Curriculum Mapping: Design & Technology - Year 9



	Core Skills	Food	Product Design	DT - Textiles
	Careers	World Foods	Manufacturing	Cultural Design
	Concepts/Tier 3 vocabulary	Concepts/Tier 3 vocabulary	Concepts/Tier 3 vocabulary	Concepts/Tier 3 vocabulary
	Product Designer, Food	Different cuisines from around the world,	Ferrous, non-ferrous, alloy, aluminium, pewter	Design brief, design ideas, paper stencils,
	Scientist, Chef, Graphic	gelatinisation, science of shortcrust,	plywood. Draw and cross filing, countersink,	patterns and templates, felt, cultural
	Designer, Architect, Games	planning and evaluation. Pizza pinwheels,	casting, mould, laser cutting, vinyl cutting,	design, batik, embroidery, printing, tie dye,
	Designer, Fashion Designer,	English breakfast, garlic bread, sweet and	vector, engrave. Wood polish, wet and dry	applique, CAD/CAM, accuracy, seam
	Textile design, Interior	sour chicken, honey soy chicken, chocolate	paper, wire wool, needle file, hack saw. Abra	allowance.
	Designer, Stylist, Food Officer,	chip cookies, shortbread investigation,	saw, tenon saw, disc sander, CAD/CAM, pillar	
	Engineer, Costume designer,	samosas, burgers.	drill, application tape, squeegee, graphics,	
	Construction manager		accuracy.	
	Justification:	Justification:	Justification:	Justification:
,	A short series of 3 lessons	Pupils develop their practical making skills	Pupils develop their practical making skills	Pupils develop their practical decorative and
	enabling pupils to understand	through a range of dishes exploring differing	through the production of a plywood and	manufacturing skills through the production
	the career opportunities liked to	cooking methods and recipes from differing	aluminium key rack using hand tools, accurate	of a small cultural themed cushion.
	study in design and technology	cultures and countries. Pupils will gain	shaping and appropriate finishes. They will	Pupils will gain knowledge of the application
	and how their learning	knowledge of the differing reasons behind	learn techniques when working in metal such	of a variety of decorative techniques for
	developing their skills in these	food choices globally, gelatinisation,	as draw and cross filing and finishing methods.	fabrics such as tie dye, batik and applique
	areas. Cross curricular skills will	investigations into fat types, planning and	Pupils will gain knowledge of the categories of	and finally manufacture the cushion using
,	also be looked at and the nature	evaluating dishes. Theoretical learning of	metal, properties, and uses of aluminium and	skills developed with the sewing machines
	of DT as a wider ranging subject	topics will also be developed through	pewter so that they have now experienced all	inspired by a country previously selected.
	developing skills for life.	practical lessons. This prepares pupils for	material areas. They will produce three key	They will follow the design and
		further study in Food at GCSE and A Level.	rings learning skills in pewter casting, laser and	development stages of the design process
,			vinyl cutting, and the application of digital	to reinforce this process and prepare them
			vector files.	for GCSE and A Level studies.
			This is a multi-skill task enabling pupils to learn	
			hand and computer making processes so that	
			they can apply this knowledge and these skills	
			at GCSE and A Level DT.	

Assessment

Pupils are assessed at the end of each rotation on their making and designing skills and given a grade. Grades for each rotation are tracked across the year and averaged to generate an overall progress grade for DT.

Wider reading/Cultural capital

We run a KS3 Food and Textiles club afterschool once a week for pupils to apply their skills further and produce a range of products outside of the curriculum. We endeavour to build in real life examples of topics/products to enable pupils to relate their learning to situations they understand using videos, pictures, and discussion. Pupils are encouraged to continue their understanding of why design matters via programmes such as: Made in Britain and Big Life Fix. Year 7 pupils are also invited to attend our annual summer exhibition to view the work of our GCSE and A-level pupils.

Wider reading includes Lonely Planet World's Best Street Food mini by Food, Jony Ive: The Genius Behind Apple's Greatest Products – Leander Kahney, Making It: Manufacturing Techniques for Product Design – Chris Lefteri, The Fabric of Civilisation: How Textiles Made the World by Virginia Postrel.