

# **A-Level Design & Technology**

**Exam Board: OCR**

**Design and Technology (Product Design) H406**

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- To give you an insight into the course content
- To explain the learning journey at KS5
- Discuss future progress at university and beyond

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## Objectives





NEA (50%)

Real-World Context – chosen  
by student

Creative Freedom

Explore – Create - Evaluate

Exam Content (50%)

Principles of D&T (26.7%)

Problem-solving Paper  
(23.3%)

Multiple choice, short answer  
and extended writing

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How will I be assessed?



Design Projects

Focused Practical Tasks

External speakers and competitions

Exam practice at regular  
intervals

Solving real design problems– School based and self-directed

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**Year 12 – Strengthening the foundations**



Creative Thinking

Planning and Organisation

Time Management skills

‘Hands On’ Subject

Cross-Curricular Links –  
Science and Maths

Experiment and take design  
risks

Opportunities to work with a large range of materials  
and processes OR specialise

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# Why Design and Technology?





Further Study

Any career path that  
involves planning, time  
management, problem  
solving and creative  
thinking

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Graphic Design

Architecture

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Where will Design and Technology take me?



# Any Questions?

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