DT Curriculum Map for Grange Junior School

	Term 1/2	Term 3/4	Term 5/6
Y3	Structures	Textiles	Food
	(Shell)	(2D to 3D)	(Healthy Eating)
	To design and make a cube/cuboid	To design and make a fabric bag with	To design and make a healthy
	(net) box to hold an artefact	an intended purpose	sandwich/wrap to eat at school
	Investigate a collection of different cube/cuboid shell structures including packaging	Investigate a range of textile bags that have a selection of stitches, joins, fabrics, finishing techniques, fastenings and purposes	Investigate a range of food products Linked to the principles of a varied and healthy diet using <i>The Eatwell Guide</i>
	Generate realistic ideas and design criteria collaboratively through discussion, focusing on the needs of the user and purpose of the product	Generate realistic ideas through discussion and design criteria for an appealing, functional product fit for purpose and specific user/s Select and use a range of appropriate tools with	Use annotated sketches and appropriate information and communication technology, such as web-based recipes, to develop and communicate ideas
	Select and use appropriate tools to measure, mark out, cut, score, shape and assemble with some accuracy	some accuracy e.g. cutting, joining and finishing Test their product against the original design criteria and with the intended user	Select from a range of ingredients to make appropriate food products, thinking about sensory characteristics
	Test and evaluate their own products against design criteria and the intended user and purpose		Evaluate the ongoing work and the final product with reference to the design criteria and the views of others.
Y4	Structures	Food	Mechanical Systems
14	(Shell)	(Healthy Eating)	(Levers & Linkages)
	To design and make a prism (net)	To design and make a healthy	To design and make an
	box to hold an artefact	lunchbox to eat at school	information poster for a class display
	Investigate a collection of different prism shell structures including packaging	Investigate a range of food products Linked to the principles of a varied and healthy diet using The Eatwell Guide	Investigate, analyse and evaluate books and, where available, other products
	Evaluate existing products to determine which designs children think are the most effective	Gather information about existing products available relating to your product	which have a range of lever and linkage mechanisms.
	Generate realistic ideas and design criteria collaboratively through discussion, focusing on the needs of the user and purpose of the	Generate and clarify ideas through discussion with peers and adults to develop design criteria including appearance, taste, texture and aroma	Generate realistic ideas and their own design criteria through discussion, focusing on the needs of the user.
	product Develop ideas through the analysis of existing	for an appealing product for a particular user and purpose.	Select from and use appropriate tools with some accuracy to cut, shape and join paper and card.
	products and use annotated sketches and prototypes to model and communicate ideas	Select and use appropriate utensils and equipment to prepare and combine ingredients	Select from and use finishing techniques suitable for the product they are creating.
	Select and use appropriate tools to measure, mark out, cut, score, shape and assemble with some accuracy	Evaluate the ongoing work and the final product with reference to the design criteria and the views of others.	Evaluate their own products and ideas against criteria and user needs, as they
	Test and evaluate their own products against design criteria and the intended user and purpose		design and make
Y5	Structures	Mechanical Systems	Food
• •	(Frame)	(Cams)	(Culture & Seasonality)
	To design and make a cube/cuboid	To design and make a moving toy to	To design and make bread for a
	frame box to hold an artefact	entertain someone	summer picnic
	Investigate and make annotated drawings of a range of portable and permanent cube/cuboid frame structures	Make simple models of different types of cams or have toys in which the cam mechanisms can be seen	Carry out sensory evaluations of a variety of existing food products and ingredients relating to the project
	Generate, develop and model innovative ideas, through discussion, prototypes and annotated sketches.	Generate innovative ideas by carrying out research using surveys, interviews, questionnaires and web-based resources.	Explore a range of initial ideas, and make design decisions to develop a final product linked to user and purpose.
	Competently select from and use appropriate tools to accurately measure, mark out, cut, shape and join construction materials to make frameworks.	Select from and use a range of tools and equipment to make products that that are accurately assembled and well finished. Work	Select and use appropriate utensils and equipment accurately to measure and combine appropriate ingredients.

Use finishing and decorative techniques suitable for the product they are designing and making.

Evaluate their products against their design specification, intended user and purpose, identifying strengths and areas for development

within the constraints of time, resources and cost.

Compare the final product to the original design specification

Make, decorate and present the food product appropriately for the intended user and purpose

Evaluate the final product with reference back to the design brief and design specification, taking into account the views of others when identifying improvements

Y6

Structures (Frame)

To design and make a prism frame box to hold an artefact

Investigate and make annotated drawings of a range of portable and permanent prism frame structures

Carry out research into user needs and existing products, using surveys, interviews, questionnaires and web-based resources.

Develop a simple design specification to guide the development of their ideas and products, taking account of constraints including time, resources and cost.

Generate, develop and model innovative ideas, through discussion, prototypes and annotated sketches.

Formulate a clear plan, including a step-bystep list of what needs to be done and lists of resources to be used.

Competently select from and use appropriate tools to accurately measure, mark out, cut, shape and join construction materials to make frameworks.

Use finishing and decorative techniques suitable for the product they are designing and making.

Critically evaluate their products against their design specification, intended user and purpose, identifying strengths and areas for development, and carrying out appropriate tests.

Food (Culture & Seasonality)

To design and make a nutritionally balanced hot cross bun for someone

Children use first hand and secondary sources to carry out relevant research into existing products to include personal/cultural preferences, ensuring a healthy diet, meeting dietary needs

Carry out sensory evaluations of a variety of existing food products and ingredients relating to the project

Explore a range of initial ideas, and make design decisions to develop a final product linked to user and purpose.

Write a step-by-step recipe, including a list of ingredients, equipment and utensils

Select and use appropriate utensils and equipment accurately to measure and combine appropriate ingredients.

Make, decorate and present the food product appropriately for the intended user and purpose

Evaluate the final product with reference back to the design brief and design specification, taking into account the views of others when identifying improvements.

Mechanical Systems (Combination)

To design and make a moving toy that uses a combination of mechanisms to entertain someone

Make simple models of different types of cams/levers & linkages or have toys in which the mechanisms can be seen

Generate innovative ideas by carrying out research using surveys, interviews, questionnaires and web-based resources.

Develop and communicate ideas through discussion, annotated drawings, exploded drawings and drawings from different views.

Produce detailed lists of tools, equipment and materials. Formulate step-by-step plans and, if appropriate, allocate tasks within a team.

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

Compare the final product to the original design specification.