

TECHNOLOGY FACULTY – TEXTILES
YEARS 7 & 8

<i>Topic(s) covered</i>	<i>Resources available e.g. Website</i>
Limited design work. The majority of learning based on acquisition of skills including use of a sewing machine.	Equipment and tools as required.
Health & Safety. Textiles equipment and tools.	Worksheets.
Machine skills – Threading and operating a sewing machine.	Worksheets, equipment and tools.
Fibres and fabrics.	Fabric samples.
People, culture and society.	Internet.
Fabric construction, woven, non-woven and knitted.	Sample packs, video.
Modern and smart materials.	Booklets, worksheets.
The design and make process.	Worksheets, exemplar folders.
Practical – design and make an environmentally friendly shopping bag	Fabric samples, script packs.

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YEAR 9

<i>Topic(s) covered</i>	<i>Resources available e.g. Website</i>
Health & Safety in the textile industry	Information sheets.
Methods of fabric embellishment – tie-dye, batik, quilting, applique, patchwork etc.	Samples.
People, culture and society.	Books.
Fibre Classification. Natural and manufactured fibres.	Flash cards. Worksheets.
Fabric properties.	Fabric pack. Worksheets.
Pattern making and symbols.	Worksheets and cards.
Wash Codes.	Whiteboard Activity. Worksheets.
Sustainability.	Books.
Scales of production.	Information sheets.
The design and make process.	Worksheets. Exemplar folders.
Practical - design and make a cushion cover which reflects different methods of embellishment.	Equipment and tools as required. Cushion examples.