

Design and Technology

Long term planning objectives



At St Aloysius, our exceptional education is ambitious; we hold high expectations for all of our pupils and learning is clearly sequenced to ensure that they leave our school fully prepared for the opportunities and challenges they may face in their future and in all they aspire to do. We foster a love of learning, where pupils mature into enthusiastic, resilient learners. Our broad and balanced curriculum is planned to enable progression in key knowledge and subject specific skills from Early Years all the way through to Year 6. Content is sequenced to ensure that component knowledge leads to conceptual understanding; pupils are encouraged to make connections across year groups and subjects, therefore enabling them to think more deeply and interrogate subject matter. Key threshold concepts are woven through subjects to allow pupils to make meaningful links between current learning and that which came before. We provide pupils with regular opportunities to retrieve and recall prior learning, thus committing learning to their long-term memory.

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Nursery	All About Me	Celebrations	Superheroes	Growing	Our World	Holiday Time
Reception	EAD Art Focus	Cooking and Nutrition- Fruit Kebabs	EAD Art Focus	DT – Brilliant Bugs Manipulating materials	EAD Skills Development- Creative Challenge	
Year 1	Art	Cooking and Nutrition- Making Smoothies	Art	Design and Make Moving Pictures	Stretch Unit	
Year 2	Art	Cooking and Nutrition- Sandwiches	Art	Design and Make Patchwork	Stretch Unit	
Year 3	Art	Food tech – Fruit Crumble	Art	Design and Make- Branding and Packaging	Stretch Unit	
Year 4	Art	Cooking and Nutrition- Pasta	Art	Design and Make- Creative Shoes	Stretch Unit	
Year 5	Art	Cooking and Nutrition- Pretzels	Art	Design and Make- Fairground Rides	Stretch Unit	
Year 6	Art	Cooking and Nutrition- Vegetable Curry	Art	Design and Make- Felt Phone Case	Stretch Unit	