Year 12 Long Term Scheme of Learning 2025-26



Subject: Product Design

Date	Exams/ Assess	Unit(s)
1/9/25		Materials and their applications
8/9/25		Testing of materials
15/9/25		 Classification of materials Mock NEA - AO1 Section A Performance characteristics of Papers and boards Wood Processes, Joining and forming methods Performance characteristics of polymer based sheet and film Thermoplastics Timber stock forms Timber categories and examples
22/9/25		
29/9/25		
6/10/25		
13/10/25		
20/10/25		
3/11/25		Performance characteristics of metals – Stock Forms
		Classification of metals
10/11/25		Mock NEA - Focused Practical
17/11/25		Design communication
24/11/25		 Performance characteristics of metals – Properties and Characteristics Woods finishes
1/12/25		Jigs and Fixtures
8/12/25		Performance characteristics of polymers – Properties and Characteristics
15/12/25		 Performance characteristics of polymers – Stock forms Elastomers
5/1/26		Biodegradable Polymers
12/1/26		Planning for accuracy and efficiency
19/1/26		 Smart Materials Quality assurance and quality control Modern Materials
26/1/26		
2/2/26		
9/2/26		
23/2/26 2/3/26		Composite Materials Non Every Assessment AQL Society A Identifying and investigating design.
9/3/26		 Non Exam Assessment - AO1 Section A – Identifying and investigating design possibilities (20 marks)
16/3/26		Metal enhancement processes
23/3/26		Polymer enhancement processes
30/3/26		Timber enhancement processes
20/4/26		 Forming, redistribution and addition processes - Paper and board Non Exam Assessment AO1 Section B - Producing a design brief and
27/4/26		specification (10 marks)
4/5/26		 Forming, redistribution and addition processes – Polymers Non Exam Assessment AO2 Section C – Development of design proposal(s)
11/5/26		(25 marks)
18/5/26		Forming, redistribution and addition processes – Metals
1/6/26		Forming, redistribution and addition processes – Metals
8/6/26 15/6/26		Joining methods for metals.
22/6/26		 Wasting processes for metals Non Exam Assessment AO2 Section C – Development of design proposal(s) (25 marks)
29/6/26		
6/7/26		
13/7/26		