are grown, and is usually cheaper. reared, caught and processed. using a vegetable peeler, such as potato skins; grating hard ingredients, such as The types of food that will grow in a particular cheese or chocolate; chopping vegetables, area depend on a range of factors, such as the rainfall, climate and soil type. For such as onions and peppers and slicing foods. such as bread and apples. example, many crops, such as potatoes and A healthy diet should include meat or fish, sugar beet, are grown in the south-east of starchy foods (such as potatoes or rice), some England. Wheat, barley and vegetables grow well in the east of England. dairy foods, a small amount of fat and plenty of fruit and vegetables healthy/unhealthy, fruit and portion, fruit and vegetables, proteins- beans, pulses, fish, eggs, meat, Processed, peel, chop, slice, grate, mix, fresh, spread, knead, bake, healthy, Aroma, substance, nutrients substitute, adapting, methods cooking time Vocabulary vegetables, farming fishing, plants, dairy/alternatives- cheese, milk, yoghurt, carbohydrates- potatoes, bread, rice, temperature storage handling recipe, prepare cook, savoury, peeling, chopping diet, varied, organic, savoury, sweet, recipe, appearance, peeling, chopping, pasta hygiene, peeling, grating, cutting, healthy/unhealthy, farming fishing animals grating, mixing, spreading, kneading, baking, prepare, temperature, taste, slicing grating mixing, blending, kneading, baking, melting, whisking, proving, plants, animals. texture, hygiene, safety, measure, gram, kilogram, heat/hot, oven, hob, cook, rise, dissolving, juicing, seasonal, growing, reared, dietary requirements, utensils, grown, reared, caught, fishing, seasonal, ingredients, vegetarian, vegan, kosher, gluten-free, Aut 1 Me and my Community Sum1: Scrumdiddlyumptious Sum2: I am Warrior Aut2: Hola Mexico Aut1: Blood Heart Spr1: Bright Lights, Big City Topic Packaging; Healthy Eating Design and Make Bread Rolls for the Great Design and Bake Cookies Make a Roman Banquet Food of Mexico: Making porridge Aut2: Fallen Fields & Child's War Aut 2 Catch me is you can (Gingerbread Fire of London Bakery Sum1: Allotment Cooking and Nutrition: Making Planters; Find and Make Wartime Foods Man) Making their own salt dough and Making Structures making some bread for the Baker's Shop Sum2: Scream Machine Spr 1 Winter Wonderland / Are Carrots Design rides; Program models; Mechanical Orange? Systems: Food Cutting up vegetables, making fruit kebabs Continuous provision: Role play areas such as café, McDonalds, farm shop, supermarket, Baker's shop Play dough table – making food and