

Rook's Nest Academy



Design Technology Position statement 2020

Our Design Technology curriculum is supported by the Learning Challenge Curriculum. For half a term each year the whole focus of learning will be based around DT. During this time all National Curriculum coverage for each year group will be met. Half-term projects will focus around a text such as *The Firework Maker's Daughter* or *Dracula*. This will be the key driver for a range of Design Technology projects. All pupils will take part in designing, making and evaluating their own and the work of others. All DT Key assessment statements will be covered during the half term. These include projects involving mechanisms such as levers or designing structures. Each Year group will spend part of the focus half term on food technology.

Due to the lockdown in the Summer of 2020 not all DT projects were completed particularly the evaluative part of the children's thinking. Therefore, during 2020/21 the work planned will place emphasis on this and other assessment areas missed during that time. Design Technology will be moderated through LCC.