

Design and Technology Programme of Study

	Year 3				Year 4				Year 5				Year 6				
	Hakuna Matata	I do like to be beside the seaside	Scrapheap Challenge	H2 Woah	All the Fun of the Fair	Amazia	The Great Exhibition	Epic Empires	Dragon dynasty	Eureka	Star Trekking	Circles of Life	May the Norse be with you!	Peace in our Time?	Eye of the Tiger	Fiesta	Tiempo de
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 group		✓	✓			✓	✓		✓		✓				✓	✓	
generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes, pattern pieces and computer-aided design		✓	✓			✓	✓		✓		✓				✓	✓	
Make																	
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																	
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																	

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.			✓				✓		✓				✓		