

Technology 100% Sheets Year 8

Each project in year 8 will link with a key area of knowledge. Use these 100% sheets throughout the year in order to consolidate your theory knowledge within Technology.

Cams & Types of Motion

Image	PROJECT KEY WORDS:	DEFINITIONS:
	Hardwoods	These are deciduous trees that have broad leaves, take a long time to grow & they lose their leaves in autumn/winter.
sle-like	Softwoods	These are coniferous trees (also known as evergreens) that have needle shaped leaves, usually grow quickly & they do not lose their leaves in autumn/winter.
	Manufactured boards	These were developed as an alternative to natural timbers & there are 2 types: laminated & compressed.
	Coping saw	A tool used for cutting curves in woods & plastics.
	Tenon saw	A tool used for cutting straight lines in woods & plastics.
Types of Motores Types of Motores Rectificate Circular Relational Funds	Types of motion	The direction an object moves: rotating, linear, reciprocating, oscillating.
ROUND EGG-SHAPED ILLIPSE RECENTRIC HEARGON SMALL	Cam	A mechanism that converts rotary motions into reciprocating.
	Velocity	the speed of something in a given direction

Gears & Pulleys

Image	PROJECT KEY WORDS:	DEFINITIONS:
	Gear	Gears are wheels with teeth around the outside—gears are used to transfer motion. A Gear Train is when two or more gears are joined together.
Driver	Gear Ratio	Is the number of teeth on a driven gear divided by the number of teeth on the drive gear
	Pulley	a wheel with a grooved rim around which a cord passes, which acts to change the direction of a force applied to the cord and is used to raise heavy weights.
	Mechanical Advantage	The ratio of the force produced by a machine to the force applied to it, used in assessing the performance of a machine
Types of Motions Types of Motions Rectlinear Circular Rotational Periodic	Types of motion	The direction an object moves: rotating, linear, reciprocating, oscillating.
PAAVEW GEE VEW	Orthographic Projection	is a way of drawing an 3D object from different directions. Usually a front, side and plan view are drawn so that a person looking at the drawing can see all the important sides. Orthographic drawings are useful especially when a design has been developed to a stage whereby it is almost ready to manufacture.

Levers & Linkages

Image	PROJECT KEY WORDS:	DEFINITIONS:
	Levers	A simple device that pivots about a fulcrum.
	Fulcrum/pivot	A point around which something can turn or rotate.
Effort Load Fulcrum	Effort	The amount of force applied by the user, also referred to as the input. Measured in Newtons (N).
	Load	The weight that needs to be moved, also referred to as the output. Measured in Newtons (N).
	Newtons (N)	The unit used to measure force.
Interpretation of the Print	Mechanical advantage	The ratio of force produced compared to the force applied. Used to assess the performance of a machine
PIVOT POINT PIVOT POINT	Linkages	An assembly of parts used to transfer motion between two mechanisms.

Electronic Systems

Image	PROJECT KEY WORDS:	DEFINITIONS:
	Current	An electrical current is the steady flow of electrons. This is measured in amperes (amps).
Danger High voltage	Voltage	Voltage is the force that makes the electric current flow. This is measured in volts (V). The greater the voltage, the more current will flow.
	Input, Process & Output	The three parts that make up any electronic system.
tunium munit	Soldering	Is the process of joining two or more electronic parts together by melting solder around the connection. Solder is a metal alloy and when it cools it creates a strong electrical bond between the parts.
	LED	Is a semiconductor device that emits light when an electric current is passed through it.
Recycle Rethink Repair the GRs Refuse	The 6 Rs	Rethink: what could be done differently? Refuse: are there materials a designer would not use? Reduce: can the use of materials be reduced? Reuse: can the product be used again for
Reuse Reduce		another purpose? Recycle: can materials be used that are easy to recycle when the product is finished with?
		Repair: can the product be repaired instead of thrown away?
	Design Specification	a detailed document providing a list of points regarding a product or process.