# YEAR 9 TECHNOLOGY MODULES

2020/21

An important decision



#### Year 9 Technology Modules on Offer

#### DT 1

Design Technology using CAD (Computer Aided Design) and CAM (Computer Aided Manufacture) to design and make products

#### DT 2

Design Technology using wood, metal & plastics to design and make products

#### Food

Using Food ingredients to create high quality food products, considering how different ingredients work together and the nutritional aspects of food and health

#### **Graphics**

Designing and making Graphic products using paper engineering, card packaging, CAD (Computer Aided Design) and CAM (Computer Aided Manufacture)

#### Textiles

Designing and making textiles products using decorative and construction techniques

# WHAT MODULES ARE ON OFFER?

Allow you to work with a variety of different people

Begin to prepare you for a career

Choose the things you find most interesting

Better preparation for KS4 exams

A longer time in areas you like

Don't have to work with material you found hard

WHY DO WE HAVE TO CHOOSE?



Ask questions, find out – you will have to live with your decisions!

- Parents, family and friendsTechnology teachers



WHO CAN HELP ME?

- Mrs O'Reilly Head of Department / Food specialist
- Mrs Parker In charge of KS3 Technology / Graphics & Textiles specialist
- Mrs Morrison Textiles specialist
- Mr Robinson Design Technology specialist
- Mr Goddard Senior Assistant Headteacher (Design Technology)
- Make contact using the Synergy contact form at:
- https://www.st-christophers.org/contact

## STAFF DETAILS

- Don't pick a module because your friends have.
- Don't pick a module because you think it will be easy, expect to be challenged, that's how we learn!
- Don't pick a module because you think you know which teacher will be running it.
- > Don't pick a module you are not at all interested in.

# HOW NOT TO CHOOSE!

# Warning!

You will not normally be allowed to study a Technology subject in years 10 and 11 that you have not studied in year 9!

CONSIDER KS4 COURSES

# **Design Technology**

GCSE Grade 9-1

**Written Examination: 50%** 

Non-exam Assessment 50%

For further information please see:

Mr Robinson Mr Goddard

#### Where can success take me?

Product Designer, Industrial Designer, Architecture,
Civil Engineering, Mechanical Engineering,
Aerospace Engineering, Computer Aided Design,
Graphic Design, Ergonomist, Materials Scientist,
Teaching, Manufacturing, Building and
Construction, Plumbing, Joinery, Gas Fitting,
Information Communication Technology etc.



## **Graphic Communication**

GCSE Grade 9-1

Portfolio of work: 60%

Externally set assignment (practical examination): 40%

For further information please see:

Mrs Parker

#### Where can success take me?

There are many possible careers including:
 advertising, multimedia design, signage
 designer, visual journalist, print specialist,
 photographer, graphic designer, illustrator,
 packaging designer, teacher, web site designer,
 logo designer, product designer, broadcast
 designer, set designer, brand Identity developer,
 animator artist and architecture.



## **Textile Design**

GCSE Grade 9-1

Portfolio of work: 60%

Externally set assignment (practical examination): 40%

#### For further information please see:

Mrs Morrison

Mrs Parker

#### Where can success take me?

Many different careers are open to you including:
fashion designer, tailor, dress maker, garment
technician, interior designer, costume designer,
children toys designer, machinist, manufacturer, buyer,
visual merchandiser, stylist, teacher, marketer,
footwear designer, sports wear designer, textiles
designer, fashion illustrator, journalist, photographer
and surface decoration designer.







# **Food Prep & Nutrition**

GCSE Grade 9-1

**Written Examination: 50%** 

Non-exam Assessment 50%: Food Investigation (15%) Food Preparation (35%)

For further information please see:

Mrs O'Reilly

#### Where can success take me?

Food & Nutrition, Food Science, Dietitian,
Teaching, Food Manufacturing, Environmental
Health, Quality Control, Food Buyer, Business
Management, Product Designer, Food
Technologist, Food Journalist, Food Critic, Sports
Science, Health & Social Care, Nursing, Child Care,
Catering, Hospitality Management, Professional
Cookery, Patisserie & Confectionary, Front of
House, Food & Beverage Service etc.



# YOU HAVE A LOT TO THINK ABOUT!

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techniques	

# Take your time and choose wisely

