



St. Alban's Catholic Primary School

DT Curriculum Overview 2025 - 2026



Subject	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
Nursery	Attachments – glue, sellotape Baking		Attachments – split pins, treasury tags Baking		Attachments – moving objects Baking	
Reception	Junk modelling – myself Houses and homes	Baking gingerbread men	Nest for eggs Building igloos	Bread	Making fruit kebab	Windmill / Kite - RE Boats
Year 1		Mechanisms (sliders, pivots) Christmas cards		Structures (stronger, stiffer, more stable) Playgrounds		Cooking and Nutrition (cutting and peeling) Salads/faces
Year 2		Textiles (cutting, shaping, joining - glue) Tree decoration/puppet		Cooking and Nutrition (chopping, slicing, peeling, where food comes from – linked to science) Healthy sandwiches/pizzas		Mechanisms (wheels and axels) Rotating toy /moving vehicle
Year 3		Textiles (running stitch, cross stitch for decoration) Cushions		Mechanism (sliders, levers, pivots, linkages) A book with at least 3 different mechanisms		Cooking and Nutrition (edible garden) Herbs and dishes with strawberries & tomatoes
Year 4		Electrical systems (series circuits incorporating switches, bulbs) A light up Christmas card powered by electrics		Cooking and Nutrition (Seasonal foods) A healthy seasonal dish		Structures Free standing Structures Greenhouse
Year 5		Textiles (strong running stitch, small		Cooking and Nutrition		Structures

		neat stitches along edge, tying strong knots, add a secure fastening Stockings		(influence of Warburton, savoury bread dish) Great British Bread Off		(Cultural influences – Isambard Kingdom Brunel) Bridges - Trip to Baltic
Year 6		Cooking and Nutrition (savoury dish – hob/oven, processes involved, budgeting) Seasonal afternoon tea		REVISION		TBC