

# Technology KS3

## How do we assess at KS3?

**Booklets or folders** are used in all material areas at KS3. Class work and homework is completed in the booklets and assessed regularly throughout the rotation.

**Each material area** will set and assess three to four pieces of work, one of which will be a practical outcome. This work will be awarded a grade and feedback sheets in booklets are used to record strengths and next steps. Students are given the opportunity to respond to these using their MRI pen. In Year 7, the work will be given a progress indicator as opposed to a grade and next steps are given to improve their work.

**Homework** will be given to all students to support the learning taking place in the unit of work being covered. This will be completed either on paper or in the booklets provided.

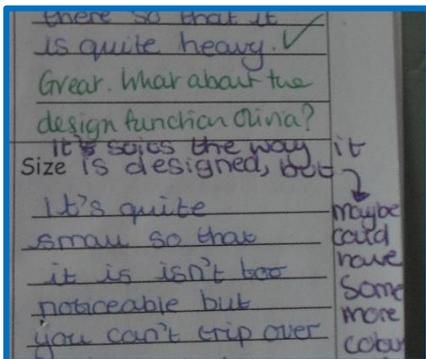
**At the end of each rotation** students grades will be averaged out to provide an overall end of unit grade. Booklets will be stored in folders for use when revising for end of year exams.

**End of rotation test** will take place to test the students' knowledge of all the material areas covered that year. This exam is used to inform the students of their progress.

**Progress indicator:** Working Towards, Expected, More Than Expected and Outstanding will be given at the end of each rotation.

## How do we know students engage with feedback?

Through the regular use of the Student Response to Feedback in their feedback sheets.



Students will also respond to comments and prompt on their work using their MRI pens.

YEAR 7: Food Technology Assessment			
Assessment point	Strengths	Next Steps	Pupil Response
Eat well Plate	Excellent detail given when sorting foods into the food groups	More detail given about group accuracy	Thank you Next time I will go back and check I have done it all right
Soup / ratatouille practical	A lovely ratatouille. Don't you have shown off your accurate chopping skills, well done!	Continue to develop your excellent chopping skills by practicing at home	Thank you I will keep on practicing to make it that little bit more!
Macaroni			

## How is feedback monitored?

We constantly scrutinise students' work through: lesson observations, learning walks, shared practice, work sampling (a robust and rigorous process which we do regularly to ensure consistency across classes).

## What does assessment look like to a student?

We believe in giving **timely and high quality feedback** in the Technology department. You will see detailed Successes, Next Steps, along with advice on how to improve the standard of the Literacy in their written work. All assessment aims to help all students improve their knowledge and understanding in all areas of Technology.