

Stukeley Federation Design and Technology – UKS2 – Cycle A

Throughout the year the children will cover a variety of aspects of the design and technology curriculum to ensure all children:

- develop the creative, technical and practical expertise needed to perform everyday tasks confidently and to participate successfully in an increasingly technological world
- build and apply a repertoire of knowledge, understanding and skills in order to design and make high-quality prototypes and products for a wide range of users
- critique, evaluate and test their ideas and products and the work of others
- understand and apply the principles of nutrition and learn how to cook.

Autumn 2

Fair Trade

Developing, planning & communicating ideas

Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes.

Use research and develop design criteria to inform the design of innovative, functional, appealing products that are fit for purpose.

Food & Nutrition

Know how to prepare and cook a variety of predominantly savoury dishes safely and hygienically including, where appropriate, the use of a heat source.

Understand how to use a range of techniques such as peeling, chopping, slicing, grating, mixing, spreading, kneading and baking.

Evaluating processes & products

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.

- Fair-Trade bread or biscuits
- understanding seasons may affect food available
- knowing that food is grown & caught in the UK, Europe & the wider world
- understanding that food & drink can contain different substances

Spring 2

Volcanoes

Developing, planning & communicating ideas

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.

Working with tools, equipment, materials and components to make quality products

Confidently select appropriate tools, materials, components and techniques.
Use tools safely and accurately.

Evaluating processes & products

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.

- Mechanical systems pulleys & levers (linked to science)
- Gears and cams
- understand how mechanical systems create movement
- make a moveable object

Summer 1

Ancient Greece

Developing, planning & communicating ideas

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.

Working with tools, equipment, materials and components to make quality products

Confidently select appropriate tools, materials, components and techniques and use them.
Use tools safely and accurately.

Evaluating processes & products

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.

- *Design and create a key ring*
- *Use Tinkercad on iPad*
- *Use 3D printer*