

## Parkside School Curriculum Map 2025/6

## Art, Design & Technology: Design Technology

Year 11								
Half Term 1	Half Term 2	Half Term 3	Half Term 4	Half Term 5	Half term 6			
Unit 1 - Theory linking to sections of the NEA (interweaved learning) & Unit 2 NEA (Section A/B)	Unit 1 - Theory linking to sections of the NEA (interweaved learning) & Unit 2 NEA (Section B/C)	Unit 1 - Theory linking to sections of the NEA (interweaved learning) & Unit 2 NEA (Section C/D)	Unit 1 - Theory linking to sections of the NEA (interweaved learning) & Unit 2 NEA (Section D/E)	Unit 1 - Theory linking to sections of the NEA (interweaved learning) & Unit 2 NEA (Section E/F)	Students will be sitting their External GCSE Exams during this Half Term.			
Purpose: Controlled assessment for their NEA and embedded theory which links to the NEA section.	Purpose: Controlled assessment for their NEA and embedded theory which links to the NEA section.	Purpose: Controlled assessment for their NEA and embedded theory which links to the NEA section.	Purpose: Controlled assessment for their NEA and embedded theory which links to the NEA section.	Purpose: Controlled assessment for their NEA and embedded theory which links to the NEA section.				
Overview of the knowledge and skills covered in this unit: Students started their NEA in HT6 of Year 10. They are to complete the investigating and design possibilities (section A) and design brief and specification (section B).	Overview of the knowledge and skills covered in this unit:  • Students are continuing their NEA. They are to complete section B (design brief and specification) and section C generating design ideas.  • Students are to produce a range of sketched solutions for their chosen	Overview of the knowledge and skills covered in this unit:  Students are continuing their NEA. They are completing section C and moving onto D (developing design proposals).  Students are to select a favoured idea from section C and then develop it into a final workable solution using	Overview of the knowledge and skills covered in this unit:  Students will continue to develop their final idea into a working prototype.  Manufacture this into a working prototype.  Use a variety of materials and processes.  Document within their NEA.	Overview of the knowledge and skills covered in this unit: Students will complete manufacture of their final prototype/working parts. They will then analyse and evaluate the produced solution against the original design brief and specification set by their client and chosen NEA brief. Improvements and suggestions produced.				



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How will this be assessed?	problem/client needs.	a variety of modelling	How will this be assessed?	How will this be assessed?	
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