Key Learning in Design and Technology – Key Stage 1			
Design	Make	Evaluate	
Design purposeful, functional, appealing products for themselves and others based on design criteria.	Discuss their work as it progresses.	Explore existing products and investigate how they have been made.	
Use pictures and/or words to convey what they want to design/make.	Select materials from the range provided that will meet their design criteria.  Select and name the tools they are using.	Decide how existing products achieve their purpose.	
Propose more than one idea for their product. (Year 2)	Explain what they are making.	Decide how existing products do not achieve their purpose. (Year 2)	
Use kits and reclaimed materials to develop their idea(s).	Explain which materials they are using and why.	Talk about their design and identify the good and bad points.	
Use connectives to help explain what they are going to do and the order in which they are going to do it.	Describe what they need to do next.	Verbalise changes made during the making process.	
Explore possible ideas by rearranging or changing materials.		Annotate plans and drawings to show changes made during the making process. (Year 2)	
Use pictures and or drawings to develop ideas.		Say what they like and dislike about the items they have made (Year 1) and attempt to say why.  (Year 2)	
Add notes to drawings to help explanations. (Year 2)			
Describe their models and drawings of ideas and intentions.		Discuss how their finished product meets their design criteria and the needs of the user.	
Use ICT, where appropriate to generate, develop, model and communicate ideas.			

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Cooking and Nutrition (Year 1)	Cooking and Nutrition (Year 2)	Structures (Cycle A Only)	Mechanisms (Cycle A Only)
Begin to develop a food vocabulary commenting on taste, smell, texture and feel. Group basic food products such as fruits and vegetables. Explain where basic, familiar foods come from. Cut, peel, grate and chop a range of soft ingredients independently and harder ones with some support. To use equipment safely. To wash hands, keep hair tied	v commenting on ll, texture and feel. ic food products such nd vegetables. here basic, familiar fee from. grate and chop a off ingredients ently and harder ones e support. uipment safely. ands, keep hair tied vocabulary commenting on taste, smell, texture and feel. Group a wider range of familiar food products and begin to use vocabulary such as, carbohydrate, protein, vitamins, minerals etc. Explain where the majority of the food that they eat comes from.	Explore how to make structures stronger, stiffer and more stable. Investigate different techniques for stiffening a variety of materials. Test different methods of enabling structures to remain stable. Join appropriately for different materials and situations. Mark out materials to be cut using a template.  Use a glue gun with close adult supervision.	Join appropriately for different materials and situations. Try out different axle fixings and their strengths and weaknesses. Make vehicles with construction kits, which contain free running wheels. Use a range of materials to create models with wheels and axles e.g. tubes, dowel, cotton reels etc. Roll paper to create tubes. Cut dowel using a hacksaw and bench hook. Attach wheels to a chassis using an axle. Use a hole punch.
back and protect clothes and understand the importance of	Cut, peel, grate and chop a range of ingredients.	Textiles (Cycle B Only)	Mechanisms (Cycle B Only)
this.  To understand that the body needs lots of different foods.  Measure and weigh food items using non statutory measures.  To use all equipment safely. To work hygienically and understand what this means.  To begin to understand the importance of a varied diet. Begin to measure and weigh food using statutory measures.	Cut out shapes which have been created by drawing around a template onto the fabric. Join fabrics in a number of ways, such as: gluing, taping, stapling, over sewing, running stitch. Decorate fabrics by attaching other items, such as: buttons, beads, sequins, ribbons. Colour fabrics using a range of techniques, such as: fabric paints, printing and painting.	Join appropriately for different materials and situations.  Mark out materials to be cut using a template.  Fold, tear and cut paper and card.  Cut along curved and straight lines.  Use a hole punch.  Insert paper fasteners  Experiment with levers and sliders to find different ways of making things move in 2D plane	