	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Design	• Designing a vehicle that includes wheels, axles and axle holders, which will allow the wheels to move • Creating clearly labelled drawings which illustrate movement	 Generating and communicating ideas using sketching and modelling Learning about different types of structures, found in the natural world and in everyday objects Designing a pouch 	 Designing a toy which uses a pneumatic system Developing design criteria from a design brief Generating ideas using thumbnail sketches and exploded diagrams Learning that different types of drawings are used in design to explain ideas clearly 	 Designing a shape that reduces air resistance Drawing a net to create a structure from Choosing shapes that increase or decrease speed as a result of air resistance Personalising a design Writing design criteria for a product, articulating decisions made Designing a personalised book sleeve 	 Designing an electronic greetings card with a copper track circuit and components Creating a labelled circuit diagram showing positive and negative parts in relation to the LED and the battery Writing design criteria for an electronic greeting card Compiling a moodboard relevant to my chosen theme, purpose and recipient Designing a stable structure that is able to support weight Creating frame structure with focus on triangulation 	 Designing a waistcoat in accordance to specification linked to set of design criteria to fit a specific theme Annotating designs
Make	• Adapting mechanisms	 Making a structure according to design criteria Creating joints and structures from paper/card and tape Building a strong and stiff structure by folding paper Selecting and cutting fabrics for sewing Decorating a pouch using fabric glue or running stitch Threading a needle Sewing running stitch, with evenly spaced, neat, even stitches to join fabric Neatly pinning and cutting fabric using a template 	 Creating a pneumatic system to create a desired motion Building secure housing for a pneumatic system Using syringes and balloons to create different types of pneumatic systems to make a functional and appealing pneumatic toy Selecting materials due to their functional and aesthetic characteristics Manipulating materials to create different effects by cutting, creasing, folding, weaving 	 Measuring, marking, cutting and assembling with increasing accuracy Making a model based on a chosen design Making and testing a paper template with accuracy and in keeping with the design criteria Measuring, marking and cutting fabric using a paper template Selecting a stitch style to join fabric, working neatly sewing small neat stitches Incorporating fastening to a design 	 Making a functional series circuit Creating an electronics greeting card, referring to a design criteria Mapping out where different components of the circuit will go Making a range of different shaped beam bridges Using triangles to create truss bridges that span a given distance and supports a load Building a wooden bridge structure Independently measuring and marking wood accurately Selecting appropriate tools and equipment for particular tasks Using the correct techniques to saws safely Identifying where a structure needs reinforcement and using card corners for support Explaining why selecting appropriating materials is an important part of the design process Understanding basic wood functional properties 	 Using a template when pinning panels onto fabric Marking and cutting fabric accurately, in accordance with a design Sewing a strong running stitch, making small, neat stitches and following the edge Tying strong knots Decorating a waistcoat - attaching objects using thread and adding a secure fastening Learning different decorative stitches Sewing accurately with even regularity of stitches
Evaluate	• Testing mechanisms, identifying what stops wheels from turning, knowing that a wheel needs an axle in order to move	 Exploring the features of structures Comparing the stability of different shapes Testing the strength of own structures Identifying the weakest part of a structure Evaluating the strength, stiffness and stability of own structure Troubleshooting scenarios posed by teacher Evaluating the quality of the stitching on others' work Discussing as a class, the success of their stitching against the success criteria Identifying aspects of their peers' work that they particularly like and why 	 Using the views of others to improve designs Testing and modifying the outcome, suggesting improvements Understanding the purpose of exploded-diagrams through the eyes of a designer and their client 	 Evaluating the speed of a final product based on: the effect of shape on speed and the accuracy of workmanship on performance Testing and evaluating an end product against the original design criteria Deciding how many of the criteria should be met for the product to be considered successful Suggesting modifications for improvement Articulating the advantages and disadvantages of different fastening types 	 Evaluating a peer's product against design criteria and suggesting modifications that could be made to improve the reliability or aesthetics of it or to incorporate another type of circuit component Stating what Sir Rowland Hill invented and why it was important for greeting cards Analysing and evaluating a range of existing greeting cards Adapting and improving own bridge structure by identifying points of weakness and reinforcing them as necessary Suggesting points for improvements for own bridges and those designed by others 	• Evaluating work continually as it is created