Y7 Design & Technology: Assessment Objectives							
	AO1: Demonstrate and apply knowledge and understanding	AO2: Researching and investigating	AO3: Designing and developing	AO4: Planning	AO5: Making	AO6:Analyse and Evaluate	
Well above the Y7 standard	You can demonstrate and apply your knowledge and understanding.	You can show how your research will influence your project and use this to help you compile a specification.	You can explain how you could improve your ideas based on feedback.	You can show that you have considered health and safety hazards and time management.	You can work accurately and with precision to produce a demanding outcome.	You can explain how you would adapt your work based on the feedback you have gained.	
Above the Y7 standard	You can use technical language with confidence throughout your work.	You can analyse your research and make effective use of your findings and the specification to guide you.	You can show/explain how your ideas could be improved and gain user feedback.	You can use good technical language to fully explain each stage.	You can work with a range of tools, materials and equipment independently.	You can evaluate your work in detail, taking into account a wide range of views and explain how you overcame challenges.	
Meeting the Y7 standard	You can use technical language at each stage to support your explanations.	You can explore a topic and work from a specification, applying what you have learnt.	You can present a range of detailed ideas and evaluate their effectiveness.	You can describe each stage of the making using technical language.	You can work with a range of tools, materials and equipment skilfully.	You can evaluate your work, suggesting how it could be improved or modified and collect user feedback.	
Working towards the Y7 standard plus	You can use technical language within descriptions.	You have a good understanding of the design brief/task and can follow a specification.	You can present a range of ideas.	You can describe most stages of the making process.	You can work with a range of tools, materials and equipment safely.	You can discuss the positives and negatives of your work.	
Working towards the Y7 standard	You can select the correct technical language as you annotate your work.	You can explore and work from a brief.	You can present ideas at a basic level.	You know the correct sequence of activities.	You can work safely, with support.	You can reflect on your work.	

Y8 Design & Technology: Assessment Objectives							
	AO1: Demonstrate and apply knowledge and understanding	AO2: Researching and investigating	AO3: Designing and developing	AO4: Planning	AO5: Making	AO6:Analyse and Evaluate	
Well above the Y8 standard	You have an understanding of properties and characteristics and use these as you make decisions.	You can write a detailed specification which covers all relevant areas.	You can justify how the changes you have suggested would be of benefit.	You can explain how you will control quality and ensure accuracy.	You can adapt where needed and apply quality control to ensure accuracy.	You can evaluate how well your work meets the specification and use this to suggest improvements.	
Above the Y8 standard	You can demonstrate and apply your knowledge and understanding.	You can show how your research will influence your project and use this to help you compile a specification.	You can explain how you could improve your ideas based on feedback.	You can show that you have considered health and safety hazards and time management.	You can work accurately and with precision to produce a demanding outcome.	You can explain how you would adapt your work based on the feedback you have gained.	
Meeting the Y8 standard	You can use technical language with confidence throughout your work.	You can analyse your research and make effective use of your findings and the specification to guide you.	You can show/explain how your ideas could be improved and gain user feedback.	You can use good technical language to fully explain each stage.	You can work with a range of tools, materials and equipment independently.	You can evaluate your work in detail, taking into account a wide range of views and explain how you overcame challenges.	
Working towards the Y8 standard plus	You can use technical language at each stage to support your explanations.	You can explore a topic and work from a specification, applying what you have learnt.	You can present a range of detailed ideas and evaluate their effectiveness.	You can describe each stage of the making using technical language.	You can work with a range of tools, materials and equipment skilfully.	You can evaluate your work, suggesting how it could be improved or modified and collect user feedback.	
Working towards the Y8 standard	You can use technical language within descriptions.	You have a good understanding of the design brief/task and can follow a specification.	You can present a range of ideas.	You can describe most stages of the making process.	You can work with a range of tools, materials and equipment safely.	You can discuss the positives and negatives of your work.	

Y9 Design & Technology: Assessment Objectives							
	AO1: Demonstrate and apply knowledge and understanding	AO2: Researching and investigating	AO3: Designing and developing	AO4: Planning	AO5: Making	AO6:Analyse and Evaluate	
Well above the Y9 standard	You make regular reference to the materials, components, processes and equipment to justify your decisions.	You can justify how each specification point is backed up by the research you have collected.	Your designs include details of the materials, components and process requirements for your product.	You can present a detailed flow/gantt chart which includes Health & Safety and Quality Control checks.	You can justify how the modifications you have made improve the quality and functionality of your product.	You can justify how effectively your design meets each specification criteria and fulfils the needs of the client.	
Above the Y9 standard	You have an understanding of properties and characteristics and use these as you make decisions.	You can write a detailed specification which covers all relevant areas.	You can justify how the changes you have suggested would be of benefit.	You can explain how you will control quality and ensure accuracy.	You can adapt where needed and apply quality control to ensure accuracy.	You can evaluate how well your work meets the specification and use this to suggest improvements.	
Meeting the Y9 standard	You can demonstrate and apply your knowledge and understanding.	You can show how your research will influence your project and use this to help you compile a specification.	You can explain how you could improve your ideas based on feedback.	You can show that you have considered health and safety hazards and time management.	You can work accurately and with precision to produce a demanding outcome.	You can explain how you would adapt your work based on the feedback you have gained.	
Working towards the Y9 standard plus	You can use technical language with confidence throughout your work.	You can analyse your research and make effective use of your findings and the specification to guide you.	You can show/explain how your ideas could be improved and gain user feedback.	You can use good technical language to fully explain each stage.	You can work with a range of tools, materials and equipment independently.	You can evaluate your work in detail, taking into account a wide range of views and explain how you overcame challenges.	
Working towards the Y9 standard	You can use technical language at each stage to support your explanations.	You can explore a topic and work from a specification, applying what you have learnt.	You can present a range of detailed ideas and evaluate their effectiveness.	You can describe each stage of the making using technical language.	You can work with a range of tools, materials and equipment skilfully.	You can evaluate your work, suggesting how it could be improved or modified and collect user feedback.	