

Imagine, Believe, Achieve

DT Progression of Learning						
Reception	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
	•	Developing, p	lanning and commu	nicating ideas	•	
Recognise that a range of technology is used in places such as homes and schools. Select and use technology for particular purposes. Explore and play with a wide range of media and materials, as well as providing opportunities and encouragement for sharing their thoughts, ideas and feelings through a variety of activities. Children investigate and experience things, and 'have a go'. Show an interest in technological toys with knobs or pulleys, or real objects.	Begin to draw on their own experience to help generate ideas and research conducted on criteria. Begin to understand the development of existing products: What they are for, how they work, materials used. Start to suggest ideas and explain what they are going to do. Understand how to identify a target group for what they intend to design and make based on a de- sign criteria. Begin to develop their ideas through talk and drawings. Make templates and mock ups of their	Start to generate ideas by drawing on their own and other people's experiences. Begin to develop their design ideas through discussion, observation, drawing and modelling. Identify a purpose for what they intend to design and make. Understand how to identify a target group for what they intend to design and make based on a design criteria. Develop their ideas through talk and drawings and label parts. Make templates and mock ups of their	With growing confidence generate ideas for an item, considering its purpose and the user/s. Start to order the main stages of making a product. Identify a purpose and establish criteria for a successful product. Understand how well products have been designed, made, what materials have been used and the construction technique. Learn about inventors, designers, engineers, chefs and manufacturers who have developed ground-breaking	Start to generate ideas, considering the purposes for which they are designing- link with Mathematics and Science. Confidently make labelled drawings from different views showing specific features. Develop a clear idea of what has to be done, planning how to use materials, equipment and processes, and suggesting alternative methods of making, if the first attempts fail. Identify the strengths and areas for development in their ideas and products.	Start to generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes, pattern pieces. Begin to use research and develop design criteria to inform the design of innovative, functional, appealing products that are fit for purpose. With growing confidence apply a range of finishing techniques, including those from art and design. Draw up a specification for their	Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes, pattern pieces. Use research and develop design criteria to inform the design of innovative, functional, appealing products that are fit for purpose. Accurately apply a range of finishing techniques, including those from art and design. Draw up a specification for their design-link with

Show skill in making toys work by pressing parts or lifting flaps to achieve effects, such as sound, movements or new images. Concentrate and keep on trying if they encounter difficulties, and enjoy achieve- ments. Children have and develop their own ideas, make links between ideas, and develop strategies for doing things.	ideas in card and paper or using ICT.	ideas in card and paper or using ICT.	products. Start to un- derstand whether products can be recycled or reused. Know to make drawings with labels when designing. When planning explain their choice of materials and components including function and aesthetics.	When planning con- sider the views of others, including in- tended users, to im- prove their work. Learn about inven- tors, designers, engineers, chefs and manufacturers who have developed ground -breaking products. When planning explain their choice of materials and components according to function and aesthetic.	design- link with Mathematics and Science. Use results of investigations, information sources, including ICT when developing design ideas. With growing confidence select appropriate materials, tools and techniques. Start to understand how much products cost to make, how sustainable and innovative they are and the impact products have beyond their intended purpose.	Mathematics and Science. Plan the order of their work, choosing appropriate materials, tools and techniques. Suggest alternative methods of making if the first attempts fail. Identify the strengths and areas for development in their ideas and products. Know how much products cost to make, how sustainable and innovative they are and the impact products have beyond their intended purpose.
	Working	with tools, equipment	. materials and compo	nents to make quality	products	
Children follow instructions involving several ideas or actions. Begin to show good control and co-ordination. Use one-handed tools and equipment, e.g. makes snips in paper with child scissors. Understand that equipment and tools have to be used	Begin to make their design using appropriate techniques. Begin to build structures, exploring how they can be made stronger, stiffer and more stable. Explore and use mechanisms [for example, levers, sliders, wheels and axles], in their	Begin to select tools and materials; use correct vocabulary to name and describe them. Build structures, exploring how they can be made stronger, stiffer and more stable. With help measure, cut and score with some accuracy. Learn to use hand tools safely and	Select a wider range of tools and techniques for making their product i.e. construction materials and kits, textiles, food ingredients, mechanical components and electrical components. Explain their choice of tools and equipment in	Select a wider range of tools and techniques for making their product safely. Know how to measure, mark out, cut and shape a range of materials, using appropriate tools, equipment and techniques. Start to join and combine materials	Select appropriate materials, tools and techniques e.g. cutting, shaping, joining and finishing, accurately. Select from and use a wider range of materials and components, including construction materials, textiles and ingredients,	Confidently select appropriate tools, materials, components and techniques and use them. Use tools safely and accurately. Assemble components to make working models. Aim to make and to achieve a quality product.

safely. Use simple	products. With help	appropriately. Start	relation to the skills	and components	according to their	With confidence pin,
tools to effect	measure, mark out,	to assemble, join	and techniques they	accurately in	functional properties	sew and stitch
		and combine	1 3	5	and aesthetic	
changes to	cut and shape a	materials in order to	will be using. Start to understand that	temporary and		materials together to
materials.	range of materials.	make a product.		permanent ways.	qualities. Understand	create a product.
Handle tools,	Explore using tools	Demonstrate how to	mechanical and	Know how	how mechanical	Demonstrate when
objects, construction	e.g. scissors and a		electrical systems	mechanical systems	systems such as	make modifications
and malleable	hole-punch safely.	cut, shape and join fabric to make a	have an input,	such as cams or	cams or pulleys or	as they go along.
materials safely and	Begin to assemble,		process and output.	pulleys or gears	gears create	Construct products
with increasing	join and combine	simple product. Use	Start to understand	create movement.	movement.	using permanent
control.	materials and	basic sewing	that mechanical	Understand how	Know how more	joining techniques.
Show understanding	components together	techniques. Start to	systems such as	more complex	complex electrical	Understand how
of how to transport	using a variety of	choose and use	levers and linkages	electrical circuits and	circuits and	mechanical systems
and store equipment	temporary methods	appropriate finishing	or pneumatic	components can be	components can be	such as cams or
safely.	e.g. glues or	techniques based on	systems create	used to create	used to create	pulleys or gears
Practise some	masking tape.	own ideas.	movement.	functional products.	functional products	create movement.
appropriate safety	Begin to use simple		Know how simple	Continue to learn	and how to program	Know how more
measures without	finishing techniques		electrical circuits and	how to program a	a computer to	complex electrical
direct supervision.	to improve the		components can be	computer to monitor	monitor changes in	circuits and
	appearance of their		used to create	changes in the	the environment and	components can be
	product.		functional products.	environment and	control their	used to create
			Measure, mark out,	control their	products.	functional products
			cut, score and as-	products.	Understand that	and how to program
			semble components	Understand how to	mechanical and	a computer to
			with more accuracy.	reinforce and	electrical systems	monitor changes in
			Start to work safely	strengthen a 3D	have an input,	the environment and
			and accurately with a	framework.	process and output.	control their
			range of simple	Sew using a range of	Begin to measure	products. Know how
			tools.	different stitches, to	and mark out more	to reinforce and
			Start to think about	weave and knit.	accurately.	strengthen a 3D
			their ideas as they	Demonstrate how to	Demonstrate how to	framework.
			make progress and	measure, tape or pin,	use skills in using	Understand that
			be willing to change	cut and join fabric	different tools and	mechanical and
			things if this helps	with some accuracy.	equipment safely	electrical systems
			them to improve their	Begin to use	and accurately with	have an input,
			work.	finishing techniques	growing confidence	process and output.
			Start to measure,	to strengthen and	cut and join with	Use finishing
			tape or pin, cut and	improve the	accuracy to ensure a	techniques to
			join fabric with some	appearance of their	accuracy to ensure a	strengthen and
			accuracy.			improve the
			accuracy.	l	l	

				product using a range of equipment.	good-quality finish to the product. Weigh and measure accurately (time, dry ingredients, liquids). Use finishing techniques to strengthen and improve the appearance of their product using a range of equipment.	appearance of their product using a range of equipment.
			ting processes and pro			
To develop preferences for forms of expression. Show understanding of the need for safety when tackling new challenges and consider and manage some risks. Answer 'how' and 'why' questions about their experiences. Say what they 'like' and 'dislike' about their product.	Start to evaluate their product by discussing how well it works in relation to the purpose (design criteria). When looking at existing products explain what they like and dislike about products and why. Begin to evaluate their products as they are developed, identifying strengths and possible changes they might make.	Evaluate their work against their design criteria. Look at a range of existing products explain what they like and dislike about products and why. Start to evaluate their products as they are developed, identifying strengths and possible changes they might make. With confidence talk about their ideas, likes and dislikes.	Start to evaluate their product against original design criteria e.g. how well it meets its intended purpose Begin to disassemble and evaluate familiar products and consider the views of others to improve them. Evaluate the key designs of individuals in design and technology has helped shape the world.	Evaluate their products carrying out appropriate tests. Start to evaluate their work both during and at the end of the assignment. Be able to disassemble and evaluate familiar products and consider the views of others to improve them. Evaluate the key designs of individuals in design and technology has helped shape the world.	Start to evaluate a product against the original design specification and by carrying out tests. Evaluate their work both during and at the end of the assignment. Begin to evaluate it personally and seek evaluation from others. Evaluate the key designs of individuals in design and technology has helped shape the world.	Evaluate their products, identifying strengths and areas for development, and carrying out appropriate tests. Evaluate their work both during and at the end of the assignment. Record their evaluations using drawings with labels. Evaluate against their original criteria and suggest ways that their product could be improved. Evaluate the key designs of individuals in design and technology has helped shape the world.

			Food and Nutrition		l	
			Ingredients			
Explore familiar food products e.g. fruit and vegetables.	Able to recognise and name a basic range of ingredients.	Can give examples of ingredients that come from shops, markets and can be grown at home.	Can recognise and name an increasing range of ingredients.	Is able to explain where to find different ingredients in a shop.	Knows that there are a vast range of ingredients used around the world and can name a variety.	Is able to describe and demonstrate how to grow some foods.
			Healthy eating			
Begin to develop a food vocabulary using taste, smell, texture and feel.	We need a variety of food and drink to stay alive. We all have different taste preferences. Start to understand how to name and sort foods into groups (plants, animals). Begin to understand that everyone should eat at least five portions of fruit and vegetables every day.	We need a variety and balance of food (and drinks) to stay healthy, as depicted in the eatwell guide. Understand how to name and sort foods into the five groups in 'The Eat well plate'. Know that everyone should eat at least five portions of fruit and vegetables every day.	Start to understand that a healthy diet is made up from a variety and balance of different food and drink, as depicted in 'The Eat well plate' Begin to know that to be active and healthy, food and drink are needed to provide energy for the body. People around the world choose and combine different foods and drinks to make meals and snacks.	We need to eat foods in the proportions shown by the eatwell guide as well as eating a variety of foods from the largest food groups to be healthy. Know that to be active and healthy, food and drink are needed to provide energy for the body	Food (and some drinks) provide energy for the body so we can be active and stay healthy. Begin to understand that different food and drink contain different substances – nutrients, water and fibre – that are needed for health.	Understand that nutrients, vitamins, minerals and water are needed for health and are acquired by eating a variety of foods.
			Equipment			1
Is able to recognise a basic range of cooking equipment.	Is able to name a basic range of cooking equipment.	Explains the purpose of a basic range of cooking equipment.	Names an increasing range of cooking equipment and explain what it does.	Is able to choose the most appropriate equipment for in- structions given.	Describes an extended range of cooking equipment, explain its function and how it is designed for its purpose.	Is able to use knowledge and skills to work out how unknown pieces of equipment function.

			Hygiene a	nd safety				
With support, begin to work safely and hygienically.	Can get themselves ready to cook with help and reminders.	Is able to give some examples of foods which should be kept in the fridge, cupboard or freezer.	Can get the ready to co remember need to do independe	emselves ook and what they	Understand how to prepare and cook a variety of predominantly savoury dishes safely and hygienically. Knows that there are storage instructions on most food packaging and can identify and use these.	Talk about ar demonstrate they should c during and at cooking.	what do	Is aware that there are date marks ('use by' and 'best before') on foods, can identify and use these.
		V	Where food	comes fror		I		
Begin to think about where food comes from.	Know all food comes from plants and animals and can give some basic examples. Explore the understanding that food has to be farmed, grown elsewhere (e.g. home) or caught.	Understand that all food comes from plants or animals. Know that food has to be farmed, grown elsewhere (e.g. home) or caught. Is able to sort a number of foods into plant or animal groups.	Can name which grow ground (on trees and v those whic below grou what food i (such as pi chickens a and caugh fish).	<i>i</i> above bushes, <i>i</i> nes) and h grow and. Know is reared gs, nd cattle) t (such as	Understand that food is grown (such as tomatoes, wheat and potatoes), reared (such as pigs, chickens and cattle) and caught (such as fish) in the UK, Europe and the wider world. Can name the sources of common ingredients found in different dishes and meals.	Can say which of a plant or a different food from. Begin t understand th seasons may the food avai Understand h food is proce into ingredier can be eaten in cooking.	animal ds come o hat / affect ilable. how essed nts that	Finds out about the ingredients used in different dishes, where ingredients come from and how they are produced/processed. Understand that seasons may affect the food available.
			Sk	-				
 basic cooking skills. For example: Peel (with a peeler Mix Spread (soft ingree Measure (with measure) 	For example: For example: Peel (with a peeler) • Peel (with a peeler)		port. thorough-	skills wi For examp • Pe • M • Sp • M	Ind uses a range of cool th <u>increasing competend</u> ble: eel (with a peeler) ix (thoroughly) bread (evenly over food) easure (with measuring and scales)	skills <u>v</u> prepar For exa	with confic e <u>increasi</u> ample: <i>Peel (t</i> o	es a range of cooking dence and accuracy to ngly challenging ingre- dients. create ribbons, e.g. courgettes)

 Grate (soft foods) Shape Mash Juice (juicer) Cut (soft foods) using: Fork secure Claw grip Bridge hold (and mini bridge) 	 Measure (with measuring spoons) Snip with kitchen scissors Grate (soft foods) Shape Mash Juice (juicer) Cut (soft foods) using: Fork secure Claw grip Bridge hold (and mini bridge) 	 Snip with kitchen scissors (with great control) Grate (firmer foods like carrots) Shape (with greater precision) Cut out with cutters Spoon ingredients (using two spoons) Arrange (attractively) Crack an egg Cut (soft foods progressing to firmer foods) using: Fork secure Claw grip Bridge hold (and mini bridge) 	 Mix (fold ingredients together e.g. flour into a mixture) Measure accurately (using dig- ital scales, analogue scales, measuring jug) Grate (with greater control and skill, e.g. zest from a lemon) Cut out with cutters (position- ing carefully to avoid wastage) Cut (firm foods) using: Fork secure Claw grip Bridge hold (and mini bridge)
Become competent in a range of cook different ways; using awareness of tas	voury dishes so that they are able to feed in the source of the source o	themselves and others a healthy and varied I preparing ingredients; using utensils and ele son dishes and combine ingredients; adaptir edients.	ectrical equipment; applying heat in