

Spiritual Moral Social and Cultural Development through Design Technology

Spiritual development is promoted by supporting pupils to:

- Explore creativity through product design.
- Explore emotions through design development.
- Use reflection time to access own ideas.
- Use imagination in individual work and group work.
- Enjoy and celebrate personal creativity.
- Develop an appreciation of beauty through discovery of materials and design.

Moral development is promoted by supporting pupils to:

- Encourage respect for others and their work.
- Work co-operatively.
- Encourage respect for the effort and work of others
- Encourage respect for equipment.
- Encourage sustainability through recycling and up-cycling
- Raise questions about the effect of technological change on human life and the world around them.

Social development is promoted by supporting pupils to:

- Encourage independence and self-respect.
- Celebrate success with displays and sharing of their learning.
- Encourage group and class discussion.
- Work effectively as part of a group, accepting their role and making contributions.
- Explore dilemmas that they and other individuals may face and develop practical solutions to these problems.

Cultural development is promoted by supporting pupils to:

- Appreciate how culture influences design.
- Explore a range of materials and equipment used by different cultures.
- Gain inspiration from the work of others.
- Respect diversity of cultural values and beliefs