Sandon Primary Academy - Design Technology

Year 3

Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term		
Where we use a range of tools and equipment to design, make and evaluate our product.				
Theme: Textiles: Cushions	Theme: Structures: Constructing a castle	Theme: Food: Eating Seasonally		
Lesson 1: Evaluate existing products and begin to use running stitch I can examine cushions, identifying their purpose and user I can disassemble a cushion to learn how it is made and evaluate what makes it a successful product I can thread a needle and tie a knot I can practise running stitch focussing on making it neat and even Lesson 2: Design a cushion I can identify a target audience for my cushion and consider this when designing I can draw and label my cushion design using the correct vocabulary Lesson 3: Applique patch I can follow a design criteria Using my design, I can cut out my applique patch accurately I can attach my applique patch using running stitch Lesson 4: Assembling a cushion I can use stitches to join both pieces of fabric (front and back) together using running stitch around the edge I can create a hidden seam I understand why some products are turned inside out after sewing I can add stuffing, sew up any gaps and complete my cushion Lesson 5: Evaluation I can make any changes to improve the appearance of my product I can evaluate my product against the original design criteria and identify how well it meets its intended purpose	Lesson 1: Explore existing castles and identify features I can explore castles and identify common features using the correct vocabulary I can label features on a 3D image of a castle and discuss definitions/purpose of each I can identify the purpose for a castle (to protect the people inside) Lesson 2: Design and label a castle I can write a design specification and understand what this means I can draw and label a castle that meets my design specification I can draw 2D shapes and label the 3D shapes that I will use when making my castle I can consider who my castle is for and ensure it is suitable for them Lesson 3: Constructing our castle I can plan the order in which I will construct my castle I can construct 3D nets I can create a castle base to secure my structures to I can build my castle using a mixture of junk modelling and nets Cesson 4: Completing construction of castle and adding decoration I can adorn my castle with facades and other decorative features I can refer back to my design specification I can ensure that my final product is suitable for the intended purpose I can make any necessary changes/improvements Lesson 5: Evaluate our structures I can evaluate my ideas and product against my design criteria I can evaluate my ideas of others to improve my work I can evaluate my work and the work of others	Lesson 1: Understand that climate affects food growth		
Key Vocabulary: sew/stitch direction needle cushion thread template knot design material/fabric assemble applique decorate felt evaluate cross stitch target audience running stitch purpose Resources: • design sheet Binca fabric • scissors needles	Key Vocabulary: castle flag 2D/3D shapes cone towers cuboid turrets cube battlements cylinder moat target audience gatehouse design specification curtain walls evaluation drawbridge Resources: • cardboard • empty toilet roll/kitchen roll tubes • A3 card • junk modelling materials	Key Vocabulary: seasonal climate fruits/vegetables recipe hygiene ingredients nutritional/healthy balanced diet seasons- Autumn, Winter, Spring & Summer Resources: plain flour ready rolled puff pastry pesto or tomato paste cheese olive oil spatulas baking trays		
 variety of coloured thread felt in a variety of colours 	3D shapes PVA glue/glue sticks	basil tablespoons		

Cross-Curricular Links:

Autumn: N/A

Spring: Maths: Draw 2D shapes and make 3D shapes using modelling materials: recognise 3D shapes in different orientations and describe them.

Summer: Geography: Physical geography: climate zones, biomes, vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes, earthquakes and the water cycle. Human geography: types of settlement, land use, economic activity including trade links and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water.

Enrichment:

Autumn: Parent event 'sewing bee' to support with sewing up and assembling cushion

Spring: VR headsets to explore castles

Summer: Use of the cookery room

Key DT Skills which can be revisited throughout other Subject Areas:

Work safely and accurately using a range of simple tools

Think about their ideas as they make progress and be willing to change things if this helps them improve their work

Use a range of equipment including ICT

Key DT Days:

Parent event in Autumn Term 2 – date tbc

National Curriculum: By the end of KS2, pupils will be able to:

Design

- use research and develop design criteria to inform the design of innovative, functional, appealing products that are fit for purpose, aimed at particular individuals or groups
- generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes, pattern pieces and computer-aided design Make
- select from and use a wider range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks [for example, cutting, shaping, joining and finishing], accurately
- select from and use a wider range of materials and components, including construction materials, textiles and ingredients, according to their functional properties and aesthetic qualities

Evaluate

- investigate and analyse a range of existing products
- evaluate their ideas and products against their own design criteria and consider the views of others to improve their work
- understand how key events and individuals in design and technology have helped shape the world

• pins	sellotape/masking tape	3 x vegetables of children's choice
• buttons	string	butter knives
cushion stuffing	paper and nets	• oven
		• peelers