

SANDRINGHAM INFANT AND NURSERY ACADEMY

Progression of Skills



DESIGN TECHNOLOGY

Designing				
EYFS	Year 1	Year 2		
 Select appropriate resources Use gestures, talking and arrangements of materials and components to show design Use contexts set by the teacher and myself Use language of designing and making (join, build, shape, longer, shorter, heavier etc.) 	 state what products they are designing and making say whether their products are for themselves or other users describe what their products are for generate ideas by drawing on their own experiences 	 work confidently within a range of contexts, such as imaginary, story-based, home, school, gardens, playgrounds, local community, industry and the wider environment say how their products will work say how they will make their products suitable for their intended users use simple design criteria to help develop their ideas Use knowledge of existing products to help come up with ideas 		

Making			
EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	
 Construct with a purpose, using a variety of resources Use simple tools and techniques Build / construct with a wide range of objects Select tools & techniques to shape, assemble and join Replicate structures with materials / components Discuss how to make an activity safe and hygienic Record experiences by drawing, writing, voice recording Understand different media can be combined for a purpose 	 plan by suggesting what to do next select from a range of tools and equipment, explaining their choices follow procedures for safety and hygiene use a range of materials and components, including construction materials and kits, textiles, food 	 plan by suggesting what to do next independently select from a range of materials and components according to their characteristics follow procedures for safety and hygiene measure, mark out, cut and shape materials and components 	

ingredients and mechanical components	•	assemble, join and combine materials and components
	•	use finishing techniques, including those from art and design

Evaluating			
EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	
 Adapt work if necessary Dismantle, examine, talk about existing objects/structure s Consider and manage some risks Practise some appropriate safety measures independently Talk about how things work Look at similarities and differences between existing objects / materials / tools Show an interest in technological toys Describe textures 	 talk about their design ideas and what they are making begin to suggest how their products could be improved what products are who products are for what products are for how products work how products are used where products might be used what materials products are made from what they like and dislike about products 	 make simple judgements about their products and ideas against design criteria suggest how their products could be improved what products are who products are for what products are for how products work how products are used where products might be used what materials products are made from what they like and dislike about products 	
Vocabulary			
	evaluate, user, purpose, product	criteria, product, function	

Materials/Structures			
EYFS Year 1		Year 2	
	begin to measure and join materials, with some	measure materials	
	support	describe some different characteristics of materials	

Vocabulary	 describe differences in materials suggest ways to make material/product stronger 	 join materials in different ways use joining, rolling or folding to make it stronger use own ideas to try to make product stronger 	
	cut, fold, join, fix structure, weak, strong, base, top, wall, tower, framework, underneath, side, edge, surface, thinner, thicker, corner, point, straight, curved, metal, wood, plastic		

Mechanisms			
EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	
	begin to use levers or slides	use levers or slides	
		begin to understand how to use wheels and axles	
Vocabulary			
	slider, lever, pivot, slot, bridge/guide, card, masking tape, paper	vehicle, wheel, axle, axle holder, chassis, body, cab assembling,	
	fastener, join, pull, push, up, down, straight, curve, forwards,	cutting, joining, shaping, finishing, fixed, free, moving, mechanisms.	
	backwards		

Textiles			
EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	
	 measure, cut and join textiles to make a product, with some support choose suitable textiles 	 measure textiles join textiles together to make a product, and explain how I did it carefully cut textiles to produce accurate pieces explain choices of textile understand that a 3D textile structure can be made from two identical fabric shapes. 	
Vocabulary			
	joining and finishing techniques, tools, fabrics and components, template, pattern pieces, mark out, join, decorate, finish		

Cooking and Nutrition			
EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	
 Begin to understand some food preparation tools, techniques and processes Practise stirring, mixing, pouring, blending Discuss how to make an activity safe and hygienic Discuss use of senses Understand need for variety in food Begin to understand that eating well contributes to good health 	 describe textures wash hands & clean surfaces think of interesting ways to decorate food say where some foods come from, (i.e. plant or animal) describe differences between some food groups (i.e. sweet, vegetable etc.) discuss how fruit and vegetables are healthy cut, peel and grate safely, with support 	 explain hygiene and keep a hygienic kitchen describe properties of ingredients and importance of varied diet say where food comes from (animal, underground etc.) describe how food is farmed, homegrown, caught draw eat well plate; explain there are groups of food describe "five a day" cut, peel and grate with increasing confidence 	
Vocabulary			
	fruit and vegetable names, names of equipment and utensils sensory vocabulary e.g. soft, juicy, crunchy, sweet, sticky, smooth, sharp, crisp, sour, hard flesh, skin, seed, pip, core, slicing, peeling, cutting, squeezing, healthy diet, choosing, ingredients,		