## Curriculum Area: Product Design Year: 9 2015/2016

Topics	Year Curriculum	How you can support learning at home, eg. Books, websites, family learning through visits.
Year 9 (10 Week)	Learners will be challenged to develop their knowledge of CAD/CAM	Parents and carers can encourage their child/children to be as
	and also how to use traditional workshop equipment to manufacture	actively involved in the design and manufacture of everyday
Using CAD/CAM to	a clock based on De Stijl. They will:	products. Taking an interest in the many design and making related
produce a clock based		television programmes; watching and discussing them with your
on the design movement of De Stijl	Learners should demonstrate these skills through designing:	child/children can also be useful. Support will be vital in ensuring that all work is submitted for deadlines.
	<ul> <li>be creative and innovative when designing;</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>design products to meet the needs of clients and consumers;</li> </ul>	These links are the websites where we have found some of the useful information and resources that you will find on this page. To find more information or visit the sites that they came from, click on the
	<ul> <li>understand the design principles of form, function and fitness for purpose;</li> </ul>	links below.
	- F. F. F. F.	A list of websites that might be helpful in research and revision:
	<ul> <li>understand the role that designers and product developers have, and the impact and responsibility they have on and to society;</li> </ul>	http://www.technologystudent.com/prddes1/prddex1.html
		http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/gcsebitesize/design/
	<ul> <li>consider the conflicting demands that moral, cultural, economic, and social values and needs can make in the planning and in the designing of products;</li> </ul>	http://www.design-technology.info/home.htm
	planning and in the designing of products,	http://www.designishistory.com/1920/de-stijl/
	<ul> <li>consider health and safety in all its aspects;</li> </ul>	http://www.tate.org.uk/learn/online-resources/glossary/d/de-stijl
	<ul> <li>use, where appropriate, a range of graphic techniques and ICT (including digital media), including CAD, to generate, develop, model and communicate design proposals;</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Investigate and select appropriate materials;</li> </ul>	
	communicate the design proposal in an appropriate manner;	



test and evaluate the final design proposal

## Candidates should demonstrate these skills through making:

- select and use tools/equipment and processes to produce quality products;
- consider the solution to technical problems in the design and manufacture process;
- use tools and equipment safely with regard to themselves and others;
- work accurately and efficiently in terms of time, materials and components;
- manufacture products applying quality control procedures;
- have knowledge of Computer-Aided Manufacture (CAM) and to use as appropriate;
- ensure, through testing, modification and evaluation, that the quality of their products is suitable for intended users and devise modifications where necessary that would improve the outcome(s);

