Design and Technology (GCSE)



The areas of development are:	Solutions
Design and Technology	
 demonstrating the ability to investigate and gather research to inform design proposals 	 Collins AQA GCSE 9-1 Revision guide: Design and Technology: Research and investigation pages 22 BBC Bitesize: <u>Investigating</u>
 developing realistic design proposals as a result of the exploration of design opportunities and users' needs, wants and values 	 Collins AQA GCSE 9-1 Revision guide: Design and Technology: Briefs and specification pages 24-25 further information and support can be found on the BBC <u>Bitesize</u> website AQA Design and Technology
being able to use imagination and experimentation, as well as combine ideas when designing	 Collins AQA GCSE 9-1 Revision guide: Design and Technology: Exploring and developing ideas pages 26-27 GCSE Product Design website
developing the skills to critique and refine ideas	 further information and support can be found on the Technology Student website
 communicating design ideas and decisions, as appropriate for different audiences at key points in the designing process 	 Collins AQA GCSE 9-1 Revision guide: Design and Technology: Communication of ideas pages 28-31 Technology student website BBC Bitesize: Material categories and properties
 developing decision making skills, including the planning and organisation of time and resources when managing project work 	 further information and support can be found on the BBC Bitesize website AQA Design and Technology
 demonstrating a broad knowledge of materials, components and technologies 	 PG AQA GCSE 9-1 Design and Technology course book sources and origins chapter 5 <u>Technology student website</u>

	BBC Bitesize: Material categories and properties
 being ambitious, open to explore and take design risks in order to develop design proposals, avoiding clichéd or stereotypical responses 	 use the resources from your class teacher <u>Technology student website</u>
 considering the costs, commercial viability and marketing of products 	 further information and support can be found on the BBC Bitesize website AQA Design and Technology
 demonstrating an understanding of safe working practices in design and technology 	 further information and support can be found on the BBC Bitesize website AQA Design and Technology
 being able to use and understand key design and technology terminology 	 use the <u>AQA Website</u> and the resources from your class teacher to develop your understanding of the key terminology used
 demonstrating an understanding of key topics surrounding environmental, social and economic challenge 	 further information and support can be found on the BBC bitesize website AQA Design and Technology Study Rocket website
 demonstrating a working understanding of influence in design specially the work of other designers and companies 	 PG AQA GCSE 9-1 Design and Technology course book: The work of others page 245 Study Rocket website
demonstrating a working knowledge of different design strategies	 PG AQA GCSE 9-1 Design and Technology course book: Design strategies page 254 BBC Bitesize: Design strategies
 demonstrating, an understanding of prototypes and how they respond to client wants and needs 	 Collins AQA GCSE 9-1 Revision guide: Design and Technology: Prototype development pages 34-35 BBC Bitesize: Evaluating
 demonstrating a working knowledge of material selection, components, and material management 	 Collins AQA GCSE 9-1 Revision guide: Design and Technology: Materials pages 60-76 Study Rocket website
demonstrating, as well as applying, knowledge and understanding of specialist tools and equipment	 Collins AQA GCSE 9-1 Revision guide: Design and Technology: Manufacturing Materials pages 93-107 BBC Bitesize: <u>Specialist technical principles</u>
 demonstrating, as well as applying, knowledge and understanding of specialist techniques and processes 	 Collins AQA GCSE 9-1 Revision guide: Design and Technology: Working with materials pages 80-81 Study Rocket website

 demonstrating a strong approach to assessment questions and providing a suitable level of response using command words written within a question 	 use the resources provided by your class teacher with past exam questions Revision world website
 demonstrating an understanding of modern, smart materials and technical textiles 	 PG AQA GCSE 9-1 Design and Technology course book: Energy, materials, systems and devices pages 43-55 Study Rocket website
demonstrating and understanding of energy storage and generation	 Collins AQA GCSE 9-1 Revision guide: Design and Technology: Energy storage and generation pages 46-47 BBC Bitesize: Energy generation and storage

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