

THE MEADOWS PRIMARY SCHOOL

DT – LONG TERM PLANNING OVERVIEW

Early Years

	Autumn	Spring	Summer
YR	Autumn/Christmas Look at lift the flap books Create a simple lift the flap picture for a book.	Chinese New Year Make a moving Chinese dragon card puppet. (Measuring, folding, joining).	The Three Billy Goats Gruff Make a bridge from construction equipment that will hold a little toy goat. (Strengthening, balancing)
	Opportunities to develop DT skills are available during every CIP session including: - Junk modelling opportunities. - Construction using a variety of equipment e.g. Sticklebricks, Duplo, Lego, Giant Polydron. - Opportunities to develop cutting, measuring and joining skills. - Variety of materials available in deconstructed role play areas to turn into hats, dresses etc. - Discussion linked to length e.g. longer, shorter, in between, smaller, bigger etc. In addition, healthy snacks are available every day at lunch and the importance of hygiene inc hand washing is always discussed.		

Key Stage 1

	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Cycle A	COOKING AND NUTRITION Design and Make Bread <i>Fire, Fire, Fire!</i>	TEXTILES Design and Make a Dragon Puppet <i>Voyages of Discovery!</i>	STRUCTURES Design and Make a Bridge <i>The Big Build!</i>
Cycle B	MECHANISMS Levers and Sliders Design and Make a Moving Information Book about Chester Zoo <i>Animal Magic!</i>	COOKING AND NUTRITION Preparing fruit and vegetables Design and Make Soup (linked to buying veg from market visit) <i>To Market, To Market!</i>	MECHANISMS Wheels and Axles Design and Make a Beach Buggy <i>Wellies and Flip Flops!</i>

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Lower Key Stage 2

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Cycle A	COOKING AND NUTRITION Design and Make Scandinavian Meatballs Vicious Vikings	MECHANISMS Design a Wheeled Catapult Castle Quest!	TEXTILES (CAD) Design and Make a Fabric Purse/Pouch Commit the Crime, Do the Time!
Cycle B	MECHANISMS (Pneumatics) Design and Make a Moving Animal Model Ty Mawr	STRUCTURES Design and Make a Photo Frame A City in Ruins!	COOKING AND NUTRITION Design and Make Anglo-Saxon Biscuits The Walled City

Upper Key Stage 2

	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Cycle A	TEXTILES Design and Make a Woven South American Tapestry South America	MECHANISMS - ELECTRICAL CONTROL Design and Make an Alarmed Vehicle (Flowol) Bright Lights, Big City!	COOKING AND NUTRITION (CAD) Design and Make Willy Wonka New 'Fairtrade' Cookies Poles Apart!
Cycle B	MECHANISMS - ELECTRICAL CONTROL Design and Make an Electrical Control Activated Tomb Protection for an Egyptian Pyramid (Flowol). Buried Under the Sand!	COOKING AND NUTRITION Design and Make a Greek Salad A Greek Odyssey!	STRUCTURES Design and Make a Raft Sailing the Severn!

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Year 6

Autumn

Spring

Summer

TEXTILES (CAD) Design and Make a Clothing Item that is 'Upcycled.' Pack Up Your Troubles!	COOKING AND NUTRITION Design and Make a Rice Dish from Various World Wide Countries Around The World in 80 Days!	STRUCTURES Design and Make a Life-size Survival Shelter Climb Every Mountain!
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