

GCSE Design Technology Super Curriculum



Read 	Do 	Find 
<p>Research and read an article on a designer of interest such as Alessi or Dyson.</p>	<p>Arrange a visit to the V&A, London and create a video blog of your favourite exhibit.</p>	<p>Find out about ten products where biomimicry has been used to develop the design.</p>
<p>Research and read about recognised design/landmarks in London such as the Gherkin, Shard, London Bridge or London eye.</p>	<p>Interview a design professional such as an architect, engineer, graphic designer or teacher.</p>	<p>Find five examples of water harvesting technology and record your findings.</p>
<p>Subscribe to a design magazine such as Dezeen, Eye and Design week to keep up-to-date with new designers, products and ideas.</p>	<p>Arrange a visit to the Henry Moore sculpture studios and gardens.</p>	<p>Find out about 10 products where planned obsolescence is used in the design.</p>
<p>Read "The Design of Everyday Things" by Don Norman.</p>	<p>Listen to this podcast about living life in space. BBC Space flight.</p>	<p>As many real-life examples of existing products to analyse – being able to hold, test and evaluate products in person is much more worthwhile than from behind a screen!</p>
<p>Explore James Dyson's career history on his website and read about his background.</p>	<p>Use UniFrog to find out about a career in Design and Technology. Look at the videos, information and the suggested activities you can do.</p>	<p>Find out how they construct tall skyscrapers and prevent them from leaning.</p>