



September 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

**Year 10
Design Technology GCSE**

The Design Technology GCSE course is structured to give students opportunities to look at and make products that have a range of properties. This will then lead in to your son/daughters Non-Examination Assessment in September 2021. With practising these skills and elements regularly in lessons, I hope that they will achieve the grade that they are worthy of achieving.

To help cover the costs of the resources required to produce well-structured outcomes, we are asking for a contribution of **£5.00**. This would cover the whole range of different items tested and made during the year and enable the items to be included in lessons.

In order to support outcomes with a larger budget, your son/daughter can purchase their own materials/components from home to make their Non-Examination Assessment outcomes in year 11.

To help us plan and resource our curriculum effectively and to ensure all parents/carers have received this communication, it is essential that we receive a response for every student. In the case of parents willing to contribute the £5, please use our payment system online at: www.parentpay.com as we are unable to accept any money paid by cash or cheque. Thank you for your contribution.

If at this time you are either unwilling or unable to contribute towards the cost of resources used, please return your completed reply slip to the subject teacher and ensure the second box has been ticked. We ask you to do this merely so we can be sure you have received this communication and can make an informed choice.

Yours sincerely,

Miss K Shannon
Subject Leader of Art, Design and Nutrition

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MAIDENHILL SCHOOL
To: Miss Shannon c/o School Shop

Student's Name..... Tutor Group..... Year Group 10

I am willing to contribute towards the cost of materials used in DT and will pay £5.00 (Through ParentPay or Paypoint)

I am not willing and/or I am unable to make a contribution to DT materials at this time.

Signed: Date

Parent/Carer