



# FORSBROOK CE PRIMARY DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY CURRICULUM MAP KS2

Year Group	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
Year 3	<b>Food</b> Healthy and varied diet	<b>Structures</b> Shell structures (including computer aided design)	<b>Textiles</b> 2D shape to 3D product
	<b>To plan and make bread for a Christmas party</b>	<b>To make a mother's day gift box to hold a small gift.</b>	<b>To make a fabric pencil case</b>
	<p><u>Prior learning</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Know some ways to prepare ingredients safely and hygienically.</li> <li>Have some basic knowledge and understanding about healthy eating and The eatwell plate.</li> <li>Have used some equipment and utensils and prepared and combined ingredients to make a product.</li> </ul> <p><u>Designing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Generate and clarify ideas through discussion with peers and adults to develop design criteria including appearance, taste, texture and aroma for an appealing product for a particular user and purpose.</li> <li>Use annotated sketches and appropriate information and communication technology, such as web-based recipes, to develop and communicate ideas.</li> </ul> <p><u>Making</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Plan the main stages of a recipe, listing ingredients, utensils and equipment.</li> <li>Select and use appropriate utensils and equipment to prepare and combine ingredients.</li> <li>Select from a range of ingredients to make appropriate food products, thinking about sensory characteristics.</li> </ul> <p><u>Evaluating</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Carry out sensory evaluations of a variety of ingredients and products. Record the evaluations using e.g. tables and simple graphs.</li> <li>Evaluate the ongoing work and the final product with reference to the design criteria and the views of others.</li> </ul> <p><u>Technical knowledge and understanding</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Know how to use appropriate equipment and utensils to prepare and combine food.</li> <li>Know about a range of fresh and processed ingredients appropriate for their product, and whether they are grown, reared or caught.</li> <li>Know and use relevant technical and sensory vocabulary appropriately.</li> </ul>	<p><u>Prior learning</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Experience of using different joining, cutting and finishing techniques with paper and card.</li> <li>A basic understanding of 2-D and 3-D shapes in mathematics and the physical properties and everyday uses of materials in science.</li> <li>Familiarity with general purpose software that can be used to draw accurate shapes, such as Microsoft Word, or simple computer-aided design (CAD), such as 2D Primary by Techsoft.</li> </ul> <p><u>Designing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Generate realistic ideas and design criteria collaboratively through discussion, focusing on the needs of the user and the functional and aesthetic purposes of the product.</li> <li>Develop ideas through the analysis of existing shell structures and use computer-aided design to model and communicate ideas.</li> </ul> <p><u>Making</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Plan the order of the main stages of making.</li> <li>Select and use appropriate tools and software to measure, mark out, cut, score, shape and assemble with some accuracy.</li> <li>Explain their choice of materials according to functional properties and aesthetic qualities.</li> <li>Use computer-generated finishing techniques suitable for the product they are creating.</li> </ul> <p>-</p> <p><u>Evaluating</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Investigate and evaluate a range of shell structures including the materials, components and techniques that have been used.</li> <li>Test and evaluate their own products against design criteria and the intended user and purpose.</li> </ul> <p><u>Technical knowledge and understanding</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Develop and use knowledge of nets of cubes and cuboids and, where appropriate, more complex 3D shapes.</li> <li>Develop and use knowledge of how to construct strong, stiff shell structures.</li> <li>Know and use technical vocabulary relevant to the project.</li> </ul>	<p><u>Prior learning</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have joined fabric in simple ways by gluing and stitching.</li> <li>Have used simple patterns and templates for marking out.</li> <li>Have evaluated a range of textile products. 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Technical knowledge and understanding</li> </ul> <p><u>Designing</u></p> <p>Generate realistic ideas through discussion and design criteria for an appealing, functional product fit for purpose and specific user/s.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Produce annotated sketches, prototypes, final product sketches and pattern pieces.</li> </ul> <p><u>Making</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Plan the main stages of making.</li> <li>Select and use a range of appropriate tools with some accuracy e.g. cutting, joining and finishing.</li> <li>Select fabrics and fastenings according to their functional characteristics e.g. strength, and aesthetic qualities e.g. pattern.</li> </ul> <p><u>Evaluating</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Investigate a range of 3-D textile products relevant to the project.</li> <li>Test their product against the original design criteria and with the intended user.</li> <li>Take into account others' views.</li> <li>Understand how a key event/individual has influenced the development of the chosen product and/or fabric</li> </ul> <p><u>Technical knowledge and understanding</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Know how to strengthen, stiffen and reinforce existing fabrics.</li> <li>Understand how to securely join two pieces of fabric together.</li> <li>Understand the need for patterns and seam allowances.</li> </ul> <p>Know and use technical vocabulary relevant to the project</p>



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<p><b>Year 4</b></p>	<p><b>Mechanical Systems</b> Levers and linkages</p>	<p><b>Electrical Systems</b> Simple circuits and switches (including programming and control)</p>	<p><b>Food</b> To design and make a healthy sandwich for school pupils for a lunchtime occasion</p>
	<p><b>To create a Christmas themed puppet for a decoration or gift.</b></p>	<p><b>To create a light up Mother's Day card to give to a family member</b></p>	<p><b>To design and healthy bread and dip dish to eat at a summer party.</b></p>
	<p><u>Prior learning</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explored and used mechanisms such as flaps, sliders and levers.</li> <li>Gained experience of basic cutting, joining and finishing techniques with paper and card.</li> </ul> <p><u>Designing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Generate realistic ideas and their own design criteria through discussion, focusing on the needs of the user.</li> <li>Use annotated sketches and prototypes to develop, model and communicate ideas.</li> </ul> <p><u>Making</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Order the main stages of making.</li> <li>Select from and use appropriate tools with some accuracy to cut, shape and join paper and card.</li> <li>Select from and use finishing techniques suitable for the product they are creating.</li> </ul> <p><u>Evaluating</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Investigate and analyse books and, where available, other products with lever and linkage mechanisms.</li> <li>Evaluate their own products and ideas against criteria and user needs, as they design and make.</li> </ul> <p><u>Technical knowledge and understanding</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understand and use lever and linkage mechanisms.</li> <li>Distinguish between fixed and loose pivots.</li> <li>Know and use technical vocabulary relevant to the project.</li> </ul>	<p><u>Prior learning</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Constructed a simple series electrical circuit in science, using bulbs, switches and buzzers.</li> <li>Cut and joined a variety of construction materials, such as wood, card, plastic, reclaimed materials and glue.</li> </ul> <p><u>Designing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gather information about needs and wants, and develop design criteria to inform the design of products that are fit for purpose, aimed at particular individuals or groups.</li> <li>Generate, develop, model and communicate realistic ideas through discussion and, as appropriate, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams.</li> </ul> <p><u>Making</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Order the main stages of making.</li> <li>Select from and use tools and equipment to cut, shape, join and finish with some accuracy.</li> <li>Select from and use materials and components, including construction materials and electrical components according to their functional properties and aesthetic qualities.</li> </ul> <p><u>Evaluating</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Investigate and analyse a range of existing battery-powered products.</li> <li>Evaluate their ideas and products against their own design criteria and identify the strengths and areas for improvement in their work.</li> </ul> <p><u>Technical knowledge and understanding</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understand and use electrical systems in their products, such as series circuits incorporating switches, bulbs and buzzers.</li> <li>Apply their understanding of computing to program and control their products.</li> <li>Know and use technical vocabulary relevant to the project</li> </ul>	<p><u>Prior learning</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Know some ways to prepare ingredients safely and hygienically.</li> <li>Have some basic knowledge and understanding about healthy eating and The eatwell plate.</li> <li>Have used some equipment and utensils and prepared and combined ingredients to make a product.</li> </ul> <p><u>Designing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Generate and clarify ideas through discussion with peers and adults to develop design criteria including appearance, taste, texture and aroma for an appealing product for a particular user and purpose.</li> <li>Use annotated sketches and appropriate information and communication technology, such as web-based recipes, to develop and communicate ideas.</li> </ul> <p><u>Making</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Plan the main stages of a recipe, listing ingredients, utensils and equipment.</li> <li>Select and use appropriate utensils and equipment to prepare and combine ingredients.</li> <li>Select from a range of ingredients to make appropriate food products, thinking about sensory characteristics.</li> </ul> <p><u>Evaluating</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Carry out sensory evaluations of a variety of ingredients and products. Record the evaluations using e.g. tables and simple graphs.</li> <li>Evaluate the ongoing work and the final product with reference to the design criteria and the views of others.</li> <li>Understand how key events and individuals in design and technology have helped shape the world.</li> </ul> <p><u>Technical knowledge and understanding</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Know how to use appropriate equipment and utensils to prepare and combine food.</li> <li>Know about a range of fresh and processed ingredients appropriate for their product, and whether they are grown, reared or caught.</li> <li>Know and use relevant technical and sensory vocabulary appropriately.</li> </ul>



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Year 5	<b>Textiles</b> Combing different fabric shapes (including computer aided design)	<b>Mechanical Systems</b> Cams	<b>Food</b> Celebrating culture and seasonality
	<b>To create a fabric Christmas decoration for a family member to hang on the Christmas tree</b>	<b>To design and make a moving shop window design based on a book</b>	<b>To prepare and serve a salad for a family summer picnic</b>
	<p><u>Prior learning</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Experience of stitching, joining and finishing techniques in textiles.</li> <li>• Experience of making and using textiles pattern pieces.</li> <li>• Experience of simple computer-aided design applications</li> </ul> <p><u>Designing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Generate innovative ideas through research including surveys, interviews and questionnaires.</li> <li>• Develop, model and communicate ideas through talking, drawing, templates, mock-ups and prototypes including using computer-aided design.</li> <li>• Design purposeful, functional, appealing products for the intended user that are fit for purpose based on a simple design specification.</li> </ul> <p><u>Making</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Produce detailed lists of equipment and fabrics relevant to their tasks.</li> <li>• Formulate step-by-step plans and, if appropriate, allocate tasks within a team.</li> <li>• Select from and use a range of tools and equipment, including CAD, to make products that are accurately assembled and well finished.</li> <li>• Work within the constraints of time, resources and cost</li> </ul> <p><u>Evaluating</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Investigate and analyse textile products linked to their final product.</li> <li>• Compare the final product to the original design specification.</li> <li>• Test products with intended user, where safe and practical, and critically evaluate the quality of the design, manufacture, functionality and fitness for purpose.</li> <li>• Consider the views of others to improve their work.</li> </ul> <p><u>Technical knowledge and understanding</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A 3-D textile product can be made from a combination of accurately made pattern pieces, fabric shapes and different fabrics.</li> <li>• Fabrics can be strengthened, stiffened and reinforced where appropriate.</li> </ul>	<p><u>Prior learning</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Experience of axles, axle holders and wheels that are fixed or free moving.</li> <li>• Basic understanding of different types of movement.</li> <li>• Experience of cutting and joining techniques with a range of materials including card, plastic and wood.</li> <li>• An understanding of how to strengthen and stiffen structures.</li> </ul> <p><u>Designing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Generate innovative ideas by carrying out research using surveys, interviews, questionnaires and web-based resources.</li> <li>• Develop a simple design specification to guide their thinking.</li> <li>• Develop and communicate ideas through discussion, annotated drawings, exploded drawings and drawings from different views.</li> </ul> <p><u>Making</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Produce detailed lists of tools, equipment and materials. Formulate step-by-step plans and, if appropriate, allocate tasks within a team.</li> <li>• Select from and use a range of tools and equipment to make products that that are accurately assembled and well finished. Work within the constraints of time, resources and cost.</li> </ul> <p><u>Evaluating</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Compare the final product to the original design specification.</li> <li>• Test products with the intended user, where safe and practical, and critically evaluate the quality of the design, manufacture, functionality and fitness for purpose.</li> <li>• Consider the views of others to improve their work.</li> <li>• Investigate famous manufacturing and engineering companies relevant to the project.</li> </ul> <p><u>Technical knowledge and understanding</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Understand that mechanical systems have an input, process and an output.</li> <li>• Understand how cams can be used to produce different types of movement and change the direction of movement.</li> <li>• Know and use technical vocabulary relevant to the project</li> </ul>	<p><u>Prior learning</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have knowledge and understanding about food hygiene, nutrition, healthy eating and a varied diet.</li> <li>• Be able to use appropriate equipment and utensils, and apply a range of techniques for measuring out, preparing and combining ingredients.</li> </ul> <p><u>Designing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 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</li> <li>• Explore a range of initial ideas, and make design decisions to develop a final product linked to user and purpose.</li> <li>• Use words, annotated sketches and information and communication technology as appropriate to develop and communicate ideas.</li> </ul> <p><u>Making</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Write a step-by-step recipe, including a list of ingredients, equipment and utensils</li> <li>• select from and use a wider range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks [for example, cutting, shaping, joining and finishing], accurately</li> <li>• Make, decorate and present the food product appropriately for the intended user and purpose.</li> </ul> <p><u>Evaluating</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Carry out sensory evaluations of a range of relevant products and ingredients. Record the evaluations using e.g. tables/graphs/charts such as star diagrams.</li> <li>• Evaluate the final product with reference back to the design brief and design specification, taking into account the views of others when identifying improvements.</li> <li>• Understand how key chefs have influenced eating habits to promote varied and healthy diets.</li> <li>• Know how to use utensils and equipment including heat sources to prepare and cook food.</li> <li>• Understand about seasonality in relation to food products and the source of different food products.</li> <li>• Know and use relevant technical and sensory vocabulary.</li> </ul>



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Year 6	<b>Food</b> Celebrating culture and seasonality	<b>Mechanical Systems</b> Pulleys and gears	<b>Electrical Systems</b> More complex switches and circuits (including programming, monitoring and control)
	<b>To make an 'on the go' product for guests at a Christmas party</b>	<b>Design and make a toy car for KS1 child which is powered by a pulley mechanism</b>	<b>Design and make a pedometer for a child to encourage them to walk more.</b>
	<p><u>Prior learning</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have knowledge and understanding about food hygiene, nutrition, healthy eating and a varied diet.</li> <li>• Be able to use appropriate equipment and utensils, and apply a range of techniques for measuring out, preparing and combining ingredients.</li> </ul> <p><u>Designing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 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</li> <li>• generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes, pattern pieces and computer-aided design</li> </ul> <p><u>Making</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Write a step-by-step recipe, including a list of ingredients, equipment and utensils</li> <li>• select from and use a wider range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks [for example, cutting, shaping, joining and finishing], accurately</li> <li>• 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</li> <li>• Make, decorate and present the food product appropriately for the intended user and purpose.</li> </ul> <p><u>Evaluating</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Carry out sensory evaluations of a range of relevant products and ingredients. Record the evaluations using e.g. tables/graphs/charts such as star diagrams.</li> <li>• Evaluate the final product with reference back to the design brief and design specification, taking into account the views of others when identifying improvements.</li> </ul> <p><u>Technical knowledge and understanding</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Know how to use utensils and equipment including heat sources to prepare and cook food.</li> <li>• Understand about seasonality in relation to food products and the source of different food products.</li> <li>• Know and use relevant technical and sensory vocabulary.</li> </ul>	<p><u>Prior learning</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Experience of axles, axle holders and wheels that are fixed or free moving.</li> <li>• Basic understanding of electrical circuits, simple switches and components.</li> <li>• Experience of cutting and joining techniques with a range of materials including card, plastic and wood.</li> <li>• An understanding of how to strengthen and stiffen structures.</li> </ul> <p><u>Designing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Generate innovative ideas by carrying out research using surveys, interviews, questionnaires and web-based resources.</li> <li>• Develop a simple design specification to guide their thinking.</li> <li>• Develop and communicate ideas through discussion, annotated drawings, exploded drawings and drawings from different views.</li> </ul> <p><u>Making</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Produce detailed lists of tools, equipment and materials. Formulate step-by-step plans and, if appropriate, allocate tasks within a team.</li> <li>• Select from and use a range of tools and equipment to make products that that are accurately assembled and well finished. Work within the constraints of time, resources and cost.</li> </ul> <p><u>Evaluating</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Compare the final product to the original design specification.</li> <li>• Test products with intended user and critically evaluate the quality of the design, manufacture, functionality and fitness for purpose.</li> <li>• Consider the views of others to improve their work.</li> <li>• Investigate famous manufacturing and engineering companies relevant to the project.</li> </ul> <p><u>Technical knowledge and understanding</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Understand that mechanical and electrical systems have an input, process and an output.</li> <li>• Understand how gears and pulleys can be used to speed up, slow down or change the direction of movement.</li> <li>• Know and use technical vocabulary relevant to the project.</li> </ul>	<p><u>Prior learning</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Initial experience of using computer control software and an interface box, a standalone box or microcontroller, e.g. Crumble.</li> <li>• Some experience of writing and modifying a program to make a light turn on or flash on and off.</li> <li>• Understanding of the essential characteristics of a series circuit and experience of creating a battery-powered, functional, electrical product.</li> </ul> <p><u>Designing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Develop a design specification for a functional product that responds automatically to changes in the environment.</li> <li>• Generate, develop and communicate ideas through discussion, annotated sketches and pictorial representations of electrical circuits or circuit diagrams.</li> </ul> <p><u>Making</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Formulate a step-by-step plan to guide making, listing tools, equipment, materials and components.</li> <li>• Competently select and accurately assemble materials, and securely connect electrical components to produce a reliable, functional product.</li> <li>• Create and modify a computer control program to enable their electrical product to respond to changes in the environment.</li> </ul> <p><u>Evaluating</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Continually evaluate and modify the working features of the product to match the initial design specification.</li> <li>• Test the system to demonstrate its effectiveness for the intended user and purpose.</li> </ul> <p><u>Technical knowledge and understanding</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Understand and use electrical systems in their products.</li> <li>• Understand the use of computer control systems in products.</li> <li>• Apply their understanding of computing to program, monitor and control their products.</li> <li>• Know and use technical vocabulary relevant to the project.</li> </ul>