

Term	Year 12	Year 13
Autumn	Materials and their applications	Coursework which includes:
1	Classification of materials	Iterative design process
	Methods for investigating and testing materials	Design styles and movements
		Social, moral and ethical issues
Autumn	Performance characteristics of materials	The use of a design process
2	Elastomers	Prototype development
	Biodegradable polymers	Critical analysis and evaluation
Spring 1	Composites	Selecting appropriate tools, equipment and
	Smart materials	processes
	Modern materials	
Spring 2	Enhancement of materials	Accuracy in design and manufacture
	Forming, redistribution and addition processes	Quality assurance
	The use of adhesives and fixings	Quality control
Summer	Jigs and fixtures	Revision and exams
1	The use of finishes	
	Scales of production	
Summer	Computer aided design (CAD)]
2	Computer aided manufacture (CAM)	
	Health and safety	