

St Mary's Catholic Primary School Design & Technology Vocabulary Progression



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In EYFS, we expect children to understand and use the following words or their associated meanings:

weave, fasten/unfasten, pincer, post, thread, mark make, tools, join, materials, stack, natural, balance, cut, dismantle, take apart, mould, build, chop, grate, squeeze, texture, pattern, print, safe, click, twist, squash, turn, thread, peg, sew, shape, wrap, weave.

	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
Year 1	Structures – Constructing a windmill	<u>Textiles – Puppets</u>	Mechanisms / Mechanical Systems
icai I			 Making a moving storybook
	axle	decorate	
	bridge	design	sliders
	design	fabric	mechanism
	design criteria	glue	adapt
	model	model	design criteria
	net	hand puppet	design
	packaging	safety pin	input
	structure	staple	model
	template	stencil	template
	unstable	template	assemble
	stable		test
	strong		
	weak		
Year 2	Mechanisms / Mechanical Systems	Structures – Hermelin's Chair	<u>Textiles – Pouches</u>
icai 2	 Making a moving monster 		
		design criteria	decorate
	axle	man-made	fabric
	design criteria	natural	fabric glue
	input	properties	knot
	linkage	structure	needle
	mechanical	stable	needle threader
	output	shape	running stitch
	pivot	model	sew
	wheel	test	template
			thread



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Year 3	Mechanisms / Mechanical Systems - Pneumatic	Structures – Constructing a castle	Textiles – Cushions or Egyptian collars
icai 5	<u>toys</u>		
		2D/3D	appliqué
	mechanism	castle	cross-stitch
	lever	design	design
	pivot	key features	equipment
	linkage system	net	fabric
	pneumatic system	scoring	patch
	input	shape	running stitch
	output	stable	thread
	component	stiff	seam
	thumbnail sketch	strong	texture
	research	structure	knot
	adapt	tab	
	properties		
	reinforce		
	motion		
Year 4	<u>Textiles – Fastenings</u>	Mechanisms / Mechanical Systems - Making a	Structures – Pavilions
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	Criteria		3D shapes
	Fabric	chassis	Cladding
	Fastening	energy	Design criteria
	Fix	kinetic	Innovative
	Mock-up	mechanism	Natural
	Stitch	air resistance	Reinforce
	Template	design	Structures
		structure	
		graphics	
		research	
		model	
		template	



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Year 5	Mechanisms/	Structures – Bridges	<u>Textiles – Stuffed Toys</u>
	Mechanical Systems – Pop up book	beam bridge	joints
	Pop up book	arch bridge	mark out
	design	truss bridge	hardwood
	input	strength	softwood
	motion	technique	wood file/rasp
	mechanism	· ·	sandpaper/glasspaper
		corrugation lamination	bench hook/vice
	criteria	stiffness	
	research		tenon saw/coping saw
	reinforce	rigid	assemble
	model	factors	material properties
		stability	reinforce
		visual appeal	wood sourcing
		aesthetics	evaluate
			quality of finish
Year 6	Structures –	<u>Textiles – Waistcoats</u>	Mechanisms /
	<u>Playgrounds</u>		Mechanical Systems –
		annotate	Automata toys
	apparatus	decorate	follower
	design criteria	design criteria	accurate frame
	equipment	fabric	assembly-diagram function
	playground	target customer	automata hand drill
	landscape features	waistcoat	axle jelutong
	cladding	waterproof	bench hook linkage
			cam mark out
			clamp measure
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			component mechanism
			cutting list model
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