Design and Technology Three-Year Curriculum Plan and Progression and Skills Map

	Autumn			Spring			Summer			
	Year A	Year B	Year C	Year A	Year B	Year C	Year A	Year B	Year C	
Class 1	Reception children are developing their design and technology skills through exploration and planned activities linked to the Understanding the World and Expressive Arts and Design areas of learning in the EYFSP.									
Class 2	Textiles Fabric Bunting	Structures	Mechanisms (sliders) Moving Pictures	Structures Pirate Paddy	Textiles Fabric Faces	Food Dips & Dippers	Mechanisms (sliders)	Food Seasonal Salads	Textiles	
Class 3	Structures	Textiles Juggling Balls	Mechanisms Mechanical Posters	Textiles	Food Dips & Dippers	Structures	Mechanisms (wheels & axles)	Structures Fly a Kite	Food The Great Bread Bake	
Class 4	Textiles Felt Phone Cases	Electricity Battery operated lights	Structures	Food Global Food	Mechanisms	Textiles	Structures	Digital Programming Adventures	Food	
Class 5	Textiles	Mechanisms	Food Super Seasonal Cooking	Mechanisms	Electricity Battery operated lights	Structures	Structures	Digital Programming Adventures	Textiles	

Progression of knowledge and skills	Key Stage One	Lower Key Stage Two	Upper Key Stage Two
Mechanisms and Mechanical Systems	Wheels & Axles	Levers & Linkages	Cams
	Sliders & Levers	Pneumatics	Pulleys or Gears
Textiles	Templates & Joining Techniques	2D shapes to 3D product	Using Computer-aided Design in textiles
			Combining different fabric shapes
Structures	Free-standing Structures	Shell structures	Frame structures
		Shell structures using Computer-aided Design	
Food	Preparing Fruit & Veg	Healthy & Varied Diet	Celebrating Culture & Seasonality
Electricity and Electrical Systems		Simple circuits & switches	Monitoring & Control
		Simple Programming & Control	More complex switches & circuits