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	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
Year 6	FOOD – Celebrating culture and seasonality				MECHANISMS – Pulleys and Gears OR Cams	
	DME an authentic Greek flatbread for athletes and their families to eat at the end of Olympics				DME an all-terrain vehicle for an explorer to navigate the rainforest	
	celebration Techniques / Skills: whisking, hand mixing (rubbing in), kneading, frying				Techniques / Skills: Measuring, sawing, joining and reinforcing, creating electrical circuits,	
					ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS – More complex switches and circuits (and computer monitoring and control)	
					DME an anti-theft alarm for an explorer to protect their all-terrain vehicle and possessions.	
					Techniques / Skills: Creating electrical circuits, securing and reinforcing.	

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Year 5	structures – Frame structures DME a shelter for tourists visiting the moon to protect them from any space debris or meteors Techniques / Skills: joining straws in different ways		TEXTILES - Combining different fabric shapes DME a mobile phone holder for me to keep it safe. Techniques / Skills: running stitch, back stitch and cross stitch		FOOD - Celebrating culture and seasonality DME a jam tart for a family member for a street party that celebrates the coronation of Richard III Techniques / Skills: mixing, rubbing, rolling, cutting, shaping, blind baking
Year 4	FOOD- Celebrating culture and seasonality DME a scone for a modern day person to take back to share with stone age people Techniques/ skills: mixing, rubbing, shaping, baking	ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS – Simple circuits and switches (and simple programming and control) DME an electrical game that uses simple circuits for children to test each other with topic based questions. Techniques /skills: making circuits with a variety of components		TEXTILES – 2-D shape to 3-D product. DME a pig hand puppet so that we can defend ourselves from the wolves in the walls Techniques / skills: designing, sewing, measuring, cutting, evaluating	
Year 3	structures – Shell structures (and CAD) DME a shell structure for a mummy to preserve them for the afterlife Techniques / Skills: making nets, reinforcing, stiffening and strengthening	MECHANISMS – Levers and linkages DME a pop-up to entertain a younger child Techniques/Skills: use of measuring, marking, cutting, joining and finishing skills and techniques		FOOD – Healthy and balanced diet DME a healthy sandwich for our end of term picnic Techniques / Skills: grating, spreading, cutting using bridge and claw techniques	

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Year 2	STRUCTURES – Freestanding structures DME a model of a slide for a mobilo/lego character Techniques / Skills: measuring, marking out, cutting, shaping, joining and finishing.		MECHANISMS – Wheels and axles DME a moving model cart for the Hat Man from Monkey See Monkey Do Techniques / Skills: measuring, mark out, hold, cut and join		FOOD – preparing fruit and vegetables DME a vegetable salad to take home for a snack Techniques / Skills slicing, cutting, chopping, grating, peeling
Year 1		MECHANISMS – Sliders and levers DME a card with moving parts for a family member for Christmas Techniques / Skills: gluing, cutting, pinning (using split pins), folding	FOOD – Preparing fruit and vegetables DME a fruit kebab to take home for a snack Techniques / Skills: washing, peeling, slicing	TEXTILES – Templates and joining techniques DME a finger puppet for our class for cooltime activities Techniques / Skills: gluing, stapling, pinning, sewing	
FS		TEXTILES - Templates and joining techniques DME an animal mask for myself for the Christmas Nativity Techniques/Skills: Cut and join fabrics with simple techniques, think about the user and purpose of products	FOOD – Preparing fruit and vegetables DME a fruit salad for Akeyo for a party Techniques/Skills: Cutting soft fruit and vegetables using appropriate utensils		STRUCTURES – Sliders and leavers DME a house with windows and doors that open for the three little pigs Techniques/Skills: Simple cutting, shaping and joining skills using scissors, glue, paper fasteners and masking tape

Throughout the year, Foundation Stage will participate in a number of planned focused tasks (teacher led, guided and independent) which will prepare the children for the units that they will do within Key Stage 1. This may include activities such as junk modelling, crafts, cutting activities and construction equipment play.

The children will participate in a number of Design, Make, Evaluate projects throughout the year which will explicitly focus on the prior learning skills required for the units taught in Year 1.

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