



DT Curriculum Overview - Year 11

	Unit	Details
Autumn One	NEA and Exam Content	Pupils will work independently and will focus on section A, Identifying & Investigating Design Possibilities, developing the following pages; Client Profile, Initial Research, product analysis. Pupils will also focus on section B, Producing a design brief & specification. Pupils will focus on the exam content of the AQA Design and Technology GCSE covering the three main categories; Core technical principles, specialist technical principles and designing and making principles.
Autumn Two	NEA and Exam Content	Pupils will work independently and will focus on section C - Generating design ideas and section D -Developing design ideas, creating the following pages; Initial design ideas, developed design ideas, materials and components research, modelling, final design and manufacturing specification. Pupils will focus on the exam content of the AQA Design and Technology GCSE covering the three main categories; Core technical principles, specialist technical principles and designing and making principles.
Spring One	NEA and Exam Content	Pupils will work independently and will focus on section E - Realising design ideas, and will focus on manufacturing a high quality prototype of their final design. Focus will be on completing the following NEA pages; Manufacture, quality control. Pupils will focus on the exam content of the AQA Design and Technology GCSE covering the three main categories; Core technical principles, specialist technical principles and designing and making principles.
Spring Two	NEA and Exam Content	Pupils will work independently and will focus on section F - Analysing and Evaluating, developing the following pages; client evaluation, evaluation against the specification, further developments. Pupils will focus on the exam content of the AQA Design and Technology GCSE covering the three main categories; Core technical principles, specialist technical principles and designing and making principles.
Summer One	Exam Content	Pupils will focus on the exam content of the AQA Design and Technology GCSE covering the three main categories; Core technical principles, specialist technical principles and designing and making principles.