

Laughton All Saints C of E Primary School – KS1 Design & Technology Progression Grid

	Disciplinary Knowledge				
	Mechanisms	Structures	Food	Textiles	
Key Stage 1	Designing Generate ideas based on simple design criteria and their own experiences, explaining what they could make. Develop, model and communicate their ideas through drawings and mock-ups with card and paper. Making Plan by suggesting what to do next. Select and use tools, explaining their choices, to cut, shape and join paper and card. Use simple finishing techniques suitable for the product they are creating. Evaluating Ev	• Generate ideas based on simple design criteria and their own experiences, explaining what they could make. • Develop, model and communicate their ideas through talking, mock-ups and drawings. Making • Plan by suggesting what to do next. • Select and use tools, skills and techniques, explaining their choices. • Select new and reclaimed materials and construction kits to build their structures. • Use simple finishing techniques suitable for the structure they are creating. Evaluating • Explore a range of existing freestanding structures in the school and local environment e.g. everyday products and buildings. • Evaluate their product by discussing how well it works in relation to the purpose, the user and whether it meets the original design criteria.	Designing Design appealing products for a particular user based on simple design criteria. Generate initial ideas and design criteria through investigating a variety of fruit and vegetables. Communicate these ideas through talk and drawings. Making Use simple utensils and equipment to e.g. peel, cut, slice, squeeze, grate and chop safely. Select from a range of fruit and vegetables according to their characteristics e.g. colour, texture and taste to create a chosen product. Evaluating Taste and evaluate a range of fruit and vegetables to determine the intended user's preferences. Evaluate ideas and finished products against design criteria, including intended user and purpose.	Designing Design a functional and appealing product for a chosen user and purpose based on simple design criteria. Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas as appropriate through talking, drawing, templates, mock-ups and information and communication technology. Making Select from and use a range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks such as marking out, cutting, joining and finishing. Select from and use textiles according to their characteristics. Evaluating Explore and evaluate a range of existing textile products relevant to the project being undertaken. Evaluate their ideas throughout and their final products against original design criteria.	



Substantive Knowledge				
Mechanisms	Structures	Food	Textiles	
(Levers and Sliders) • Explore and use sliders and levers. • Understand that different mechanisms produce different types of movement. • Know and use technical vocabulary relevant to the project. (Wheels and Axles) • Explore and use wheels, axles and axle holders. • Distinguish between fixed and freely moving axles. • Know and use technical vocabulary relevant to the project.	Know how to make freestanding structures stronger, stiffer and more stable. Know and use technical vocabulary relevant to the project.	Understand where a range of fruit and vegetables come from e.g. farmed or grown at home. Understand and use basic principles of a healthy and varied diet to prepare dishes, including how fruit and vegetables are part of the Eatwell plate. Know and use technical and sensory vocabulary relevant to the project.	Understand how simple 3-D textile products are made, using a template to create two identical shapes. Understand how to join fabrics using different techniques e.g. running stitch, glue, over stitch, stapling. Explore different finishing techniques e.g. using painting, fabric crayons, stitching, sequins, buttons and ribbons Know and use technical vocabulary relevant to the project	
Vocabulary				
Sliders and Levers Mechanism Lever Slider Slot Guide or bridge Wheels and axles Axle Dowel Axle holder Chassis Friction	Freestanding structure Frame structure Shell structure Stability Buttress Brick bonding Mock-up	Fruit Vegetable Nutrients Pith Salad Sensory evaluation Kebab	Appliqué Design Embroider Evaluate Fray Glove puppet Mock-up Seam Sew Template	