# KS4Project Scheme of Work 2018-19

Subject	Торіс	Year Group	Length
WJEC Product Design	GCSE MAJOR PROJECT	Y11	25 weeks

**Target Grade** 

A-C

## **Investigating the design context**

Choose a design context.
Situation and Design Brief
Collect research.
Analyse research
Specification writing.

# Development of the design proposal

Generation of ideas.

Making of models.
Quantity/ Costing page.
CAD modelling.
Social, moral and sustainability considerations.
Planning of making.
An ITERATIVE process to be shown in folder.

## Testing and evaluation

Interim evaluations.
Testing the final product.
Findings and Conclusions drawn from the evaluation process.
Again ITERATIVE process is the key aspect.

#### Communication

Use of a variety of communication techniques.

#### ICT SKILLS

Use of Publisher, CAD, CAM, Digital photography.

Laser cutter, CNC router and 3D printers available.

# Making

Making a product which satisfies one of the Design Contexts set out by the exam board. The product will have to fully satisfy the individual Design brief identified by the pupil. CAM used where appropriate.

#### HEALTH AND SAFETY

Demonstrations of all unfamiliar tools and machinery.

Supervision throughtout.

# **EXTENTION WORK**

Further re-designing of the product following evaluative feedback.

Iterative process requires pupils to design, make, test and re design.

# Learning ACTIVITY

Designing and making a substantially challenging Major project.

Pupils embark on their own project based on their choice of a possible 3 context set down by the WJEC each year.

## SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE

The pupils will use their knowledge and understanding from a range of more focussed tasks in Y10 studies to demonstrate their true potential.

#### TECHNICAL LANGUAGE

Various depending upon the material being used

Pupils can use wood, metal, synthetic and composite materials.

Materials have been classified in a different way by WJEC.

Week No	Learning Objective We are Learning to (WALTS)	Specification Focus	Teaching Activity	Outcomes Plenary (WILFs) Assessment	Health and Safety	Resources
2-3	To choose which one of the three possible context they will focus on. Presenting research.  Carrying out meaningful testing and research.  Analysing	Communication is applicable throughout the whole folder.  Investiging the Design context.	Analysis of the Exam board contexts. Guidance to making a choice of a suitable project Situation and Design Brief.  Analysis of existing products. Introduce the idea of primary research. Pupils to undertake primary research on materials—strength, durability and aesthetic quality.  Analyse research material.	Work which is in line/ in excess of the individuals Target grade, based on the Grade descriptors on the following sheet.	machinery and	Fully stocked workshop.  VLE with assessment information for pupils.  Large range of materials to cope with the array of project
5-9	Generating and Developing ideas. Formulating a detailed design solution.	Development of the Design proposal.	Analyse research material.  Identify a target market.  Write a specification for the chosen product.  Developing ideas by sketching.  Develop ideas by modelling.  Develop ideas through use of CAD.  Research into methods of manufacture.  Produce test joints.			mation dis- played next to
10-13 14-19 20	Making high quality products.	Making  Making	Making Material sourcing, Marking and cutting.  Product construction.			
21-24	Evaluating and testing the product to allow for improvements.	Making  Testing and Evaluation  Testing and Evaluation	Product finishing.  Testing, evaluation and modification. Improvements which could be made.  Final evaluation against the specification.			

Notes.

# Assessment

Grade	Investigating the design context	Development of the design proposal	Making	Testing and evaluation	Communication
A					
С					
Е					

Addition all assessment		