

# Design & Technology

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## Key Information

### To achieve a Grade 7, I will be able to:

- Work independently to complete all the non-exam assessment task to a high standard.
- Meet deadlines and work ahead
- Attend support workshops and flipped learning sessions
- Revise and refer to Teams as well as other websites
- Practice past papers under exam conditions
- Demonstrate ability to produce a high quality product
- Demonstrate high level of communication

### To achieve a Grade 5, I will be able to:

- Complete all the non-exam assessment task to a good standard.
- Meet deadlines
- Attend support workshops
- Revise and refer to Teams as well as other websites
- Practice past papers under exam conditions
- Demonstrate ability to produce a good quality product

## Useful Information:

**Exam board:** AQA

### Intervention:

Monday – Intervention 3.25pm - 4.05pm including arranged lunchtimes

### Websites:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zby2bdm?scrlybrkr=5d813a6f>

[https://technologystudent.com/despro\\_flsh/NEW\\_GCSE3.html](https://technologystudent.com/despro_flsh/NEW_GCSE3.html)

<https://app.senecalearning.com/>

## Top Tips:

- Practice past papers
- Recap key terminology
- Take regular breaks
- Attend after school and lunch time revision sessions
- Ask for help!

## Assessment:

### Non-exam assessment - 50%

Single design and make task supported by a 20 page A3 portfolio and final prototype.

### Written examination - 50%

The written examination paper is 2 hours long.

There are 100 marks on offer

Paper is divided into 3 sections:

Section A - Core Technical Principles (20 marks)

Section B - Specialist technical principles (30 marks)

Section C - Designing and making principles (50 marks)