

Hapton CE Methodist Primary School – Year 1 Summer 1 Knowledge Organiser

Design & Technology – Playground Structures



I will lift up my eyes to the hills, where does my help come from? My help comes from the Lord, the maker of heaven and earth."

Psalm 121 v 1-2

v	What should I know	I will be taught facts on	Key Questions
How to use simple tools safely and appropriately • How to construct with a purpose in mind • How to choose colours for different purposes • How to select the materials I need for building and joining.		That a structure needs to be stable for it to be safe and effective • How architects and designers plan a playground • That different materials are used for different purposes and products • The importance of how a product will be used in its design.	Product - what piece of equipment could we make? • Purpose - how can you play on it? • User - who is going to enjoy it? • How do we make the structure stable? • How can you join the materials you are using?
		What do you thank the designer of this slide eless thinking sheat when she designed it? What did she need what did she need this slide to be?	
Key Vocabulary and Definition		Key skills	Web links
Stable	Fixed, firm, or steady in		
	position; not shaky or easily	Evaluating existing products • Designing a product	https://www.dezeen.com/tag/playgrounds/
	moved.	based on existing products and their own ideas •	At the start of this topic we will visit the playground at
Structure	Anything that has been built.	Selecting materials for my design • To make my	Hapton Park to investigate the playground structures there.
Join	To put, bring, or fasten together.	structure stable • To use appropriate joins for different	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Product	Something made by means of	materials and situations e.g. glue, tape • To mark out materials to be cut using a template • To use a glue gun	
Troduct	either human work or that of a	with close supervision • Evaluating my own and others'	
	machine.	work	
Purpose	A reason or plan that guides		
	an action; design or goal.		
Construct	To build; put together		









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