Design & Technology – Reception – Autumn Term – Design & Constructing Three Little Pigs Home				
National Curriculum	Week	NC – Coverage	Skills Taught	Activity Outline
Early Years – Development Matters Experiments to create different textures. Understands that different media can be combined to	1	Constructs with a purpose in mind, using a variety of different resources.	Inference Skills Understanding Materials	Reading Three Little Pigs Story Discussion of Materials Used to Create Houses.
create new effects. Manipulates materials to achieve a planned effect. Constructs with a purpose in mind, using a variety of	2	Selects tools and techniques needed to shape, assemble and join materials that they are using. Experiments to create different textures	Vocabulary Understanding Understanding Purpose Of Materials	Exploring Textures – Materials used in Three Little Pigs
resources. Uses simple tools and techniques competently and appropriately. Uses various construction materials Selects appropriate resources and adapts work where necessary. Selects tools and techniques needed to shape, assemble and join materials they are using. Understands that they can use lines to enclose a space.	3	Selects tools and techniques needed to shape, assemble and join materials that they are using. Uses various construction materials Manipulates materials to achieve a planned effect. Constructs with a purpose in mind, using a variety of different resources. Uses simple tools and techniques competently and appropriately. Understands that they can use lines to enclose a space.	Design Techniques Creative Thinking Skills	Plan – What House Could we Make for Three Little Pigs?
	4-6	Experiments to create different textures. Manipulates materials to achieve a planned effect.	Construction Balance Joining Techniques	Construction Opportunity. Discussion of Balance/Joining Techniques

	Constructs with a purpose in mind, using a	Purposeful Design	
	variety of resources.		
	Uses simple tools and techniques		
	competently and appropriately.		
	Uses various construction materials		
	Selects appropriate resources and adapts		
	work where necessary.		
	Selects tools and techniques needed to shape, assemble and join materials they		
	are using		

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Early Years – Development Matters Experiments to create different textures.	1	Constructs with a purpose in mind, using a variety of resources.	Exploring Habitats Critical Thinking	Discussion of Habitats. Mini-Beast Hunt
Manipulates materials to achieve a planned effect. Constructs with a purpose in mind, using a variety of resources. Uses simple tools and techniques competently and	2	•Experiments to create different textures. Manipulates materials to achieve a planned effect.	Exploring Habitats Exploring Purposeful Designs	Discuss Habitats for Different Animals
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	4-5	Experiments to create different textures. Manipulates materials to achieve a planned effect.	Constructing Joining Techniques	Create their Design – Give Children the Opportunity to Explore Different Materia and Explore Joining Techniques

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6	Manipulates materials to achieve a planned effect.	Evaluation Self-Evaluation Peer Evaluation	Evaluate Habitats – What makes them good? How does it support your animal/mini-beast?

Design & Technology – Reception – Summer Term – Designing & Creating a Healthy Snack				
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Early Years – Development Matters Experiments to create different textures.	1	Constructs with a purpose in mind, using a variety of resources.	Understanding of Balanced Diet	What is a Healthy Snack? What is a Balanced Diet?
Aanipulates materials to achieve a planned effect. Constructs with a purpose in mind, using a variety of esources. Uses simple tools and techniques competently and uppropriately.	2	Experiments to create different textures. Manipulates materials to achieve a planned effect. Selects appropriate resources and adapts work where necessary.	Experimental Before Design Collection of Ideas to Support Design	Try Different Healthy Snacks – Fruit/Vegetable
Jses various construction materials Selects appropriate resources and adapts work where necessary. Selects tools and techniques needed to shape, assemble and join materials they are using.	3	Experiments to create different textures. Manipulates materials to achieve a planned effect. Constructs with a purpose in mind, using a variety of resources.	Understanding where Food is Grown or Sourced.	Fruit Kebabs What fruit? Where is the fruit grown?
Inderstands that they can use lines to enclose a space.	4	Experiments to create different textures. Manipulates materials to achieve a planned effect. Uses simple tools and techniques competently and appropriately. Selects appropriate resources and adapts work where necessary.	Designing for Purpose Designing with Design Criteria	Design Fruit Kebab

		4Selects tools and techniques needed to shape, assemble and join materials they are using		
Ē		Experiments to create different textures.	Using Appropriate Tools	Create Fruit Kebab
		Manipulates materials to achieve a planned effect.	Following Appropriate Cutting Techniques	Food Hygiene
	5-6	Uses simple tools and techniques competently and appropriately.		Evaluation – Based on Different Senses
		Selects appropriate resources and adapts work where necessary.		
		Selects tools and techniques needed to shape, assemble and join materials they are using		