**DT Skills and Knowledge Progressions for Year 2**

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| Objective | Topic covered in  | Pupils Working Towards Expectations | Pupils Exceeding Expectations |
| Designing | * I can generate ideas based on simple design criteria, existing products or drawing on my own experiences
* I can develop, model and communicate ideas through talking and drawing
* I can describe how something does work or will work
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| Making | * I can use my own ideas to make something
* I can measure, cut and score with some accuracy
* I can select from and use resources and tools safely to cut, shape, join or finish my work, explaining my choices
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| Technical Knowledge | * I can find ways to make my model stronger, stiffer and more stable e.g. by adding a wider/heavier base
* I can begin to explore and use wheels and axels in my work
* I can join a range of materials and components
* I know and can use some technical vocabulary to discuss my work e.g. I am attaching/joining…
* I can use different finishing techniques on my product avoiding over-embellishment
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| Evaluating | * I can evaluate my ideas throughout and my final product against original design criteria
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| Food | * I understand and can use basic principles of a healthy and varied diet to prepare dishes
* I can use simple utensils and equipment to mix, grate, slice, chop safely
* I can understand basic food handling, hygiene practices and personal hygiene
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