



	Design Technology KS5 Outline – A level AQA Product Design										
	Term 1 Aug-Oct	Term 2 Nov-Dec	Term 3 Jan-Feb	Term 4 Mar-Apr	Term 5 Apr-May	Term 6 Jun-Jul					
Year 12	1.11.5 Materials and their performance Techniques, finishes and processing materials KLT 1 Unit Review	1.11.5 Materials and their performance Techniques, finishes and processing materials KLT 2 Unit Review	Emerging technologies affecting design industry. 1.8 The requirements for product design & development 1.9 Health & Safety 1.10 Protecting designs and intellectual property 1.12 Feasibility 1.13 Enterprise Year 12 PPE – Jan	Design methods and processes 1.14 Design communication CAD - Drawing KLT 4 Unit Review	2.5 Critical analysis evaluation CAD – SolidWorks Introduction to A level NEA	2.5 Critical analysis evaluation Contextual challenges finalised – A Level NEA Section A – Identifying & Investigating design possibilities (20 Marks) KLT 5 Unit Review					
Year 13	2.1 Design methods and processes 2.3 New technology 2.6 Selecting appropriate tools, equipment & resources 2.7 Accuracy in design & manufacture	2.2 Design Theory 2.3 Culture change 2.4 Design processes	KLT3 Unit review 2.5 Critical analysis evaluation 2.8 Responsible design 2.9 Design and manufacture for project management 2.10 National and international standards in product design	4.4 Maths in PD Number & percentages Ratios Calculating surface area and volume Combining forms Comparing weights using density Area and volume scale factors 1.1-1.15 Revision of materials, manufacture, joining methods and finishes	Submission of Section E - Analysis & Evaluation Final submission of NEA 26/04/24 4.4 Maths in PD Trigonometry Construction, use of analysis charts and graphs Co – Ordinates & geometry Statistics and probability	N/A					
	Section B - Finalising a design brief and specification Deadline 15 th Sept Section C – Development of design proposal (25 Marks) Deadline 20 th Oct	(Improvements to section C) Design development - proposals (25 Marks) Write up of work completed	Improvement and refinement of part A of section D. Write up of section D Design development – prototypes (25 marks) Development of final design proposals	Section E – Analysis and evaluation (20 Marks) Improvements on Section C & D	Revision for Paper 1 & 2 Designing principles & technical principles						





	Development of final 3D prototype	Formal assessment on Paper 2 Technical principles	