Design and Technology Long Term Plan



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Reception	Children will explore and experiment with a variety of tools, materials and techniques through the continuous provision. Children will also take part in some adult-led activities to work on skills such as fine motor and joining techniques.					
Y 1	ART	Mechanisms — Sliders and Levers Moving Christmas Cards (link to Robert Sabuda)	ART	Food - Preparing Fruit Fruit Salad	ART	Structures – Freestanding Structures Animal Enclosures (link to Brunel)
Y2	ART	Food — Balanced Diets Healthy dips and dippers	Mechanisms — Wheels and Axles Vehicles (link to Henry Ford)	ART	Textiles – Techniques Practising running stitch and cross stitch (link to cotton manufacturing)	ART
Y3	ART	Food - Diets around the world American pies vs British pies	ART	Mechanisms — Levers and Linkages Moving Puppets	ART	Textiles – 2D to 3D Re-useable pouches
Y4	Structures – Shell Structures Desk Tidy	ART	Electrical Systems — Simple Circuits and Switches Torches (link to Thomas Edison / David Misell)	Food – Mise-en-Place Stuffed Peppers (link to Jamie Oliver)	ART	ART
Y5	Food – Nutritional Value Healthy Energy Bars (link to Mary Berry)	ART	Textiles – Combining Different Fabric Shapes Cases e.g. phone case / laptop case (link to felt manufacturing)	ART	Mechanisms – Hydraulics Moving Heads	ART
Y6	ART	Food Russian Meal	ART	Electrical Systems – Monitoring and Control Nightlights or Fairgrounds (link to Edward Holmes)	Structures — Frame Structures Anderson Shelters (link to W Paterson and OC Kerrison)	ART