

DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY OVERVIEW 2025 - 2026



	AUTUMN 1	SPRING 1	SUMMER 1
NURSERY	See Nursery Overview		
RECEPTION	See Reception overview		
YEAR 1	Food - Smoothies Preparing fruit or vegetables (including cooking and nutrition requirements for KS1)	Mechanisms - Moving Pictures Slides and levers	Structures - Bridges Free standing structures
YEAR 2	Mechanisms - Moving Vehicles wheels and axels	Food - Wraps Preparing fruit and vegetables (including cooking and nutrition requirements for KS1)	Textiles - Hand Puppets Templates and joining techniques
YEAR 3	Structures - Packaging Shell structures	Textiles - Book Bags 2D shape to 3D product	Food - Salads from Across the World Healthy and varied diet (including cooking and nutrition requirements for KS2)
YEAR 4	Mechanical Systems - Moving Puppets Levers and linkages	Food - Seasonal Soup Healthy and varied diet (including cooking and nutrition requirements for KS2)	Electrical Systems - Nightlights Simple circuits and switches (including programming and control)

YEAR 5	Food - Cereal Bars Celebrating culture and seasonality (including cooking and nutrition requirements for KS2)	Mechanical systems - Moving Toys Cams	Structures - Market Stalls Frame structures
YEAR 6	Textiles - Phone Carriers Combining different textile shapes (including computer aided design)	Food - Soup - Texture - Chunky and Smooth Celebrating culture and seasonality (including cooking and nutrition requirements for KS2)	Electrical systems - Alarms More complex switches and circuits (including programming, monitoring and control)