Curriculum Information for Parents

Design and Technology: Year 10 Product Design 3D		
Term	Units of Study/Scheme of work	Key homework and assessments
Term 1	Eggtastic design challenges Thermoforming an acrylic smart device stand Storage caddy - an introduction to wood	Research and project work tasks Written theory tasks covering core materials, specialist materials (polymers) and designing and making principles.
Term 2	Introduction to more complex manufacturing, designing and making a zoomorphic desk lamp. Mock NEA - Shipping container architecture project	Theory tasks Research and project work tasks Written theory tasks covering core materials, specialist materials (polymers) and designing and making principles.
Term 3	3D printed soap dish Start NEA - Non Examined Assessment task (50% GCSE grade). Major design and make context set by AQA Written paper theory	Investigating activities to inform their NEA Written theory tasks covering core materials, specialist materials (polymers) and designing and making principles.
Recommended resources/ textbook	Use of DT revision book. It would be useful if all pupils had basic drawing equipment, including colour pencils. Other stationary items such as scissors and glue are also recommended. Onshape Revision guide	
How can we help at home?	Use of design websites (see links) Technology student website Onshape 3D design Support with NEA	

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Design and Technology: Year 10 Textile Products		
Term	Units of Study/Scheme of work	Key homework and assessments
Term 1	Technical skills folder Design and make an artisan	Research and project work tasks Written theory tasks covering core
	apron - "Cool cover-up" Embroidery in wood including CAD design skills and colour theory	materials, specialist materials (textiles) and designing and making principles.
Term 2	Wool for Schools Design competition	Theory tasks Research and project work tasks
	Investigating the work of other designers and design movements to inspire a cushion Mock NEA - hands free cross-	Written theory tasks covering core materials, specialist materials (textiles) and designing and making principles.
	body bag	
Term 3	Complete mock NEA - hands free cross-body bag Start NEA - Non Examined Assessment task (50% GCSE grade). Major design and make context set by AQA Written paper theory	Investigating activities to inform their NEA Written theory tasks covering core materials, specialist materials (textiles) and designing and making principles.
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