



KS3 Technology Yr 7-9 will rotate every 9 weeks

Design & Technology

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- Through a series of FPTs and a mini design and make task students

	Through a series of FPTs and a mini design and make task students create a range of popup or kinetic card mechanisms Extension: Students to cover GCSE style questions in booklet	Through a series of FPTs and a mini design and make task students create a range of popup or kinetic card mechanisms Extension: Students to cover GCSE style questions in booklet	create a range of pop-up or kinetic card mechanisms Extension: • Students to cover GCSE style questions in booklet
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	Do Now links: All based on flipped learning homework		
	Homework is flipped learning where students make Cornell theory Notes about the topic they are about to cover in class		
	 Topic 1 – Data Representation Binary Binary arithmetic Text representation Image representation Sound representation 		
	 Topic 2 - System Security Phishing Pharming Blagging Shouldering Prevention of threats Encryption Anti-malware 		
	User access levelsUpdatesMAC address filtering		

	PasswordsBiometricsEmail confirmationCAPTCHA	
11	Do Now links: All based on flipped learning homework	
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	Topic 1 - Programming languages Structured programming Machine code High level language Assembly language Translators Assembler / translator / interpreter	
	 Topic 2 - Networks PAN/LAN/WAN Network Protocols Wired v wireless BUS and STAR topology 	
	Topic 3 – Logic AND OR NOT Truth Tables Creating logic diagrams	