KS4 Curriculum Map	Subject	Product Design
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Year 10 Autumn	Year 10 Spring	Year 10 Summer
Theory (single lessons)	Theory (single lessons)	Summer half term 1
Industry	Selection of materials and components	Preparation for non-exam assessment(NEA)
Enterprise	Forces and stresses	Troparation for non-chain assessment(12.1)
Sustainability	Ecological and social footprint	
People and culture	Sources and origins	Summer half term 2
Society and environment	Using and working with materials	
Production techniques and systems	Stock forms, types and sizes	PPE 1
Critical evaluation of new and emerging technologies	Specialist techniques and processes	
Fossil fuels and nuclear power	Investigation, primary and secondary data	
Renewable energy	Design strategies	Start NEA
Mechanical and electrical energy storage	Tolerances and allowances	
Inputs, processes and outputs	Material management	The NEA is a design and making task that contributes 50%
Types of movement, magnitude and direction	Specialist tools and equipment	towards the students' final mark.
Cams and followers	LED picture frame project (double lessons)	towards the students final mark.
Friction chain and sprocket	Context analysis	
Pulleys and belts	Product analysis	Students will be expected to complete a folder consisting of
Accessory stand project (double lessons)	Client research	twenty A3 sheets and a working prototype.
Context analysis	Design brief and specification	= 1 11
Product analysis	Rendering skills	Students will be marked on the following sections:
Client research	Design development	
Design brief and specification	Orthographic drawing	Analysing and investigating design possibilities – 10 marks
2D/3D shape construction	Evaluating	Producing a design brief and specification – 10 marks
Rendering skills	Practical skills to manufacture plastics and modelling material	Generating design ideas – 20 marks
Design development	Soldering	
Orthographic drawing	Laser cutting	Developing design ideas – 20 marks
Evaluating	Home Learning	Realising design idea - 20 marks
Practical skills to manufacture woods and plastics and modelling material	Material properties	Analysing and evaluating – 20 marks
Home Learning	Wood joints	The same of the sa
Smart materials	Maths/Science exam style questions	
Modern materials	Metal joining processes	
Composite materials	Plastic manufacturing and joining processes	
Technical textiles	Metal manufacturing processes	
Papers	Timber based components	
Boards	Scales of production and rapid prototyping	
Maths/Science exam style questions	Surface treatments and finishes 1 - paper and boards and timber	
Hardwoods	Surface treatments and finishes 2 - metals, polymers and PCBs	
Softwoods and manufactured boards	Surface treatments and finishes 3 - textile based materials	
Metals and alloys	Design movements	
Thermoforming polymers	Past and present designers	
Thermosetting plastics	Past and present companies	
Natural and synthetic fibres, blended and mixed fibres	Exam style class test	
Fibres		
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Year 11 Autumn	Year 11 Spring	Year 11 Summer
Continue NEA	Complete NEA	Revision sessions
The NEA is a design and making task that contributes 50% towards the students' final mark.	The NEA is a design and making task that contributes 50% towards the students' final mark.	Final exam contributing 50% towards the students' final mark.
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PPE 2	PPE 3	
	Revision sessions	