Key Vocabulary

Textiles

Year 1	Year 2	Year 5
Decorate	decorate	Criteria
Design	fabric	Fabric
fabric	fabric glue	Fastening
glue	knot	Fix
model	needle	Mock-up
hand puppet	needle threader	Stitch
safety pin	running stitch	Template
staple	sew	
stencil	template	
template	thread	

Structures

Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 6
design criteria	2D	3D shapes	design criteria
man-made	3D	Cladding	Strong
natural	Sarcophagus	Design criteria	Stable
properties	coffins	Innovative	Durable
structure	castle	Natural	Watertight
stable	design	Reinforce	Accurate
shape	key features	Structure	Clamp
model	net		Measure
test	scoring		Cut
strength	shape		Shape
assemble	stable		Join
joints	stiff		Finish
evaluate	strong		Aesthetic qualities
	structure		Strengthen
	tab		Stiffen
			Annotated sketches
			Exploded diagram

Food Preparation

Year 1	Year 2	Year 4	Year 5
compare	appearance	adapt	abattoir
cut	balanced	addition	adaptation
design	carbohydrates	appearance	balanced
evaluate	chopping board	budget	beef
flavour	combination	buttery	brand
fork	cut	combine	cook
fruit	dairy	comment	cross-contamination
healthy	design	compare	cut
ingredients	design brief	construct	design
juice	diet	cream	enhance
juicer	evaluate	crunchy	equipment
leaf	feel	cuboid	evaluate
plant	fruit	cut	farm
recipe	grate	design	grate
root	grater	evaluate	hygiene
seed	ingredients	fold	ingredients
select	menu	hygiene	label
smoothie	oils	ingredients	measure
stem	proteins	layout	nutrient
table knife	review	market research	nutrition
taste	scissors	modify	nutritional value
tree	smell	multiplication	preference
vegetable	snip	opinion	press
vine	spread	pounds	process
	spreads	sieve	recipe
	table knife	sift	safety
	taste	target audience	theme
		taste	
		texture	
		unique	
		wooden spoon	

Mechanical Systems

Year 1	Year 3	Year 5	Year 6
sliders	mechanism	design	Dwell
mechanism	lever	input	Egg-shaped
adapt	pivot	motion	Elipse
design criteria	linkage system	mechanism	Round
design	pneumatic system	criteria	Off centre
input	input	research	Automata
model	output	reinforce	Snail
template	component	model	Eccentric
assemble	thumbnail sketch		Hexagon
test	research		Off-centre
	adapt		Axle
	properties		Evaluate
	reinforce		Cam
	motion		Dowel
			Split pins
			Rotary
			Mechanism
			Follower
			Movement
			Linear
			Component
			Motion
			Convert
			Accurate
			Assembly-diagram
			Dowel
			Drill bits
			Exploded – diagram
			Measure
			Mechanism
			Research

Electrical Systems / Programming

Year 3	Year 4	Year 6
information design	battery	smart
design	bulb	smartphone
public	buzzer	equipment
design criteria	conductor	navigation
research	circuit	cardinal compass
initial ideas	circuit diagram	application (apps)
sketch	electricity	pedometer
bulb	insulator	GPS tracker
self assessment	series circuit	design brief
peer assessment	switch	design criteria
feedback	component	client
develop	design	function
final design	design criteria	program
electrical system	diagram	duplicate
electric product	evaluation	replica
circuit	LED	loop
circuit component	model	variable
bulb	shape	value
battery	target audience	if statement
crocodile wires	input	boolean
	recyclable	corrode
	theme	moudable
	aesthetics	lightweight
	assemble	sustainable design
	equipment	environmentally friendly
	ingredients	biodegradable
	packaging	recyclable
	properties	product lifecycle
	sketch	product lifespan
	test	· · ·